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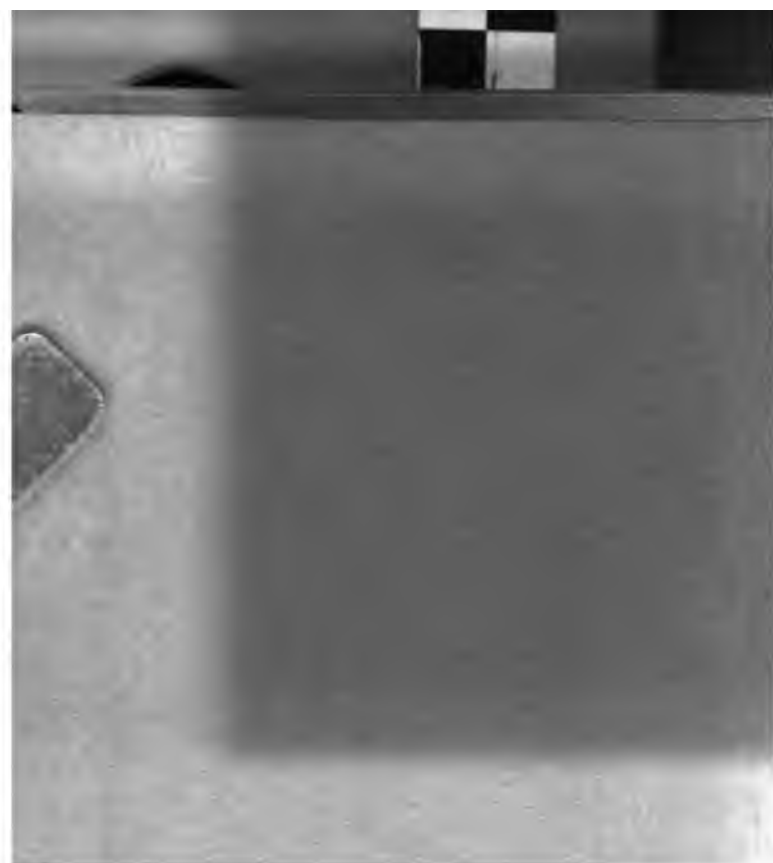
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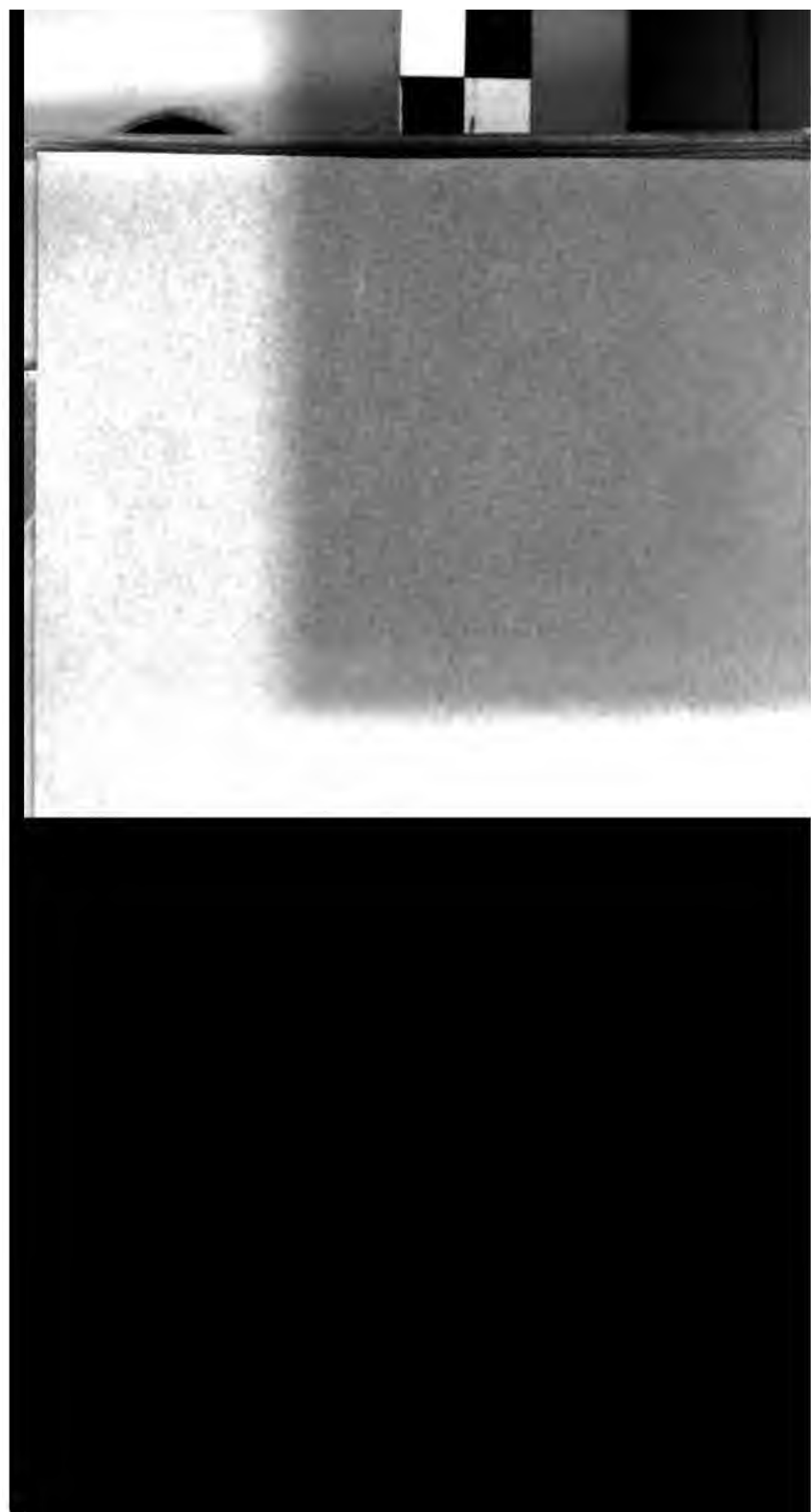
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BEFORE we inform the Reader what Method has been observ'd by us in the following Abridgment of Moreri, and the best Lexicographers now extant, we presume it will not be improper to enquire in the first Place, Whether Works of this nature Contribute to the Propagation or Decay of Learning: Secondly, What sort of Books are most Capable or Proper to be Abbreviated; and particularly, whether an Author, that comprehends so infinite a variety of Matter, as Moreri for instance does, comes within the Pale of Abbreviation.

My Lord Bacon; and abundance of second-hand Criticks upon so great an Authority, have been pleas'd to fall very severely upon Abridgments, as destructive to the Growth of the Belles Lettres, and positively charge them with having occasion'd the loss of the greater and nobler Volumes, out of which they were compiled. As for the latter Branch of this Accusation, suppose it were true, as I am satisfy'd 'tis not, yet it does not affect us at present; for whatever Mischiefs of this nature Abridgments are fancy'd to have done, before the Invention of Printing, yet since that useful Discovery, we have nothing to apprehend from them upon that Score.

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But the most plausible Objection against them is, that they prostitute Learning, and encourage Laziness. The generality of Mankind, say these Objectors, affect to be thought more knowing than they are; but as the purchase of solid Learning requires a greater Expence of Time and Pains, than most People are willing to be at, so this naturally makes them fly to Abridgments, and sit down content with a superficial Knowledge of Things.

I must own, indeed, that a Divine, who carries his Views no higher than the German Syntagms, will never make a considerable Figure in Theology, and that a Man who pores continually upon Compendiums of Chronology is in no danger of becoming a profound Historian. The same may be affirm'd of other Arts and Sciences: But if a few lazy Sots, and empty Pretenders, put Abridgments to a wrong Use, must therefore the Industrious and Intelligent part of the World be debarr'd the Benefit of them?

In case there had been no such things as Abridgments, 'tis true, these lazy Sots, and these empty Pretenders, had not troubled Conversation with their impertinent Noise, nor set up for Men of Learning. But to our Comfort be it observ'd, the Gentlemen

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I *must* now, in the second Place, to consider what sorts of Books are most Capable and Proper to be Abbreviated. Not to enter then into too particular a Discussion of this Question, 'tis enough for our purpose, to observe that Books, in all Faculties and Studies, provided they are written by eminent Masters, (for what Man of Sense would condescend to Copy a worthless Original?) do naturally fall under this Class; but then the brighter the Original is, the Abridger ought to take the more Care to do it Justice.

Upon this Head I cannot forbear to remark en Passant, that making almost requires so much Nicety and Judgment as to compose a good Abridgment, that will command an universal Applause. As all superfluous Decorations are to be cut off, so Things of importance, tho' thrown into a less Room, are certainly to be retained, (for surely there's a vast Difference between letting the Nails grow too long, and paring them to the Quick) and 'tis in this particular chiefly that an Abridger shows the dexterity of his Quill. There ought to be a Justness and Symmetry in the whole, and in every part of his Performance; he ought not to be too merciful a Retrencher in one Place, nor too diffusive a Talker in another; but as a skilful Painter that Works in Miniature, preserves the true Mien and Shape of the Person whom he delineates, and does not tack a Gigantick Leg or Arm to a Pygmies Body; so a skilful Epitomizer will not only endeavour to maintain, as far as his intended Brevity will allow him, the true Character and Spirit of his Author, but also to be equally Concise every where, and Uniform to himself. Not to mention some of our modern Performers, who have been enormously Guilty of this Fault, this is the constant, as it is the most crying Sin of Justin's otherwise admirable Work, who runs out into impertinent Descriptions, and affects an unreasonable Eloquence where he has no Occasion, as he skims over important Revolutions and Actions, where he ought to be more particular.

I would not be thought so vain as to apply the following Observation to this Performance of ours, however 'tis undeniably true, that an Abridgment Carefully and Judiciously perform'd, if it does not equal the masterly Strokes of the Original, yet as to the Merits of Industry and Judgment, does not fall short of it. 'Tis easy for a Man of a flowing Eloquence, to indulge his Genius in describing Battels and Places, in putting proper Speeches into

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the Mouths of his Generals, and the like, but 'tis a severe Task to throw all this into a narrow Room, and yet lose nothing of the Sequence: There is as perfect Architecture, if I may be allow'd the expression, in the Composition of a Fly, as in that of an Elephant, and I remember I once saw, at an Auction, a small Print of an Italian Piece of Painting, go at a greater Price than one of the same design that was six times larger. Who does not read most Perfect Compendium in its kind, the Bishop of Meaux's *Histoire Universelle*, with Infinitely more satisfaction than tedious Unweildy Volumes out of which 'tis Composed? A *sieur Chevreau's Histoire du Monde* too, lately publish'd in English, deserves the same Character, being a most Elaborate well-digested Abridgment.

Of our Modern Histories, none has been more deservedly universally esteem'd than P. Paul's noble History of the Council of Trent, and yet 'tis plain, that the Theological Debates are too Prelux and Tiresom for the generality of Readers, who know little of these Controversies. Upon this Account I think A. Gougeon's *Version* has done much oblig'd the World by Contracting

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And now I expect some Persons will cry, What ! an Abridgement of an Abridgement, that is certainly false Heraldry, or, how is it possible, without destroying the Fabric, to Abbreviate a Writer that comprehends so prodigious a variety of Matter, and that too delivered in so Succinct a Method.

To this, his Reply is sufficient to observe, that if we consider in Moreri, and the rest of them, the References that so frequently occur in their Works, the same individual Stories so often related under various Heads, and even of Persons and Things that deserve to be known, so many Particulars recounted of which we might as well be ignorant ; If we add to this both long false Genealogies, that were rather design'd to mislead the Faculty of particular Families, than promote any useful Knowledge, (altho' we have paid that Acknowledgment to Merit, as still to mention the most eminent Names) as also of obscure Towns, which a Man will never meet but in Authors of equal Obscurity, of worthless Foreign Scriblers, insignificant Founders of Orders, Enthusiastic Madmen, and the like, (all which may be left off, or at least but briefly handled, without doing the least injury to the main Work) I believe he will readily own, with me, that few Books admit of an Abbreviation sooner than these.

I speak not this with the least Intention to Derogate from the Merit of Mr. Collier's Undertaking ; I should justly call my own Judgment in question to offer at anything like that. But Mr. Collier and we, went upon two different Schemes : It was his Aim to take all he found in Moreri, and throw in large Additions of his own ; Ours, to retain nothing but what was necessary : His, to frame a large and noble Volume for Persons of Fortune and Quality : Ours, to bring down so useful a design to the Pockets of the greatest part of Mankind ; for tho' a Dictionary, at one time or other, may be necessary to most Men, yet most Men cannot afford to part with three or four Pounds to Purchase One.

I have nothing now left to Inform the Reader, but that all imaginable Care has been taken to retain what was useful in Moreri, &c. whether relating to Mythology, History, Geography, Antiquity ; in short, whatever may contribute to the better Understanding of the Ancient and Modern Authors, which

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is the proper end of *Works of this Nature*, that are not to be read through, like other *Books*, but only consulted upon occasion. The *Narrations*, wherever we found them too much encumber'd, we have made no scruple to *Abridge*, and struck out abundance of *Insignificant Names* out of this *Temple of Immortality* (as an *Universal Historical Dictionary* may justly be called) or if we admitted some of them there, we just mention'd them, and no more. What the success of this *Performance* will be, we dare not pretend to determine; but whatever it is, we meant a *Benefit to the Publick*, and surely 'tis no little *Service to Mankind*, to put a *Work of so Universal use* into their *Hands*, without any of those *Trifles*, with which the rest of this kind are over-loaded, that are only fit to *fade and Burthen the Memory*, but not to *Instruct or Cultivate the Understanding*.

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Possidet A numeros quingentos ordinem resto.

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Aa is the Name of a Fountain in *Bearn*, which the Natives call *Arquebús*: Also the Name of several

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Aach, or *Aag*, a little Town of Germany in the Cir. of *Suabia*, and Ter. of *Hegow*, sub. to the Emperor.

Aach, see *Aix la Chapelle*.

Aad, or *Aade*, a small River of *Brabant*.

Aagram, or *Agram*. See *Zagrabia*.

Aalam, or *Enno l'Aalam*, the Name of *Ali Elmo l'Husain*, a famous *Arabian* Astrologer of the 9th Age.

Aalborg, or *Alborg*, Lat. *Aalborgum*, a City of *Denmark*, in the Prov. of *North-jutland*, and a B. under the A. of *Lunden*. It stands on the Bay of *Limföro*.

Aalen, or *Aalen*, or *Aulen*, a small Imperial Town in *Suabia*.

Aalick, see *Holitz*.

Aalß, or *Aalß*, see *Alaß*.

Aar, or *Arr*. Lat. *Aröla*, or *Arula*, a River of *Switzerland*, which falls into the *Rhine* between *Basil* and *Constance*.

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Aaron of Alexandria, a f the 7th Age, who k of *Physick*.

Asir, a famous *Rabbi*, he assistance of *Jacob*, invented the Hebrew Accents.

Caraita, or *Anti-Talmu-* is *Rabbi* of the 13th d'd to be one of the ters of the Old Testa- e say he is the same

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patra some Services, was by them made Sovereign of the Place.

Aba, or *Aban*, the 3d K. of *Hun-* gary, who usurp'd that Kingdom, Ann. 1042. having depos'd *Petr* the *German*, Successor to *Stephen I*. He was kill'd in 1044. and *Peter* restor'd.

Aba, a City of *Phocis* in *Greece*, famous of Old for the Temple and Oracle of *Apollo*, it being burnt by *Xerxes*; its Inhabitants call'd *Aban-* tes, retir'd to the Island of *Negre-* pent, and call'd it *Abanis*.

Ababa, or *Abagua*, an *Alan* by Birth, was married in *Thrace* to a *Goth*, call'd *Mecca*, or *Micca*, by whom she had *Maximin*, who suc- ceeded *Alexander Severus* in the Em- pire, Ann. 235.

Abach, or *Welsenburg*, a Borough of *Germany* in the Cir. and D. of *Bavaria*, with a Fort upon the *Danube*, 5. m. S. W. of *Ratisbonne*.

Abachares, a People in the S. of *America*, on the R. *Madera*.

Abachu, see *Bachu*.

Abasco, one of the *Lucaia* Islands in the N. of *America*, sub. to the *English*.

Abudair, the Name of the Stone that *Saturn* swallow'd instead of *Jupiter*; for he being forewarn'd that one of his Sons would expel him his Kingdom, sent for his Male-Off-spring as soon as his Wife *Rhea* was deliver'd, that he might devour 'em: But she being once so serv'd, sent him at other times a Stone wrapt up in swadling Cloaths, and so deceiv'd him. By *Saturn* is meant Time, who is so call'd in *La-* tin; because *Saturstus annis*, he feeds upon years, or his own Children.

Ab-Addires, certain God's wor- shipp'd by the *Carthaginians*.

Abadden, so *St. John* in his Rev. calls the K. of *Locusts*, an Infernal Angel, whom he also calls the D- stroyer.

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league in the Empire,

ds enter into a War with *u*, but was totally de-
d both he and his Fa-
Tributaries to *Avan*.
in the 47th year of his
166th, or 807th of *Christ*.

Magician; who having
ie Emperor *Emanuel* Com-
h ridiculous Promises,
indigna Punishment.

or *Aaron* of *Alexandria*, a
of the 7th Age, who
ook of *Physick*.

Am-Aser, a famous Rabbi,
the assistance of *Jacob*
ali, invented the Hebrew
l Accents.

ie *Caraites*, or *Anti-Talmu*-
ous Rabbi of the 13th
reud to be one of the
preters of the Old Testa-
me say he is the same
ish

Harifcon, who wrote an
rammar, Printed at Con-
in 158.

a Welsh Saint of *Caerleon*
shshire, who was Martyr'd
gn of *Dioctesiam*. Ann. 303.
a City of *Bakrain* in *Ara*-
25. m. N. W. of *Hems*.

e Fifth Month among
consisting of 29 Days.

Mountain of the Greater
12 m. from *Simyra*, which
at to be the Town now
arum. Also a City of
ix.

the Daughter of *Zenopha*-
unt of *Olbus* in *Cilicia*;
ing done *Antony* and *Cleo*-

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patrs some Services, was by them
made Sovereign of the Place.

Abu, or *Aban*, the 3d K. of *Hun*-
gary, who usurp'd that Kingdom,
Ann. 1042. having depos'd *Peter*
the German, Successor to *Stephen* I.
He was kill'd in 1044. and *Peter*
restor'd.

Abu, a City of *Phocis* in *Greece*,
famous of Old for the Temple and
Oracle of *Apollo*, it being burnt by
Xerxes; its Inhabitants call'd *Aban*-
ter, retir'd to the Island of *Negro*-
pont, and call'd it *Abantis*.

Ababa, or *Abagua*, an *Alan* by
Birth, was married in *Thrace* to a
Goth, call'd *Mecca*, or *Micca*, by
whom she had *Maximin*, who suc-
ceeded *Alexander Severus* in the Em-
pire, Ann. 235.

Abach, or *Welsenburg*, a Borough
of Germany in the Cir. and D. of
Bavaria, with a Fort upon the
Danube, 5. m. S. W. of *Ratisbonne*.

Abachares, a People in the S. of
America, on the R. *Madera*.

Abachu, see *Bachu*.

Abacoa, one of the *Lucaia* Islands
in the N. of *America*, sub. to the
Englisb.

Abaddir, the Name of the Stone
that *Saturn* swallow'd instead of
Jupiter; for he being forewarn'd
that one of his Sons would expel
him his Kingdom, sent for his
Male-Off-spring as soon as his Wife
Rhea was deliver'd, that he might
devour'em: But she being once so
serv'd, sent him at other times a
Stone wrapt up in swadling Cloaths,
and so deceiv'd him. By *Saturn* is
meant Time, who is so call'd in *La*-
tin; because *Saturatur annis*, he feeds
upon years, or his own Children.

Ab-Addires, certain God's wor-
shipp'd by the *Curthaginians*.

Abaddon, so *St. John* in his Rev.
calls the K. of *Locusts*, an Infernal
Angel, whom he also calls the *D-*
stroyer.

B 2 *Alafai*,

ents or *Henry*; till we
having discover'd his se-
ignes, seiz'd upon his
ty.

a K. of the *Tartars* to-
e end of the 13th Age,
aded, and subdued the
und often vanquish'd the

He sent Ambassadors
General Council of *Lyons*.
us, see *Algarus*.

People of *Scythia* on this
nt *Imaus*, and bordering
ca.

see *Abaimbe*.

d, or *Abelard*, (*Peter*) a
, famous for his Know-
Philosophy, Divinity, and
ages. He suffer'd in his
on by his Amours with
s Scholars, call'd *Heloissa*,

Niece to *Fulkert*, a Ca-
e Cathedral of *Paris*; who
rag'd at their unlawful
resolv'd upon Revenge.

o pacify him, agreed with
stry *Heloissa* clandestinely;
he consented to tho' un-
, as fearing she might
prevent his Ecclesiastical
or. This Reparation of

where *Ab-*
Num. y. In 1140, he
demna in the Council
and *Sens* (for mixing his
Philosophy with Divini-
he appeal'd to the Po-
his way to *Rome* was for
Peter the Venerable, Ab-
that he put on a Mo-
there. He died in 1
63d year of his Age.

were printed in one Vo-
1616. containing his or-
loisse's Letters in *Lat-*
tender and passionate piece.

Abaimbe, or *Abaibe*, Ab-
tains of Southern *Ame-*
Province of *Carthage*.

Abala, a Sea-Port in
Sicily, whither *Cesar* fle-
pey, with one Servant

Abalus, an Island in
Sea, call'd *Baltia* by
which some believ'd
flow'd from the Trees.

Abana, a pleasant R-
from Mount *Lebanon*.
to the *Syrian Sea*: It's
Amanah 2 K. 5.

Acantho, Lat. *Acanthus*
bus, a R. of Upper *Egh-*

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ma, *Las. Apens*, a Village in Com. of *Venice*, and Ter. of , remarkable for its wholesom , and for the Birth of *Titus* , and of the great Physician *f. Apens*. It stands 5. m. S. W. *las*.

magr, or *Abantis*, A Town *Parnassus*, famous for a Tem-
Apello. There is a little Pre-
in *Epyrus* in the Prov. of *Car-*
now call'd *Abanta*.

usar, a People descended
Thracia, who retir'd to *Phoci-*
ace, and there built a Town
Ab, after their Chief :
e they pass'd into the Isle
then *Macris*, next *Abantis*,
Abalcis and *Eubae*, now *Negro-*

vidas, General or K. of the
us, Successor to *Clinias*, Fa-
Aratus, who surpriz'd the
l of *Corinth*.

stis, see *Ab*, *Abantes*, & *Ne-*

viwar, *Abanwiar*, or *Ab-*
a Prov. of the Upper *Hun-*
owards the *Carpathian* Moun-
the Capital of which is *Cas-*

wi, is the Name of the *Nile*
Ethiopian, which signifies

sner, a T. in *Armenia* the
on the R. *Alingiac*, appa-
the same with the T. of *Ar-*
which *Cedrenus* calls *Abara*.
he usual Residence of the
shop of *Nassæon*.

aus, & *Aboraas*, an *African*
uinea, on the R. *Volta*, about
rues from the Sea.

barea, a Nymph, one of the
by whom *Bucolion*, Eldest
Laomedon, had *Esepus* and

binel, or *Abrauin*, or *Abr-*
Isaac) a famous Rabbi born

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at *Lisbon* in 1437 ; who being ba-
nish'd from *Spain*, with the rest of
the *Jews*, died at *Venice* in 1508.

Abarca, the Surname of *San-*
cho II. 5th K. of *Navarre*, so call'd
from a kind of Shoe which he
wore. He succeeded his Father
Garcias II. Ann. 925, or 891. He
gain'd many Victories over the
Moors, and in the 37th year of his
Reign, was kill'd in a Battel against
the *Castilians*.

Abares, see *Auares*.

Abarim, a high, steep Moun-
tain in *Arabia Petraea*, which di-
vides the Countries of *Ammon* and
Moab from *Canaan*.

Abarimo, Part of *Scythia*, near
Mount *Imaus*.

Abarino, See *Navarino*, or *Nav-*
rino.

Abaris, a *Scythian* Philosopher ;
who by virtue of a Golden Arrow,
given him by *Apollo*, pretended to
go as swiftly as the said Arrow
when shot from a Bow ; as also
to give Oracles, and foretel Things
to come. *Jamblichus* says he was
Disciple to *Pythagoras* ; and some
will have him to have flourish'd
before *Solon*. He compos'd several
Books, chiefly a *Theogony*, a Col-
lection of Oracles, and a Tract of
Conjurations, or Exorcisms. He
is also suppos'd to be the Author
of an Epistle to *Phalaris*.

Abarus, call'd *Mezeras*, by *Flo-*
rus ; *Andromachus*, by *Plutarch*, and
Agbarus by *Sextus Rufus*, was an *A-*
rabian General, who led *Crassus* in-
to an Ambuscade, and occasion'd
his Defeat by the *Parthians*.

Abas, the 12 K. of the *Argives*,
Son of *Belus*, or of *Lyncæus*, and
Hypermetra, famous for his Valour
and Wit. He was Father to *Præ-*
tus and *Acrisius*, and Grandfather to
Perseus. From him the *Argives*
were call'd *Abantides*.

any.

K. of Persia, see *Scha*

Philosopher, who left
orical Commentaries be-
and wrote a Book of

There was another
writ an account of the

Mountain, see *Abn.*

os, one of the Names of
he God of the *Herefiarch*

, or *Abyssinia*, a Kingdom
in the *Upper Ethiopia*.

ive its Name from the
others think that the

ssinia, is *Egyptian*, how-

Natives call themselves
ut *Ethiopianns*. The Emp.

affines is by some call'd

lm, or *Prest-John*, either

illery, or Mistake of the

or the true *Prest-John*,

tar Prince, in the King-
enduc in *Asia*. As for the

us, or *Abassine* Emp. He

Beldi-gian, or *Belul-gian*,

Respected *John*. Others

baldeus call him *John-en-*

is. Great and Valuable

ites: *Siraten*, and *A*

on the Red-Sea, the *Ala*

not so much as one Sea-

em. The Provinces w.

remain in their hands

Damtea, *Bagamedry*, *Gey*

bars, *Naren*, *Magaza*, *Oga*

Holcad, *Semen*, *Segurda*, *Sul*

Doba, and some others

they were formerly *M*

Angotz, *Deare*, *Aden*, *Bah*

and many others. This

is so fruitful, that the

Harvests in a year, partic

Millet and Pulse; but t

is not general. There

Vines in some places, who

afford good Wine. How

common Drink of the

Crab-Cyder, and Mead,

mel, which they call *E*

Alr is temperate enoug

in the Valleys, where it

try. There are many

Gold, Silver, Copper, I

and Sulphur; but the I

have no skill to work th

Abassins are generally

witty, and judicious, bu

ly idle and lazy; yet

we have given them

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Arrows, Darts, and Slings. *Portuguese* taught them the use of Arms, and have been very ceable to them in their Wars. Said likewise that the *Abassines* good-natur'd, Virtuous, Religious, even to Superstition, and Obedient to their Prince. *Ar Language* is particular to selves, tho' some say it has affinity with the *Chinese*.

The *Abassines* boast of a long Geography of Kings, even before the time of *Sheba*; but the Relation is Pedigree is fabulous. The Kings draw their descent from *David*, who was a very and potent Prince. About the year 1265. *Jeann Neuanelach* retook the Throne, which, for time, had been usurp'd from the family of this *David*. In the year 1507. *David* succeeded his Father. The Kings of the *Ar* generally keep their Court in the Field, in Tents regularly and somely set up, which they remove from one place to another. *for Religion*, the *Abassines* pretend to have been instructed in the Law by their Queen *Maqueda*, or *Maqueda*; and in the *Christian* by *Queen Maqueda*. Their Traditions say, that *Maqueda* had a Son by *Solomon*, the same call'd *David*, by others call'd *David*, who succeeded his Mother.

But these fabulous Reports, are not such'd neither by *Josephus*, nor by other credible Writer. 'Tis likely that the Eunuch of *Queen Maqueda* baptiz'd by *Philip* the Deacon was their Apostle for *Christ*; but in time they were corrupted by Hereticks, especially the Disciples of *Eutyches* and *Origen*. 'Tis said that they Circumcised even their Women, and they gave the Eucharist to Children. But now they are

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most of 'em *Roman-Catholicks*, being instructed by *Portuguese* Missionaries.

Abasia (*Bernard*) a Physician, Lawyer, and Mathematician, who flourish'd in *France* towards the end of the 16th Cent. and wrote several Treatises.

Abaster, one of the three fabulous Horses that drew *Pluto's* Chariot, signifying *Black*; the Second *Mercurius* signifies *Obscure*, the third *Nomius*, signifies *warm*. Some speak of four Horses, viz. *Orpheus*, *Alastor*, *Ethon*, and *Myteus*, signifying *Anxiety*, *Blindness*, *Wickedness*, and *Eternal Destruction*, the Effects of *Covetousness*.

Abaton, a Word signifying *inaccessible*, was the Name of an Edifice at *Rhodes*, which no Body was suffer'd to enter, it being built to cover two Brazen Statues, which *Arctemisia*, Queen of *Caria* in *Asia-Minor*, had caus'd to be erected in that City, as a Trophy of her possessing her self of *Rhodes* by a Stratagem: The *Rhodians* durst not break them, because their Religion made them look upon Trophies as Things sacred.

Abatos, an Island in the Fens of *Memphis*, in *Egypt*, famous for the Tomb of *Osiris*.

Abbeftort, a Sea-Port Town of *Norway*, about 30 Leagues from *Amstel*.

Abbeville, a Strong, Beautiful, and Trading City of *France* in *Picardy*, the chief of the County of *Ponthieu*, on the R. *Somme*, a Bpk under the A. of *Reims*. It stands 55 S. of *Calais*, and 84 al. N. of *Paris*. It's call'd the *Virgin City*, because never taken, nor its Charter violated by any; built by *St. Piquet* the Abbot, and is call'd *Abbeville*, or *Abbeville City*.

History of this siege in
10' somewhat uncouth.
ake this *Abbon*, for *Abbo*
Fleury.

Name which signifies
which is given to the
a Monastery of *Canons*
Some are call'd, *Cardinal*
he Abbot of *Cluny*; some
ts, because their *Abbies*
erected into Bishopricks,
Mirred *Abbots*, who wear
hen they officiate, and are
nt on any but the Pope.

Geo.) a very grave pious
ed Divine, born at *Guil-*
rey, and bred at *Oxford*,
became Master of *Uni-*
ege, in 1597. In 1599. he
Dean of *Winchester*; in
an of *Glocester*, and soon
op of *Litchfield*. In 1610.

London, and the same
f *Cant.* by K. *James I.* and
so, till suspended by
I. either for being una-
promoting the Loan, ac-
Rushworth; or according

in a in the 14th Age, in
of *Edward III.* and *Ricl*
whose time the *French*
vaded the County of
carried away the *Prior*
our *Abbot*, tho' no *She*
the *Passé Comitatus*, with
marched to *Winchelsea*, an
it. There he was soon
by the *French*, who at this
the first that planted gre
this Island; but the Co
liged 'em to retire speed

Abbotsbury, a Market
comb Hundred in the S. V
Dorsetshire, near the *Char*

Abcassi, a People of *Geo*
of *Mingrelia*, well-pro
fair complexion'd, indus
stout. They feed up
Mears, and what they tak
ing. They live in grea
nies, on the tops of *Hill*
Huts, surrounded with
deep *Dirches*. They ste
one another for *Slaves* to
There's a Wall 60 Mile
prevent their Inroads in

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Abdala, *Almondes*, the first of the Family of the *Almondes*, who were formerly Masters of the Kingdom of *Fez*. See *Almondes*.

Abdala, K. of *Fez* and *Morocco*, liv'd in the 16th Cent. and was Son to *Mahomet Cheriff*, a valiant and wise Prince; but his Son soften'd by pleasures, lost several Battels, his Father yet living. However, having put to Death his nearest Relations, he Reign'd quietly, and divided his Dominions amongst his three Sons, and died in 1574.

Abdala, a K. of *Persia*, and 27th Caliph of *Babylon*, tho' disinherited by his Father, yet after the Death of his Brothers succeeded to the Throne, enlarg'd his Dominions, and made himself formidable by Arms. He Defeated the *Greeks* in several Battels; possess'd himself of part of *Candy*, and struck a terror into the Kingdom of *Naples*, and *Calabria*. He died in the year 833.

Abdala, Son of *Alien Mauzi*, K. of the *African Saracens*, being dethron'd by his Brother, regain'd his Right by the assistance of *Charlemagn*.

Abdala, K. of *Toledo*, a Mahometan, married *Teresa*, Daughter of *Wermund* Prince of *Leon*, a Christian, who by that Alliance, sav'd his Dominions, tho' much against her Will, so that after his Death she retired into a Nunnery.

Abdala, Son of *Lopez*, K. of *Toledo*, being forc'd to follow his Father, whom one *Mahomet* had turn'd out of his Kingdom, by his Courage and Conduct, he retook *Saragossa*, where he Reign'd in spite of *Mahomet* and *Alphonfus*, III. K. of *Orleans*.

Abdala, K. of *Tremesen*, finding his younger Brother prefer'd before him, betook himself to the Protection of *Charles V.* The Imp. order'd the Governor of *Orleans* to

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furnish him with 600 Men to conduct him to *Tremesen*; who being all kill'd except 25, the Governor march'd out with 9000 Men against *Tremesen*; and being victorious, plunder'd the City. *Abdala*, upon his Return, thought to have enter'd the City, but found the Gates shut against him: Whereupon flying, with 60 Horse, to the *Arabians* for help, they treacherously slew him in 1546.

Abdala I. Caliph of *Arabia* being dethron'd by his Subjects, he slew *Marwan* the Usurper in *Battel*; but pursuing his Son *Abdulmaric*, he was routed himself, and forc'd to fly to *Damascus*; but being denied admittance both there and at *Cairo*, he embark'd; and being cast, by a Storm, on a certain Island, he was known, and kill'd, *Ann.* 686.

Abdala II. Caliph of *Arabia*, being inform'd at *Mecca* that another *Abdala* was elected Caliph of *Syria*, and that *Amir* was possess'd of all *Syria*, he wheedled the first to a Parley, and made away with him. The other he own'd for Caliph; but at next Meeting, as they went aside to talk, he stabb'd him, and afterwards routed the *Persians*, and seiz'd their Country. After this, he ravag'd *Romania*, and *Cappadocia*; and coming to *Jerusalem*, he order'd that all *Jews* and *Christians* should be mark'd in the hand, or else laid in Irons. He died in 781.

Abdala Muley, Cheriff, or *Xariff*, of *Morocco*, and a valiant Prince, took *Cape D'Aguer* in *Africa* from the *Portuguese* in the 16th Century.

Abdala, a Mahometan Prince, famous for his Enterprizes during the Wars of the Cheriffs in *Africa*. He made a League with *Philip III.* K. of *Spain*, in 1617, and was murder'd two years after.

Attendants.

nam'd *Mohammed*, a
Barbary, kept a School
class. He was the Au-
Sect of the *Mohammedans*,
and was so much
esteem'd for his
that having got toge-
Number of People,
insolence to attack *A-*
boorish Emp. who neg-
oppress the Rebellion,
Crown and Life, by
General of the Im-
es.

Abdelasir, a Valiant
being ill rewarded for
he had done the *Turks*
de cruel War upon
at last kill'd fighting.
Abdelasir, a proud un-
ince, who was elected
by the *Moors* in Spain,

Abdelasir, an *Arabian*. *Mah-*
ther, was the hand-
of his time.

, Vid. *Abdoleminas*.
Bishop in the

king of the *Almoravi*
kill'd *Abdoleminas*, the Lawful
for. Afterwards he exercis
Cruelties against the *Chris-*
Span. He made *Morocco* t
of his Empire about the ye
Abdelquirir, Eldest Son
cen Cheriff, who was a
Philosopher and Magician.
Esteem. He bred his Son
own Principles at *Meccha*, a
by Enthusiastical Pretence
the unthinking Rabble af
They obtain'd the Govern
Morocco, *Susa*, *Tremesen*, &c.
pretence of defending them
the *Christians*; but *Tahsi-*
suf assisted by the *Portugu-*
whom he was Tributary) pu
to flight; and in another
Abdelquirir lost his Life.

Abdclarife, Grand Cham
Tartars, the last of the *Fat-*
Chinguis (who boasted of th
scnt from *Tamerlan*) died in

Abdcrallas, a *Christian*,
with *Simon* Bishop of *Selen-*
Martyr'd by *Saper* K. of *Per-*

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died, *Abdemelek* in a Litter, met in a *Morask*, and the K. of *gal* was either kill'd, or taken made a Slave.

Abdemonaph, or *Abdemonaphes*, a wealthy *Ishmaelite* Merchant. bought *Mahomet* for his Slave, re he broach'd his Impostures, afterwards married his Wife. See *Mahomet*.

Abdemon, a Young Tyrian, was us for interpreting *Solomon's* Questions.

Abdera, a Sea-Port T. of *Thrace*, built by the *Clazomenians*, and enlarg'd and embellish'd by the us, that it was call'd *Abdera the*

It afterwards had the Name *Aspizze*, and now that of *Aspe-*

It was a Bishoprick under the of *Philippopolis*.

Abderama, the 1st King of the *A-* sons in *Spain*, who made *Corduba* Seat. He ravag'd *Castile*, conquer'd *Aragon*, *Navarr*, and *Portu-* insomuch that he was account- the Second Destroyer of *Spain*, ral of their Kings being forc'd buy a shameful Peace with the ly Tribute of 100 Virgins. He l in 790 in the 53d year of his gn.

Abderama II. King of *Corduba*, e a League at first with *Ramirus* f *Castile*, which he broke at the igation of a prodigious Num- of *Moors* who pass'd over into n, and re-demanded the Tri- e of 100 Virgins. Upon which *irus* took the Field, and routed *Abderama*; who from that time mo- ed the Christians no more. He the first that set his Name up- the *Arabick* Coin. He died in , or 859, leaving 42 Children and him.

Abderama III. was prefer'd to the idom of *Corduba* before his Eld- ither. He lost much in *Spain* by

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the Courage of *Don Garcias*; and ascribing his Losses to the inter- marriage of *Christians* and *Moors*, he commanded all the Christians that were married to *Moors*, to turn *Mahometans*; but rather than obey him, many suffer'd Martyrdom. He died in 958, or 961.

Abderama IV. Son of *Almansor*, the last of the Race, who Reign'd at *Corduba*, Succeeded *Abdumalich* his Elder Brother. He was so Effeminate, that the *Moors* revolted from him, and divided themselves into two Factions; those of *Africa* being headed by *Solyman*; and those of *Spain* by *Mahomet*, who poison'd *Abderama*, and made himself King in 1062.

Abderama, a Moorish Prince, Son of K. *Alimatan*, surpriz'd *Toledo*, and put above 6000 of the Inhabitants to the Sword in 809.

Abderama, usurp'd the Sovereignty of *Sofia*, in the Kingdom of *Morocco*, having murder'd his Nephew the Governor. He was at length murder'd himself in a Mosque.

Abderama, Viceroy of *Spain*, was so great a Captain, that *Amer-el-Memunim*, or *Iscam*, or *Miramomolim*, Emp. of the *African Saracens*, hop'd by his Assistance to conquer *France* and *Italy*. He began with *Languedoc* and *Provence*, and sent part of his Army, (which consisted of 400 000 Men) into *Aquitaine*, where they were defeated by Duke *Eudo*. To be reveng'd for this disgrace, he left the Siege of *Arles*, and sent his whole Force towards *Aquitaine*, making himself Master of *Languedoc*, *Quercy*, *Auvergne*, &c. After which, *Charles Martel*, General of *France*, gave him Battel in a Plain near *Tours*, where *Abderama* was slain with 375000, or, as the Moderns say, only 75000 of his Men, *Charles* losing only 15000. An. 732. *Ab-*

to *Abdenda's* Son, and sent
to the *Perſian* Court, where
he was treated; but being a
ſome Man, *Beſama*, His
Queen fell in love with
therefore the King reſol-
ved him into his own
and gave him his Daugh-
ter; hoping thereby to
laſting Amity with the
Tartar. But the *Perſian*
refuſing to conſent to the
the King being poſitive
he ſlew *Abdilchair* in the
ce.

5, a K. of the *Saracens*,
boldly oppoſ'd *Charles* the
1ſt paſſing the R. *Garonne*,
and ſack'd *Bordeaux*.
r *Abdieſu*, of the Family
of the City of *Geſire*
was made Patriarch of
of *Noſul*, or *Muzal* in *Aſ-*
was well ſkill'd in the
Arabic, and *Syriack*. In
me to *Rome*; where he
omage to *Pius IV.* the
French ſitting then. *Car-*
ſula, Protector of the
urches, ſent *Abdieſu's*
French and *Italian* to

and gave
Princes.

Aldon, Son of *Hillel*, was
Judge of *Iſrael*, and 60
years. He had 40 Son
Nephews.

Abdon, and *Sennan*, two
Princes that turn'd Chriſ-
were put in Priſon by the
Romans, for burying certain
After this, *Decius* carried
Rome, in 254, and put
Death for reſuſing to ſa-
his Idols.

Abdula, a Cham of *Tar-*
towards the end of the 1
ravag'd the Frontiers of *P-*
Heri and 32 Cities more,
upon the approach of
Sophi of *Perſia*. Afterwar
turn'd with 200000 Men,
Turbeth.

Abdulach, a King of *Fe-*
Family of the *Merim's*, was
the Year 1210. very much
his Kingdom.

Abdulach, The laſt of the
ly of the *Merim's*, was ſo
Coward, that he durſt not
the Chriſtians, when the
Crux, for which he was 1

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pugnant to the Law of *Moh*—they murder'd both him and Wife.

Abulmalick, having possess'd himself of what the *Aravians* held in *Spain*, he pass'd into *Africk*, took *Algier*, with several other places, put all to the Sword. Then, finding that *Abul* was made K. of *Spain*, he hasten'd back into *Spain*, slew him. Lastly, he took *Granada* from the Christians.

Abulmalick, Caliph of the *Aravians* in *Spain*, at first war'd successfully against *Habul-Agek*, his rival at *Cordova*, but was at last by him taken and beheaded.

Abdulmalick, Son of the K. of *Tunis*, went into *Spain* to assist the King of *Granada*, against the Christian Princes of *Castile* and *Leon*; having perform'd great Exploits there, he was recall'd to aid his Father in the War of *Tremesen*, which Kingdom he won, with that Title, and became a great Prince; having pass'd once more into *Spain*, he was surpriz'd by the Christians, and kill'd in 1339.

Abdulmalick, Brother to *Muley*, was expell'd his Brother out of Kingdom of *Tunis*, and burnt out his Eyes with a red-hot Bason, to revenge the like Barbarity he committed on his own Father. reign'd about 36 days.

Abdulmalick, Son of *Murvan*, 7th successor to *Mahomet*, first extirpated all the Remains of the Family of *Murvan*. He defeated *Abdala*, Chief of the *Saracens*, who had set for Caliph of *Mesopotamia*, and this means he became Master of *Syria*, *Mesopotamia*, *Persia*, and *Armenia*. In 699, he won *Carthage*, *Sardinia*, and the greatest part of *Sicily*. In 700, he reconquer'd *Armenia*. He died in 708. *Abdulmumen*, General of *Abdala*

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Mohamedin's Forces, having defeated *Abraham* Emp. of the *Moors* in *Africk*, was, after the Death of *Abdala*, chosen High-Priest and Emperor of the *Saracens* in *Africk*. He besieg'd and took *Morocco*; and having found *Isaac*, the unfortunate *Abraham's* Son in it, he strangled him with his own hands, and destroy'd all those of the Family of the *Almoravides*, that he could find out. Notwithstanding his Success, the Governors refus'd to submit to the *Almoravides*, and set up distinct Kings at *Algier*, *Tremesen*, *Tenez*, *Tunis*, &c. But *Abdulmumen* having conquer'd *Fex*, and *Morocco*, possess'd himself of all *Mauritania Tingitana*, and became Master of *Tunis* and *Tremesen*, stretching his Empire as far as *Tripoli*. He rais'd a great Army for an Expedition into *Spain*, but died in 1156, before the Execution of his design.

Abdulate, the Names of the Kings of *Tremesen*, of the Family of the *Magazza's*, and *Zimbazians*, who expell'd the *Abderama's* out of *Africk* in 986.

Abdur, a *Parthian* Eunuch; who having conspir'd against *Artaban*, to set up *Phrahates*, was by *Artaban* poison'd at a Banquet.

Alex, or *Ake*, anciently a City of *Phocis*; built by *Abas*, Son of *Lyceus*: Also a City of *Peloponnesus*, now call'd *Chiores*, or *Catamata*, on the Gulph of *Coron*.

Abel, A *Spanish Moor*, who during the Absence of K. *Abdulmelick*, having usurp'd the Throne of *Corduba*, occasion'd the War of the Great Men of *Spain*, but was afterwards kill'd by *Abdulmelick*.

Abednego, one of the 3 Children thrown into the fiery Furnace, for refusing to Worship *Nebuchadnezzar's* Image, and deliver'd by an Angel.

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Abel, second Son of *Adam* and *Eve*, murder'd by his brother *Cain*, *Ann. Mundi* 130.

Abel, K. of *Denmark*, Son to *Valdemar* II. and Brother to *Eric* VI. his Father's Successor. *Abel* thinking he ought to have a share, kill'd *Eric*, and seiz'd his Throne in 1250. He was slain himself 2 years after in the *Friesland* War.

Abela, *Abel Bethmaacha*, *Abelmaucha*, *Bethmaacha*, a strong City in the Tribe of *Naphtali*, belieg'd by *Jeab* for *Sheba*, a Rebel to K. *David*, and deliver'd by a wife Woman that dwelt in it.

Abelard, Vid. *Abailard*.

Abelians, or *Abelites*, or *Abelomians*, African Hereticks in the B. of *Hippo*, who liv'd continent with their Wives, adopting Sons and Daughters, deeming Children by their Wives Illegitimate.

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taken, he rallied again, do the *Portuguese*, and set her berry.

Aben-el-Hach, an *Arabian* K. of *Cordova* by his Comp who hang'd *Alcatraz* the King; and having defeat Sons of his Predecessors, this from *Narbonne*. He died of P or of Poison.

Aben-Ezra, a famous Rabbi, of the 12th Age, s the *Wise*, who wrote very Comments on the Scriptur wrote also upon Grammar, metick, Astronomy, and oth jects. He died at *Rhodes* An or 1217.

Aben-Humeya, first call'd *Hand de Valor*, renounc'd his E upon his being made King nads, and *Cordova*, by the *Moor*, and was Courageous,

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end to their Dominion in

-*Mohomet*, a famous *Arabian*, seiz'd the Kingdom of *Cordoba*, led, and vigorously oppos'd but disputed it with him, and supported by the *Almohades*.

-*Meloch*, a Learned Rabbi, a Grammatical Explanation whole Bible.

-*Neden*, an *Arabian*, who the Lives of the Philosophers of his own Country.

-*Perge*, or *Athenberg*, a little of *Germany*, in the Cir. and *Bavaria*, on the R. *Abense*. Birth and Surname to *Jo. Aventinus*, a Learned Hi-

-*Tegemon*, a brave Prince of the of *Abdala VI.* Caliph of *Cas*, fled into *Mauritania Tingitana*, whereof he was made King, and successfully against the *Carthaginians*, and *Goths*.

-*Tefphin*, a *Numidian*, who in 12th Cent. drove the *Saracens* out of *Africa*. The *Spanish* *Saracens* having sued to him for aid against the *Christians*, he not only drove the *Christians* out of *Castile*, but slew some of the *Saracens*, and made the rest Tributaries to his Sons, whom he left Masters of *Spain*.

-*Tybbon*, a famous Rabbi, in 14th Age, who wrote different Treatises.

-*Urrgo*, a Rabbi, who wrote astronomical Tables: It is not known what Age he liv'd in.

-*Xauhar*, a *Spanish* Moor, of a good Family, and formerly call'd *Ferdinand*, who turn'd *Moslem*, and was the most famous in advising the *Mungrels* to revolt. The *Rebels* would make him K. of *Granada*, but chose rather to have this Ho-

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nour conferr'd on his Cousin *Ferdinand de Valor*, who was call'd *Aben-Humeya*.

Abeona, was the Goddess of Travellers.

Aberconway, Lat. *Conovium*, a Market-Town in the N. E. Parts of *Carnarvonshire* in *Wales*, at the Mouth of the R. *Conway*, on the *Irish* Sea, a strong place both by Nature and Art.

Aberdeen, Lat. *Aberdonia*, or *Abriedonia*, or *Devana*, a trading City of the County of *Marr*, in *Scotland*, 85 Miles N. E. of *Edinburgh*, and 60 of *St. Andrews*. Long. 17. 15. Lat. 57. 20. It stands on the Mouth of the R. *Don*; and there is another T. of the same Name at 2 Miles distance, on the Mouth of the R. *Dee*, so that they are distinguish'd by the Names of *Old* and *New Aberdeen*. The Latter is famous for Salmon Fishing, and the other for an University founded in 1494. By *K. James IV.* and *William Elphinstoun* Bishop of the Place, and endowed with ample Immunities by Pope *Alexander VI.* This University consists of Two Colleges, viz. *King's College*, and *Mareschal College*. There have been Earls of *Aberdeen*; and it was also a B. till Episcopacy was abolish'd in *Scotland*.

Aberfraw, Lat. *Gadiva*, a T. in the Isle of *Anglesey*, the Royal Seat of Eleven Kings of *N-Wales*. *Amara* was the First began his Reign there in 877, and *Llewelin* the last of all the *British* Kings was kill'd in Battle in 1282.

Abergavenny, Lat. *Gobaniurn*, a trading Market-T. of *Bergavenny*, Hundred, in the N. W. of *Monmouthshire* in *Wales*, has its Name from *Gavenny*, a small R. which runs on the E-side of it into the *Usk*. It belong'd to the *Silures* when the *Romans* conquer'd them.

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It's still large, neat, wall'd, and fortified with an Ancient Castle. It gives the Title to the first Baron of England, who is now the Right Honourable George Nevill.

Aberistwith, a Market-T. of *Landabarn-Hundred* in the N. W. of *Cardiganshire* in *Wales*, so call'd from its standing in the R. *Istwith*, within a Mile of its Fall into the *Irish Sea*.

Abernethy, a T. on the R. *Tay*, in *Strathern* in *Scotland*, anciently the Seat of the Kings of the *Picts*; and a B. until remov'd thence to *St. Andrews*, by Pope *Sixtus IV.* in 1471.

Abfoort, A Sea-Port of *Norway* in the Prov. of *Agger*, 15 German Miles W. of *Anslo*.

Abgarus, or *Agbarus*, K. of *Edessa*,

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Abgillus, a Prince of *Friul* who wrote a Romantick Account of *Charlemaign's Expedition* of *Palestine*, and the *Indies*.

Abinabar, a Jewish High-Priest who alone escap'd the Slaughter the Priests at *Neb.* He was true to *David*, but plotted against *Solo* who both depos'd and condemn'd him.

Abibatur, K. of *Tyre*, was Father to *Hiram*, *Solomon's Friend*.

Abigail, Wife of *Nabal* the *melite*, afterwards contracted to *David*. There was also another *Abigail*, Daughter of *Nahash*.

Abihu, one of the Sons of *Aaron*, who was destroy'd by Fire from Heaven. V. *Aaron*.

Abijah, or *Abijah* K. of *Ju* defeated *Jeroboam*, and took for

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help, to rid themselves of their cruel King, whom *Abimelech* defeated, raised *Sberbem*, and pursued him to *Thebez*, where a Woman beat him down with a piece of a Millstone; upon which he ordered his Armour-Bearer to run him through.

Abinadab, second Son of *Jesse*, and Brother of *David*: Also the Father of one of *Solomon's* Purveyors, who had Married one of *Solomon's* Daughters.

Abington, Lat. *Abingdonia*, a Corporation in *Berkshire*, seated on the *R. Thames*, 5 Miles S. of *Oxford*. The Right Honourable *James Bertie* was Created Earl of this Place in 1682.

Abiolica, now *Le Bullet*, a T. in *Switzerland*, 6 M. from *Ambrun*.

Abiosi, (*John*) a Professor of Physick and Mathematicks at *Naples*, about the year 1494. has left several good Treatises behind him.

Abiram, the Eldest Son of *Hiel*, the *Berbelite*, who rebuilt *Jericho* in the Reign of *Ahab*.

Abiram, Son of *Eliab*, was swallow'd up by the Earth, with *Korah* and *Dathan*, for Conspiring against *Moses* and *Aaron*.

Abisares, an *Indian K.* whom *Alexander* treated kindly, because he had submitted his Kingdom to him.

Abiscas, a Prov. in the S. of *America*, in the Kingdom of *Pern*.

Abishag, a beautiful Virgin, who cherish'd *David* in his old Age.

Abishai, Son of *Zeruiah*, Brother of *Joab*, one of *David's* Worthies, who rescued that Prince out of the Hands of a Giant, whom he slew.

Abissina, or the *Upper Ashiopia*, see *Abissinia*. The Emp. makes use of Slaves of several Nations for his Pages, who are afterwards prefer'd to Places of Trust, being thought to be more true to the Crown than the Nobility of the Country. The Emperor's Force consists usually of about 35000 Foot, and 5000 Horse, whose

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principal Arms are *Zagayes*, or *Demilances*. Among these Troops they entertain 1000 Musqueteers. The Emp. and Empress go into the Field with the whole Court. Both in time of Peace and War, the Emperor's Camp, is, as it were, the Capital of the Empire; for there are no great Towns in *Abissinia* for him to reside in. But there are so great number of Villages in several Provinces, that the whole Country looks almost like a Town. Their Houses or Cabbins are but one Story high. Formerly the Emp. never appear'd publick, but now he is pleas'd to become visible, especially to his Soldiers. The *Abissines* profess the Religion of the *Copti*, or *Christians* of *Egypt*, and have but one Bishop, who is sent 'em by the Patriarch of the *Copti*, residing at *Grand Cairo*.

Ablaudus, wrote a History of the *Goths*, which is cited by *Jornandes*.

Ablavius, Consul of *Rome*, in 331. was afterwards put to Death by *Constantine*.

Ablavius, or *Ablabius*, a good Rhetorician, and Disciple of *Troilus* the Sophist, was Bishop of the *Novatians* at *Nice*, where he also Taught Rhetorick, in the Reign of *Ibecodorus* the Younger.

Ablon, a small Village, with a Castle, on the *Seine*, 5 Leagues above *Paris*, where the Protestants assembled before they had a Church at *Charenton*.

Abnaguiois, *Abnaguoi*, a People in *New-England*.

Abn-arabe, one of the *Copti* of *Egypt*, who wrote a Book, called *Chronicum Orientale*, translated into Latin by *Abraham Ecchelsenis*.

Abner, *Saul's* Father-in-Law, and General of his Armies, after that Prince's Death, endeavour'd to Set up *Ishbusheth*, but was prevented by *Joab*.

Abo, or *Aboz*, a great City of *Sweden*, a B. under the A. of *Uppal*,

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in S. *Finland*, and the chief of that Dutchy. Queen *Christina* founded an University here in 1640. and most of the T. was burnt in 1678.

Abocaranz, a City of *Arabia Felix*, so leated in a Mountain, that there is but one narrow way to it. Here the Sultan keeps his Treasure.

Abodrites, an ancient People in *Germany*, whose Country is now call'd the Dutchy of *Mechlinburgh*, near the *Baltick*.

Abocroitus, chief of the *Bæotians*, who was defeated by the *Ætolians* at *Charonea*, in the time of *Aratus*, General of the *Acheans*.

Aborigenes, the old Inhabitants of *Italy*, are so call'd by *Aurelius Vistor*, as who should say *Aberrigenes*, i. e. Vagabonds, or People whose Original was not known. *Berosus* and others pretend they were sent into *Italy* by *Cham*; *Genebrand* says, they were those People that *Joshua* drove out of *Canaan*; *Livy*, *Dionysius Halicarnassaus*, and others, make them

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Side with *Cyrus*, he was kill'd in the first Battle, whereupon she stabb'd her self.

Abraham, first called *Abram*, one of the Patriarchs, Son of *Terah*, was Born in *Ur* of the *Chaldees*, 425 Y. before *Moses*, and died in the 165th year of his Age.

Abraham, Emp. of the *Moors* in *Africk*, succeeded his Farher *Ali* in the 12th Cent. but neglecting at first the Rebellion of *Abdala* the School-master, he was at last defeated by *Abdul-Mumen*, and being denied admittance at *Agmet*, one of his own Towns, he threw himself with his Wife, headlong from a Precipice.

Abraham, a Bishop, who liv'd only upon Raw Herbs, yet entertain'd others Hospitably with good Victuals and Wine.

Abraham, Archbishop of *Bassora* in *Arabia Deserta*, wrote several Epistles in *Syriack*, and Notes on the Works of *Theodorus Mopsuestenus*.

Abraham, a famous Rabbi, of the 14th Age, who wrote a Book call'd

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fight of both Armies ; where *Breace*, the French Captain, was killed, with 16 of his Men : *Abrahami* also fell with his Brother, and two more of his Party.

Abram, (*Nicholas*) a Famous Jesuit, born in the Diocess of *Toul* in *Lorraine*, in 1589. was made Professor of Divinity at the University of *Pont-à-Mousson*, where he died in 1655. and left several Works behind him.

Abrahamel, (*Isaac*) a Spanish Jew, (expelled with the rest from Spain in 1492.) writ large Comments on the Scripture, wherein he Boasts his Descent from *David*.

Abrener, a T. in *Armenia*.

Abrentius, being left Governor of *Tarentum* in Italy by *Hannibal*, fell so desperately in Love with a fair Lady, that at her Persuasion he surrendered the City to *Fabius Maximus*, because her Brother serv'd under him.

Abreos, or *Baxos de Baenucha*, are dangerous Rocks on the N. of *America*, near *Hispaniola*, called by the Spaniards, *Abreos*, i. e. Open thy Eyes, to bid Seamen stand clear of 'em.

Abril, a Spanish Grammarian of the 16th Age, who translated divers Pieces of Antiquity, and wrote some Originals.

Abriata, or *Abriata*, see *Avantia*.

Abrinta, a River, commonly called *Av*, running between *Andernach* and *Bonne*, and falling into the *Rhine*.

Abro, or *Abroon*, an Athenian, who wrote an Account of the Ancient Festivals and Sacrifices. There were Four more of that Name, viz. A *Pedion*, a famous Grammarian; A *Samian*, a skillful Painter; A Son of *Lyargus*, K. of *Sparta*, a Rhetorician; and one of *Argos*, who sav'd 1200 young *Corinthians*, whom *Philo* Captain of the *Argives*, would have slain.

Abromicus, a Noble Athenian, who served under *Themistocles* in the Per-

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sian War.

Abromus, Son of *Darius*, who followed *Xerxes* into Greece, and was kill'd at the Streights of *Thermopylae*.

Abuckbanaya, Lat. *Aurazicum*, a T. in *Transilvania*.

Abruzz, *Abruzzi*, or *Abruzzo*, Lat. *Apurium*, a Country of the Kingdom of *Naples*, in the Gulph of *Vesuvius*; It was the Seat of the ancient and valiant *Samnites* and *Piceni*, and is now the greatest, richest, most fertile, and most populous of any part of the Kingdom of *Naples*.

Abisalom, Son of *David*, a beautiful, but bold and aspiring Pr. who Rebelling and Usurping the Government, was at length slain by *Josh*, *David's* General.

Abisalon, a learned and pious Bishop of *Reykild* in *Denmark*, in the 12th Cent. was first a Canon Regular of the *Augustin* Priars in the Abby of *St. Genevieve* in *Paris*, when *Ulademar* I. K. of *Denmark* made Bishop, Chief Minister of State, and his Ambassador into *France*.

Abisander, the 19th K. of *Athens*, who succeeded *Hippomanes*.

Abissine, (*William*) Born at *Breda*, was a worthy Person, who turn'd *Catholican*, wrote divers pious Treatises, and died in 1471.

Abismarus, or *Abismarus*, (*Tiberius*), made Emp. of the East by the Soldiers instead of *Leontius*, subdued the *Sarmians*, and was an Enemy to Pope *John VI.* He was put to Death at *Constantinople* by *Justinian II.* and fled to *Trebislandus* K. of *Bulgaria*.

Abisus, now *Gyros*, an Isle near the Shore of *Liberia*, with an Episcopel City of the same Name, and to *Crocy* by a Bridge; Now under the *Venetians*. Its also the Name of a T. built by the *Colchians*, who came with *Alyssus* in Search of his Silver *Medea*.

Abstemius, (*Lawrence*) born in *Macerata* in Italy, taught a school in

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the *Anomeans*, (a sort of more refin'd *Arians*) of which being Condemn'd, the *Semi-Arians* depos'd him; and in return he condemn'd them in the Council of *Constantinople* in 360.

Acacius, of *Alexandria*, a Captain under *Adrian*, was hang'd for being a Christian. Another *Acacius* was also Martyr'd under *Decius* the Emp.

Acadus, Lat. *Sangarius*, a R. of *Bithynia*.

Academia, a Grove without the Walls of *Athens*, where *Plato* first Taught Philosophy, and hence his Disciples are called *Academicks*. Some call it *Academia* from *Academus*, an *Athenian*, and others from *Cadmus*, a *Phenician*, and the Restorer of Polite Learning. There were three sorts of *Academicks*, the *Ancient*, the *Middle*, and the *Modern*. *Plato* was the Author of the *Ancient*, *Arcefilas* of the *Middle*, and *C Carneades* of the *Modern*. Some pretend there was a 4th and 5th Sect of the *Academicks*:

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Academy Royal of Sciences, consisting of Physicians and Mathematicians, settled by Mr. *Colbert* in 1666. Likewise an *Academy Royal of Architecture*, settled by the same Mr. *Colbert* in 1671.

Academa, a Fountain or Lake in *Sicily*, sacred to the *Palick*, and famous for detecting the Truth of an Oath, by Writing the Oath upon Boards, and throwing these into the Basin. If the Boards sunk, the Person was Forsworn; if they swam, the Oath was accounted true.

Acafran, *Chinaful*, a R. of *Mauritania*.

Acallis, or *Aacalis*, said to be Daugh. to *Minos*, and one of *Mercury's* Wives, by whom he got *Cydon*, the reputed Founder of *Cydonia*, now *Canea*, in *Candy*.

Acamantis, one of the ten Tribes of the *Athenians*, so called from *Acamas*, Son to *Theseus*.

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Esolia by the R. *Acbelous*, and x Swift throng *Horfes*, and for tury and Lechery of its Inha-

There was also a T. in *Si-* the same Name.

nas, and *Amphoterus*, sons of u and *Alphesibea*, kill'd by other's Brothers, in Revenge Father's Death, whom these had Murther'd. Some say, *enas* built a T. called *Acu-* *Epirus*.

us, Son to *Pelius*, K. of *Thef-* He Married *Hippolita*, who in Love with *Peleus*, her Son- and he denying her, she ac- m to her Husband of a Rape, treupon slew 'em both.

horus, a great Bay in the *A-* ica towards *Egypt*.

bistos, a Hymn which the Cler- *Constantinople* sung standing in ght, to the Blessed Virgin.

ia, a City of *Japan*, 25 Leag. *Masio*, the Capital of that om.

uisa, the Port of *St. Salva-* *Gustimala*, on the *South Sea*. 13 Deg.

t, (*Laurentia*) Wife of *Faustu-* *Numitor's* Shepherd, nurs'd s and *Remus*. She was also *Lupa*, from her whorish, rapa- temper.

or Accus, a famous *Englisb* cated by the Care of *Boja*, A. t, and Friend of venerable to whom he writ a Letter con- the Explanation of the Evan-

He died about the Y. 740.

idia, a Prov. of *New-France* in *erica*. The *Englisb* possess'd , and called it, *New-Scotland* ; y gave it up to the *French* by ace of *Breda* in 1567. The Place in it is *Port-Royal*.

va, the Great and Less, two in *Guinea*, between the R. de and Fort *St. George de Mina-* *vif*, (*Francis*) a famous *Ita-* *myer* born at *Ancona*, who was

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Professor of the Civil Law first at *Si-* *ena*, and then at *Pisa*. He died in 1622.

Accarisi, (*James*) of *Bologna* in *Italy*, was a Philosopher, a Doctor in Divinity, Taught Rhetorick, and liv'd about the Y. 1627.

Accaron, *Ekron*, formerly a famous C. of the *Philistines*, now a poor Vil- lage called by the same Name.

Acceptus, Liv'd towards the end of the 4th Cent. and was chosen Bp. of *Friuli*, notwithstanding his declining that Dignity by accusing himself falsely of several Crimes.

Accho, a T. of *Palestine*, never subdued by the *Israelites*.

Acti, or *Acci Guadix*, once an E- piscopal C. of *Spain*, in the Kingdom of *Granada*, taken from the *Moors* in 1489. V. *Guadix*.

Accia, a C. and Bishoprick of the Island of *Corfica*, now ruin'd, and the Bishoprick united with that of *Ma-* *rizana*.

Accia, or *Alia*, daughter to *M. Ali-* *us Balbus*, 2d Wife to *C. Octavius*, and Mother of the Emp. *Augustus* ; died Ann. 711. at *Rome*.

Acciaioli, a noble and ancient Fa- mily of *Florence*. once Sovereigns of *Corinth*, *Thebes*, and *Athens*.

Acciaioli, (*Donatus*) of the same Family, was famous for his Learning, and his Translations of some of *Ph-* *araoh's* Lives, and his Epitome of *Charlemagne's* Life.

Acciaioli, (*Reiner*) Duke of *Athens*, expelled the *Aragonians* from thence. Having no Legitimate Sons, he left *Athens* to the *Venetians*, and *Beotia* and *Thebes* to his Natural Son *Anto-* *nio*, who possess'd himself likewise of *Athens*.

Acciaioli, (*Zenobius*) a *Florentine*, and a Learned Monk of the Order of *St. Dominique*, was Keeper of the *Vatican Library* from the Y. 1518. to the Y. 1520. when he died. He left some *Latin* Translations of the Fa- thers behind him. There are also extant

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Scotland first be, in. *Achais* succour'd the *Poles* against the *English* with 10000 Men, and died *Ann.* 809. in the 22d Y. of his Reign.

Achbaluc, or *Achbaluc-Mangi*, a small Vill. of the Kingdom of *Cashay*, in the Prov. of *Tainfu*.

Achale, a Spanish Isle near *Malaga*.

Achaly, K. of the *Saracens*, who succeeded *Makomet* after *Caliphs*, *Ann.* 657.

Acham, a Prov. of *Africa*, on the Coast of *Zanguebar*, subject to the *Arabians*.

Achamla, Vill. *Ceylon*.

Achami, a T. of *Arabia*, where *Eupolemus* says *David's* Fleet was rigg'd out which he sent to *Ophir*.

Achan, an *Israelite*, who stole the *Wedge of Gold*, &c. the occasion of the *Israelites* defeat by the Men of *Ais*: but being discover'd, he was Stoned to Death, and Burnt, with

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his, fought with *Hercules* for *Deianira*, but being over-match'd, he turn'd himself into a Serpent, and then into a Bull, one of whose Horns *Hercules* having cut off, he fled to the R. *Iboas*, afterwards called *Achelous* by his Name.

Achelous, (now *Pachichlione*) a R. rising out of Mount *Pindus*. There is another R. of that Name in the *Morea*.

Achem, a C. of *Sumatra* in *India*, standing by the Sea-side, about 5 Deg. from the *Equator*, with the King's Palace in the midst of it. In 1616. the K. put to Sea, and expell'd the *Portuguese* from the Fort in *Pacem*. *Achem* was since taken by the *Portuguese*.

Achemenes, or *Achæmenes*, was Father to *Cambyses*, and Grandfather to *Cyrus* first K. of *Persia*, according to *Herodotus*; tho' the same Author seems to intimate, that there was

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ly, that he let 'em go. Hence came the Proverb, *Ne in Melampyrum incidas.*

Acherry, a T. in *Ireland*, of the Co. of *Slego*, in the Prov. of *Conaught*, 16 Miles S. of *Slego*, very much decay'd since its Bishoprick was united to *Elphin* in *Roscommon*.

Acheui, K. of *Japan*, slew *Nobienaga*, the lawful King, because he would be ador'd like a God.

Acherius, (*Luke*) a pious and learned Person of the Order of *St. Bennet*, publish'd the Works of *Lawfrank* Abp. of *Canterbury* in 1647. and 12 Vol. in 4to. of curious Pieces, collected from many Libraries: The Title of 'em is *Spicilegium*. He died in *Paris*, Ann. 1685.

Acheron, a R. of *Epirus*, running into the Bay of *Ambracia*. The Poets feign'd it to be the Son of *Ceres*, whom she had in Hell, for fear of the *Titanus*, that threatned the Ruin of her Family, and chang'd into a R. over which Souls departed were Ferried. The Ancients plac'd Hell in *Epirus*, because the Mines there destroyed abundance of Slaves.

Acherrez, K. of *Egypt*, call'd *Pharaoh* in Scripture, the same that so often refus'd to let the *Israelites* go, and was drown'd in the *Red Sea*.

Acherusia, now *Lago de la Coliccia*, a Lake in *Campania*. Also a Lake in *Epirus*, whence *Acheron* flows. Also a Cavern in *Bithynia* near *Heraclea*, through which *Hercules* drew *Cerberus* out of Hell, at the Mouth of the Lake of the same Name, where *Charon* kept his Ferry.

Acheus, a Tragick Greek Poet of *Eretria*, Son to *Pisiodorus*.

Acheus, another Greek Tragedian of *Syracuse*. *Achiz* had its Name from one *Acheus*, Son to *Xuthus* and *Cressa*.

Achizab, Grandson to K. *Herod* the Great, who hindred this Prince from stabbing himself.

Achill Islands, are in the W. of *Ireland* and belong to the Co. of *Limerick*, in the Prov. of *Conaught*.

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Actillaum, now *Capo di Croce*, a Cape of *Asiatick Sarmatia*, in the *Cimmerian Bosphorus*, at the Mouth of the *Palus Maeotis*. Also a T. of *Troas* near *Achilles's Tomb*.

Achillas, a Captain under the last of the *Protsmies*, Kings of *Egypt*, at whose instigation he Murder'd *Pompey*.

Achillea, a Fountain nigh *Miletum*, whose Waters are brackish in the Spring, and sweet in the Stream: It has its Name from *Achilles*, who Bath'd himself in it.

Achilles, *Achilles* his Race, a Peninsula near the Mouth of *Boristhenes*, where *Achilles* used to Exercise himself and his Men by Running.

Achilleus, a Roman Captain, who having rebell'd in *Egypt* against the Emperor *Dioclesian*, was afterwards taken, and expos'd to the Lions.

Achilles. There have been several Persons of this Name. The first was Born of the Earth, and persuaded *Juno* to Marry *Jupiter*; wherefore *Jupiter* promis'd him, that all who should bear his Name should be famous. The Centaur *Chiron's* Tutor was called *Achilles*, and that's the Reason *Chiron* gave the Name of *Achilles* to *Thetis's* Son, his Disciple. He that invented the *astrachin* in *Athens*, was called *Achilles*. There was also a Son of *Jupiter* and *Lamia* of that Name, to whom the God *Pan*, gave the Prize of Beauty. There have been 55 other celebrated *Achilles's*, (Vide *Baile's Dict.*) the most remarkable of which is,

Achilles, a Grecian Hero, Son of *Peleus* and *Thetis*. His Mother had him Taught by the Centaur *Chiron*, who fed him with Lion's Marrow to make him Valiant; and being foretold that he should be kill'd at the Siege of *Troy*, she hid him in Women's Apparel, among the Daughters of *Lycomedes*, K. of *Agros*, where he deslowred *Deianira*; but being discovered by *Ulysses*, he was thereupon forced to go. Disgusted at

Claudius) of *Bologna*, famous in Philosophy, Poetry, Oratory, Mathematics. He died in 1640.

prince of the *Ammonites*, angry with *Holofernes* for the sake of the *Israelites*, *Holofernes* was dead, and beheaded, he was himself

son of *Gash*, to whose side retir'd when he fled

deft Son of *Bajazet II.* he *Turks*, strangled by one who did the same by him to make way to the Crown. Son of *Seirim*, an Author of the Interpretation of the Scriptures to the *Doctrines Persians*, and *Egyptians*. Emp. of the *Turks*, succeeded *Mahomet III.* at 15. The *Sophy* of *Persia*, in the age of his Youth, took the name of *Erzerum*. He was in *Silvania*, *Valachia*, and by the means of *Bossey*, who was at the Emp. of *Germany*, attack'd on every side.

in a *War*; and renewed Peace with the Emp. in 1664. In 1666. he died *Candy*, and died in 1670. Dropfie.

Ascho, K. of *Normandy*, took many brides from the *Scots*; and in that Kingdom with a Fleet of Ships, seiz'd the Castle of *Arundel* was routed by *Alexander III.* in

Ascolius, Abp. of *Theffalon* the 4th Age, shut himself up in a Monastery when very young, became so famous for his Learning and Piety, that he was soon removed

Ascollus, an Historian, was Master of the Ceremonies to the Emperor *Galienus*. He writ the Life of *Emperor Severus*, and several other

Askomet, Son to *Chersek* Petty K. of *Ilyria*. His Father having seen the Lady he was just to marry, fell so desperately in love with her, that he married her the same day; which so enraged the young Prince, that he turned him out, changing the Name of *Stephen* that of *Askomet*; and got to the favour of *Bajazet II.* that he gave him his Daughter. He was still faithful to the Christians, and persuaded the Sultan to make Peace with

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the Metropolis of *Macedonia*, and it stands, and of *Bulgaria*. the *Turks* called *Giustandi*, and strong C. 118 Miles E. of *nium*.

Acchyrum, a C. of *Po* the R. *Wersklow*, in the *Polbinia*, towards the Borders *ry*, with a strong Castle, a *Polonian* Miles N. of the *mes*.

Acchyrum, a Sea-Port-T. of the E. beyond *Ganges*, near the Bay *gela*, in the Kingdom of *Pegu*. *Acchia*, *Venus*, so called from a in in *Baotia*.

Acilius, (*Valens*) Rector of the of *Silefia*, had been he best Criticks of these latter and he liv'd to bring to Per- the *Trients* he receiv'd from . He died in 1595.

Acino, a small C. in the Co. of *iso*, a Bp. under the Abp. of *is* from whence it is distant 25 to the S. E.

Acino, or *Acilius*, a R. in *Sicily*, *Larsalla*, *Leander Albertus* says the same with the *Acithius* of *is*.

Acilius, head of the illustrious of the *Acilii* in *Rome*.

Acilius, (*Salbus*) Consul with *Caio*, 639. ab U. C. in whose ship it rain'd Blood and Milk.

Acilius, (*Caius*) *Butas*, once *Præ*-rew so Poor, that he was forc'd the Assistance of *Iberius*, who him with this cold Answer, *wait'd a little too late*, alluding former Custom of turning Day light.

Acilius, (*Caius*) *Glabrio*, Tribune of ople, ab. U. C. 533. Decemvir *trator* 548. and Consul 562. ame *Antiochus* at *Thermopyla*, ich he Triumph'd.

Acilius, (*Caius*) a Valiant Soldier *lius Caesar's* Army, who signa- *imely* in a Sea-fight near *Mar-*

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Acilius Glabrio, (*Marcus*) M. F. *Duumvir*, built a Temple in the Herb-Market, to make good his Fathers Vow, when he routed K. *Antiochus* at *Thermopyla*, and therein placed a gilded Statue to his Father, the first that ever was in *Italy*, U. C. 573.

Acilius Glabrio, (*Marcus*) made a severe Law against Bribery.

Acilius Glabrio, (*Marcus*) Consul, U. C. 843. under *Domitian*, who kill'd his Son, on pretence that he fought with wild Beasts, but really because he dreaded his Strength, having killed a Lion in *Africa*.

Acindynus, (*Gregory*) a Greek Monk of the XIVth Cen. in Conjunction with *Barlaam*, undertook to confound the *Hesychastes*, a sort of *Quietists* of those times, but they prov'd too strong and powerful for them.

Acis, a beautiful *Sicilian* Swain, of whom *Polyphemus* was so jealous, on *Galatea's* Account, that he dash'd his Brains out against a Rock. Afterwards *Galatea* chang'd him into a R. of his own Name, now called *Freddo*.

Acitani, an ancient People of *Spain*, who ador'd *Mars*.

Ackersundr, a small Island on the S. of *Norwaty* toward *Frederickstadt*.

Ailamar, Lat. *Mantiana*, a Great Lake in *Turcomania*, called *Geluckeluz* by some, and *Vastun*, or *Abzumaz* by others.

Acle, *Aclea*, or *Ailech*, a Place in the Diocesis of *Durham*, where the Bishops met in Council in 788. and there regulated Church-Discipline.

Acme, a Jewish Maid, Servant to *Julius Caesar's* Wife. Bribe'd by *Antipater*, *Herod's* Son, she accus'd *Salome Herod's* Sister of a Plot; but the Falsity being found out, *Acme* was ad- judg'd to Die by *Caesar*.

Acmales, *Acnode*, or *Ænode*, Islands in the N. of *Scotland*, mentioned by *Pliny*, and taken for the *Hebrides*, but are no other than the *Isles of Schesland* in the *Deucalido-*

ey continued Nigh
in the Temple, singing and
God, first founded at Con-
stople in 459. They embraced
the Doctrines of Nestorius, and were
condemned in 532.

Acath, so the Greeks called the
Acathari, because they would never al-
low of different Opinions; afterwards ap-
peared as perished in the Faith;
an Inferiour Order of the

Acath, a T. of N. America in Mex-
ico, a fortified Castle: It is com-
monly called St. Stephen d'Acath.

Acath, a little T. and Castle in
Saxony, 2 Miles from Dessau.

Acath, or Acath, a Sea-Port-T. in
Asia, on the Euxine Sea, near
the Pontus, now called Lagula,
about 10 E. of Heraclea. Its famous
poisonous Plants: Hence Aconitum.

Acath, a Hill in Bithynia, near
Acath, where the Herb Aconitum

Acath, a youth of Crete, who
went to Delos to pay his Vows to
Apollo, fell in Love with Cydippe,
who was much above his Condition;
not knowing how to obtain her,
he wrote two Verses on a Golden

Y. or the Julian Perio-
derable Succours to En-
Cyprius, his Ally against
Acath, (Christopher)

Acath, (Joseph) an
Acath, born at Medina
the Kingdom of Leon,
Acath at Salamanca.

Acath, long time in Spain, at
Acath made Provincial of Peru
he spent 17 Y. in con-
voyages. Returning in
Acath was made Rector of the
Acath at Salamanca, where he
leaving several Books by

Acath, or Zacath, (Zacath)
Acath a Spaniard, Grand Master
Acath who built St. Nicholas's
Acath Mouth of the Haven of
Acath the Colossus formerly stood
in 1457.

Acath, a C.
Acath Italy in St. Peter's Patri-
Terr. of Croceto; w
See.

Acath, or Acqu-
C. of Italy in the Duk-
Acath, famous for the Me-
about it.

Acath, See Dax.

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Acraib, or *Beder Velez*, no more, a C. in the Kingdom or on the *Mediterranean Sea*, 30. Leagues from *Malaga*. It's h to the *Spaniards*.

Acraus, or *Acraes*, the Ge of the *Bacchantes*, whole Mouth was painted in Figures.

Acraus, one of the wicked si- fiers of *Nere's* Impieties, Propriations and Sacrilegges.

Acra, St. *John d'Acra*, Acc an *Ptolemais*, a very ancient Epici C. of *Palestine*, under the A. c 1 . It was a Colony of the *Rmp. Cl* .

Afterwards it fell into the Ha of the *Arabian Turks*, who kept it till the *15th War*, when it was retaken by the *Christians*, An. 1104. in 1187. The *Turks* took it a second time under *Salaids*, and it was wrested from them in 1191, by *Guy K. of Ferul*.

Rick K. of England, and *Ph R. of France* : But the *Christia* disagreeing about the Possession of it, *Sultan Melech Seraf* took it the 3d time, and demolished it. The T. is well fortified, and had formerly a very good Haven, but now the Mole being ruin'd, its full of dangerous Shelves.

Acridophagi, a People of *Aethiopia*, so call'd from their feeding on Locusts, dried and salted. They are light, nimble, and swift, but short-liv'd; and die, having their Guts eat out by Worms, which proceeds partly from the Air, and partly from the Food.

Acrifus, K. of *Argos*, being told he should be kill'd by his Grandchild, he caus'd his only Daughter *Danae* to be lock'd up in a Brazen Tower: But *Jupiter* finding his way through the Tiles in a Golden Shower, begot *Perseus* on her, whom *Acrifus*, having put into a Chest, with his Mother, threw them into the Sea, and they were luckily cast on the Isle *Serphus*; when a Fisherman found the Chest, and presented it to K. *Pilum-*

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mus, who fell in Love with *Danae*, and Married her. After *Perseus* had slain the *Gorgons*, he carried *Medusa's* Head to *Argos*, at the sight whereof *Acrifus* was turn'd into a Stone.

Acroathion, by the *Greeks* called *Holy Mountain*, now *Cima de Monte Santo*, is a Hill, in that part of *Macedon*, called *Famboli*, where is a great Monastery of the *Greeks*.

Acroceraunia Fuga, now *Momi de le Chimere*, or *Montes Diaboli*, are a ridge of Mountains 'twixt *Albania* and *Epirus*.

Acrocomes, a People of *Thrace*, so call'd, because they wore their Hair long before, like Women.

Acro-Corinthus, a Hill hanging over *Corinth*, serving for a Cittadel, being Wall'd about.

Acron, a Captain, or K. of the *Cenimates*, near *Rome*, who warr'd against *Romulus*, for having taken 643 of their Women and Virgins at some Festivals. *Romulus* slew him in Battle.

Acron, or *Acronius*, (*Fohn*) *Physician* and *Mathematician* of *Friesland*, who wrote several Tracts, and taught *Physick* and the *Mathematicks* at *Basil*, where he died, in 1553.

Acron, of *Agigentum* in *Sicily*, was a famous *Physician* in the Reign of *Artaxerxes Longimanus*, K. of *Persia*, who founded the Sect of *Empiricks*, and wrote several *Physical Tracts*.

Acron, a *Grammarian*, who Commented upon *Horace*.

Acronius, (*Fohn*) See *Acron*.

Acronius, an Isle just below *Constance* on the *Rhine*, about 12 Miles long. The Lake of *Constance* is also called by this Name.

Acropolis, a Cittadel belonging to *Athens*, built on a steep Rock, having but one Ascent; at the bottom whereof stood the Magnificent Temples of *Minerva* and *Victory*. *Minerva's* Temple is yet in being.

Acrotatus, Son of *Cleomenes*, K. of *Sparta*, opposing the Power of the *Ephori*,

in Love with him, which is
Thymus, that he sent for
to Besiege *Sparta*, and re-
Quarrel; but *Pyrrhus* be-
off and defeated by *Acro-*
Spartans applauded him,
financed his Amours with
Lake in *Bithynia*, and a R.
Name.

Ascerai, *Am-Zarba*, *Ana-*
C. of *Cilicia*, on the R. *Py-*
formerly an Abp. under the
Antioch; now ruined by the

, or *Astede*, a T. in *Ger-*
the Dukedom of *Bremen*,
the *Swedes*.

, Son of *Aristeus*, was a
er of Hunting. One day,
pursuing a Hart, he spied
athing her self with her
; which so enraged the
that she threw Water upon
chang'd him into a Hart,
wards he was torn in pieces
n Dogs.

, Son of *Melissus*, a most
and modest Boy, refus'd to
the brutish Passion of *Archias*,
st of the *Corinthians*, who

or . II III *Antiochus*
time or *yeptiba*.

Adium, a Cape of *Epi-*
Capo Figulo, near which, *A.*
Augustus overcame *Mark*
built the City *Nicopolis*, in
of the Victory; instituted t
Games, and repair'd the T
Apollo there, new dedicati
Mars and *Neptune*.

Astius Navius, a famous
and an Augur in *Tarquin*
who cut a Whetstone in t
Razor, to confirm the S
Augury, which *Tarquin* dis

Astius Tullius, P. of the *Vols-*
tain'd *Coriolanus*, an Exile fr
and having by a Stratagem
the *Volsi* against the *Rom*
took up Arms and Belieged
der the Conduct of *Coriolan*.

Aston, (*Ralph*) a Doctor
nity bred at *Oxford* in the
He wrote several Comment
Tracts.

Aston, an *English* learned
the Order of *St. Dominiq*
15th Age, who wrote son
and Sermons.

Aston, a little T. 5 Miles
London, where are *Phyf*

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Admetus, by his Mother's Name. There have been several other *Adors*.

Adorites, so is called *Patroclus*, son of *Menetius*, and Grandchild of *Ador*. Also two Brothers, Charioteers, so unanimous, that one held the Reins, the other the Whip, which caused them to be pictur'd with two Heads, four Hands, and one Body, to represent Unity.

Adorius, (*Naso*) a Latin Historian in the time of *Julius* or *Augustus* Cæsar.

Adurius, a famous Greek Physician, who lived about the Y. 1100. and writ several Tracts of Physick in Greek.

Adams, (*Christopher de*) a Spanish Jesuit, who enter'd the Society in 1612. He was sent to preach the Gospel in the Kingdoms of *Chili* and *Feru* in *America*, from whence he return'd in 1640. and the next year publish'd an exact Account of the R. of the *Amazons*.

Adasilus and *Damagetas*, two Brothers, Sons of *Diagoras*, both victorious in the *Olympick* Games, and much honour'd by the *Greeks* for their Valour.

Adasilus, an *Asbenian* Rhetorician, who got a 100000 Crowns at *Rome*, by keeping a School, which sum he left to the *Asbenians*.

Adum Promontorium, Gall. *Cape des Aiguilles*, is the furthest part of the *Cape of Good Hope*, in the Southern *Africa*.

Acud, Lat. *Acudia*, a little T. in *Moldavia*, on the R. *Missova*, below the T. of *Brainslow*.

Adi, Countess of *Holland*, succeeded her Father *Thierry VII.* 1203. She Married a Count of *Loes*, which so displeas'd her Subjects and Neighbouring Princes, that they set up her Uncle *William I.* against her, who seiz'd *Holland* in 1204.

Adi, Sister to *Arkamisia*, Q. of *Cyprus*, Married her own Brother *Hypocras*, and Reign'd with him after

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the Death of *Artemisia*. *Hysireus* Reign'd 7 Y. and died without Issue. His Widow having Reign'd 4 years longer, was dispossest'd by *Pexadorus* her younger Brother, who Married his Daughter (called also *Ala*) to *Orontobates* a *Persian* Lord, who 6 Y. after succeeded his Father-in-Law, and defended *Halicarnassus* against *Alexander the Great*. *Ala* retir'd into the Fortrefs of *Alinda*, and afterwards put it into *Alexander's* Hands. The Conqueror having taken *Halicarnassus*, restor'd her to her Kingdom of *Caria*.

Adad, the Deity of the *Assyrians*, signifying *One*, and intimating the Sun; They allow'd him for Wife the Goddess *Adargyris*, by which they meant the Earth.

Adad, or *Hadad*, (or *Benhadad*) I. of that Name, K. of *Damascus* and *Syria*, coming to help *Hadarezer* K. of *Zobab* against *David*, was defeated with the loss of 22000 of his Men.

Adad, or *Hadad*, an *Edomite* Prince, whom God suffer'd to give some Disturbance to K. *Solomon*, to punish him for his Impieties.

Adalbert, Son of *Ladislaus*, K. of *Bohemia*, and chosen Abp. of *Salzburg* in *Bavaria*, in 1168.

Adaldagus, Abp. of *Hamburg*, and Chancellor to Three Emperors, was Author of many of the good Laws they made, and erected three Bishopricks in *Fusland*.

Adalgarius, a Monk, afterwards Bishop of *Bremen*, being cited to *Rome* by *Formosus*, to make good his Title to the Bpk. he neither went, nor sent. He instituted a College of Preachers to propagate the Faith in the North, and died in 909.

Adalgijus, Son of *Dionisius* the last K. of the *Lombards*, fled to *Verona*, and from thence to *Constantinople*, after his Father had been beaten and dispossest by *Charlemagne*. In 775 the Greek Emp. lent him some Troops,

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with which he made a Descent into *Calabria*, but was forced to retire.

Adam, the Stock and Father of all Mankind, created immediately by God on the 6th day, and call'd *Adam*, that is, *Red Earth*, to denote his Extraction. What is related of his Knowledge in all Sciences, and especially in *Astrology*, is all conjecture.

Adam, of *Orlton*, born at *Hereford* in the 14th Age. He was Doctor of Law, and afterwards Bp. of *Hereford*, *Worcester*, and *Winchester*. He occasioned great Broils in the Kingdom, and was the Author of that ambiguous Answer which cost *K. Edward* his Life, *Edwardum Regem occidere nolumus timere bonum est*. He died Blind and unlamented in 1375.

Adam, or *Adamantio*, an *Austin* Friar, learned in the Orient. Lang. who was sent to the Council of *Trent* by the *Swiss* Catholick Cantons.

Adamantio, Brother, Canon of that

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Adam recanted, and writ Books address'd to his Countrymen, to bring 'em over to the Church of *Rome*.

Adam, (*John*) a *French* Jesuit of the 17th Age, famous for his bold way of Preaching, and the Controversies he maintain'd against the Protestants of *France*. He was last of all Superior of the Jesuit's College in *Bordeaux*, where he died in 1680.

Adam, (*Melchior*) a famous Rector of the College of *Heidelberg*, has writ the Lives of several illustrious Philosophers, Divines, Lawyers, and Physicians, and some other Books. He died in 1622.

Adamantæ, nurs'd *Jupiter* in the Isle of *Crete*, having his Cradle on the top of a Tree, that his Father *Saturn* might not find him, either in Heaven, Earth, or the Sea; causing Boys to make a rattling noise round the Tree to drown *Jove's* crying.

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in *Syria*, who was beaten by *David*. *Jefepbus* calls him *Adrazar*.

Adargatis, *Adergatis*, or *Atergatis*, a *Syrian* Goddess, half human Shape, and half a Fish, worshipped by the Name of *Dagon*.

Adargyris, See *Adad*.

Adisa, a C. of *Judea*, near *Bethborm*, where *Judas Maccabeus* defeated and slew *Nicanor*.

Adantunus, Captain of the *Son-tines*, (a People of *Gaul* in *Guienne*) hearing of the coming of *Crassus*, whom *Cæsar* had sent before him to check the Rebels, he met him in his march, and so stoutly defended the Capital City, that *Crassus* was oblig'd to grant him honourable Terms to bring him to a Surrender.

Adda, a R. that parts the Dukedom of *Milan* from the State of *Venice*. It rises in the *Alps*, and falls into *Po*, 6 Miles above *Cremona*.

Adda, called also *Giera d'Adda*, a little Country in the Dutchy of *Milan*, between the Rivers *Adda* and *Serio*.

Alea, a Prov. of Upper *Aethiopia*, bordering on the Red-Sea E. once subject to the K. of *Abissinia*, but now to the *Portuguese*. It is a fruitful Woody Country.

Adezele, *Chrysorroas*, a R. of *Damascus*, in Scripture called *Pharpar*, rises in *Libanus*, and is lost in the Fields of *Damascus* before it reaches the Sea.

Adel, a Kingdom of *Africa*, (formerly called *Azaniz*) between the *Abyssines*, the Kingdom of *Aler*, the Streights of *Babel-Mandel*, and the Oriental Sea. The K. is a *Mahometan*, and a profest Enemy to the Christians, chiefly to the *Abyssines*, from under whose Dominion his Subjects revolted in 1540.

Adel I. K. of *Sweden*, is said to have Reign'd before the Birth of our Lord. He was the Son of *Goskar*, and died with a fall from his Horse.

Adel II. K. of *Sweden*, reign'd from the Year 427. to 433.

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Adelais, Daughter of *Rodolphus*, K. of *Burgundy*, Wife of *Lothaire II.* called the Young K. of *Italy*, and Mother of *Lewis V.* surnamed *Do-Linle*. After *Lothaire's* Death, she refusing the Courtship of *Berenger II.* Usurper of her Kingdom, he besieg'd her in *Pavia*, took and sent her to a strong Castle, where she was forced to beg her Bread; whence escaping, she Married *Otho the Great*, Emp. of *Germany*, bore him three Sons, and govern'd the Empire during her Son *Otho II's* Non-Age. She died in 999.

Adelbert, Son of *Berenger II.* Crown'd K. of *Italy*, by means of *Otho the Great*; but revolting from him, with his Brother *Guy*, they were both defeated in 965. by Duke *Burchard*, *Otho's* Lieutenant. In 958. *Adelbert* trying another Battel lost it, and died with Grief.

Adelbert, a Bp. of *Prague*, in the 10th Age, left the *Bokemians* because of their Enormities. He converted *Stephen K.* of *Hungary*, and almost all his Country, and was made Abp. of *Gnesna* in *Poland*.

Adelbert, Count of *Hierex*, Father of *Berenger K.* of *Italy*. He was very charitable, but so ambitious, that he endeavour'd to Dephrone K. *Lambert*, afterwards his Father-in-Law, who surprized and took him hiding himself in a Hedge.

Adelbert, Abp. of *Mentz*, incens'd *Henry the Son* against the Emp. *Henry IV.* his Father, and the Emp. against the Pope; and then perswaded *Calixtus II.* to Excommunicate the Emp. which kindled a Civil War in *Germany*.

Adelbert, a Bp. of *Prague*, in 997. who endeavouring to Convert the Heathenish *Prussians*, was by 'em cut in pieces, and thrown to the Fowls of the Air.

Adelbert, called the Bear, Lord of *East Sclavia*, having extirpated the rebellious *Sclavi*, repopled their

Urban II. The

and advised her to go into

S. of *Germany*, after his
; in his Reign the
rich'd out of *Asia* into
his Prince forc'd them to
again.

, Wife to *Frederick* Pr. of
tiful, but unchaste, and
his Marquess of *Thurin-*
Contrivance kill'd her
and afterwards Married

a People of *Spain*, so
their foretelling Futuri-
tipping of Birds, Meet-

Arthelmus, or *Alulenus*,
earned *English* Bp. of the
son of *Kenlennus*, who
to *Ina*, K. of the *West*
he was first Abbot of
and then Bishop of the

. He wrote several
poes and Verse.

or *Adhermar*, much in
Charlemagne, writ a Hi-
which *Almoiu* has

now subject to the Duke of Ne
14 Miles almost N. E. of *Colog*
Adcodarus, a Pope, who d
676.

Adeona, a Goddess worshipt
Heathens for Liberty of Access

Aderbern, a T. of *Germany*
merania, on the R. *Oder*, a lit
low *Stetin*, subject to the *Swee*

Aderburg, a small C. on
Oder, in the Marquissate of *B*
burgh, 9 Leagues from *Stetin*

Ades, or *Hades*, the God o
so call'd by the *Greeks*, and

Latins, *Dis* and *Pluto*. Also
the *Molossi*, by the R. *Acheron*

Daughter *Piritheus* would h
vis'd, which occasion'd the S

his going into Hell. Also
Epirus, who employ'd a grea

Men in Mines, where most
he was called the God of H

Riches.

Adgandestrius, Pr. of tin
a People of *Germany*, having

Rome for Poison, in order to
away with *Arminius*, Genera
Cerulci. he was answer'd, T

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Isidore, Agrius, a Jewish Soldier with two more, got into the Camp, while he beseged Jerusalem, and set it on Fire.

Ismerus, Tetrarch of Galatia, to give Favour with **Mark Anthony**, sold the whole Roman Colony **Brades Parus**; and being taken off by **Augustus**, at the Battle of Actium, was led in Triumph, and slain.

Ispe, Lat. **Aspeis**, Germ. **Eich**, of Italy, springs out of Mount **Ime** in Tyrol; it waters **Trent**, discharges **Verona**, and passing **Legnago**, **Iso**, and **Anguillara**, falls into the **Adriatic Sea**, 18 Miles S. of **Venice**.

Ilianus, an **Athenian** General, came with his whole Fleet by the night, who kill'd all his Companions, because they design'd to cut the Hands of all such **Lacedaemonians** as they should take; but spar'd because he was against their Religion. Also a **Corinthian** General, reproached **Themistocles** as an exile; to which he answer'd, That was no Exile, who had 200 Gallies depending on him. Also a K. of **Phliagians**, killed by a Thunder, because he thought **Jove** unworthy of his Sacrifice. Also the Her of **Plato**.

Ilianus, K. of **Thessaly**, whose **Is Apollo** kept 9 Y. being dead of his Godship, **Apollo** obtain'd he **Perce**, that they would not the Thread of **Admetus's** Life, here could be found any that would Die for him. **Alcestris** his Wife the only Person that offer'd her to save her Husband, whom **Proserpine** pitying, restored her to life.

Island, a small Isle in the Coast of **Nova Zembla**, N. of **Siberia**.

Isle, a Bp. of **Vienne** in **Dauphine**, rector of the 9th Age.

Isidore, a K. of **Phoenicia**, whom **Isidore** calls K. of the Gods,

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ador'd by the **Assyrians**, under the Name of **Adad**.

Adolphus, Count of **Nassau**, chosen Emp. by the Arts of **Gerard ab Appenstem**, Abp. of **Mentz**, to the Disappointment of **Albert** of **Austria**; who at length made War upon him, and kill'd him with his own Hand in a Battle near **Spire** in 1298. after he had reign'd 6 Y. **Adolphus** had Children by **Imagina**, Daughter of **Gerard** Count of **Limburgh**, which make the Branch of the House of **Nassau-Sarbruck**.

Adolphus, K. of **Sweden**, before Christ: He vanquish'd the K. of **Denmark**, and made him his Tributary.

Adolphus, Abp. of **Cologne**, was a great Enemy to the Protestants, and rose on the Ruins of his Predecessor **Herman**, to whom he was Coadjutor, till he was depos'd by **Charles V.** He died in 1556.

Adolphus, Count of **Berg**, kept **Sigefrid** of **Westerburgh** 7 Y. in Prison, but was afterwards taken in Battle by the said **Sigefrid** in 1296. put naked into a Cage, and dawb'd with Honey in the Heat of Summer, which drew such Swarms of Flies about him, that he died a most miserable Death, being allowed no Suffenance.

Adonibezeck, K. of the **Canaanites**, formidable to the **Israelites**, by his Victories over 70 Kings, whose Thumbs and great Toes he had cut off; but **Josbua** took him in Battle, and serv'd him in the same kind. He died at **Jerusalem**.

Adonijah, Son of **David**, supported by **Joab** and **Abiathar** the High Priest, set up for Successor to the Crown, which occasion'd his Ruin.

Adoniram, Son of **Abda**, was over Solomon's Tribute, and Overseer of the Levy of 30000 Labourers sent to fell down Cedar in Mount **Libanus** for the Temple.

Adonis, a beautiful Youth, Son of **Cinyras**,

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Cinyras, K. of *Cyprus*, (and *Myrrha* his Incestuous Daughter) the Darling of *Venus*, kill'd by a Wild Boar in the *Italian Woods*, and by *Venus* turn'd into a Flower, suppos'd to be *Anemomy*. Afterwards *Proserpine* promis'd *Venus* to restore *Adonis* to her for 6 Months in the Year, provided she might have him to her self the rest; By which Fable the Ancients signified *Summer* and *Winter*. Some confound *Adonis* with *Osiris* of the *Egyptians*; and others take *Adonis* to be the Sun, and the Boar which kill'd him, the Winter Hoar-Frosts, which being over, he revives again.

Adonis, a R. of *Phœnicia*, so called from the above-mentioned *Adonis*, by those of the Country called *Nabir-Alcalb*, and by Modern Geographers, *Canis*. It rises near Mount *Libanus*.

Adonizedek, K. of *Jerusalem*, who

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succeeded, but was chas'd from the Government in 27 days. After this, *Prosper Adorne* was Chosen, but forthwith Depos'd; and then Restor'd by the D. of *Milan*, who Subdued *Genoa*. On the 25th of *November* next year, he and those of *Milan* were Expell'd the City. In 1488. *Augustino* and *John Adorne* were made Dukes, till 1499. when the City submitted to *Lewis XII.* who made *Antonio Adorne* Governour, and afterwards *Antonio* was Elected Duke in 1527. and soon after Expell'd.

Adorni, (*John Augustin*) of the same Family, Founded the Society of *Regular Clerks Minors*, and died in 1591.

Adour, Lat. *Aturus*, or *Aturnus*, a R. of *France* in *Gascony*. There are two other little Rivers in *France* of this Name.

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Airastia, or *Nemesis*, Daughter of *Ætner* and *Necessity*, feign'd by the Poets to be the Goddess of Justice and Revenge.

Adrastia, a T. of *Troas*, so called from *Adrastus* who built it, and famous for the Temple of *Nemesis* and the Oracle of *Apollo*.

Adrastus, K. of *Argos*, Son of *Talaus* and of *Lysimassa*, Daughter to *Polybus* K. of *Sicyon*, being Expell'd *Argos* by *Amphiarus*, retired to *Sicyon*, where he succeeded his Grandfather *Polybus*, and made the C. of *Sicyon* famous by the Institution of the *Pythian Games*. *Amphiarus* having Married *Eriphile*, *Adrastus*'s Sister, was reconciled to his Brother-in-Law, who thereupon returned to *Argos*, and got great Reputation in the *Theban War*, wherein he engaged to maintain the Right of *Polynices*, his Son-in-Law. *Adrastus*, together with *Polynices*, and *Tydeus*, his other Son-in-Law; *Capaneus* and *Hippomedon* his Sister's Sons; *Amphiarus* his Brother-in-Law, and *Parthenopæus*, march'd out against *Thebes*. This is the Expedition of the 7 Worthies, so much celebrated by the Poets, wherein all perished except *Adrastus*, who was forc'd to fly. Upon his return he firr'd up the Sons of the said Princes to Revenge their Father's Death, which they did, and defeated the *Thebans*. In this second War, none of the Chiefs were kill'd except *Ægialeus* *Adrastus*'s Son, which loss so much afflicted his Aged Father, that he died with Grief at *Megara*.

Adrastus, Son of *Nilus*, and Grandson of *Gordius*, a *Phrygian* Pr. having accidentally killed his Brother, fled to *Cresus* K. of *Lydia*, who received him kindly. A little after, Hunting with *Atys*, *Cresus*'s Son, he killed him as he shot at a Bear; and for Grief slew himself upon his Corps.

Adrastus, of *Philippopolis*, was Disciple of *Aristotle*, and wrote 3 Books

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of Harmony, now in the *Vatican Library*.

Adrets, (*Francis de Beaumont*, *Baron des Adrets*) a Native of *Dauphiné*, out of a Pique against the Duke of *Guise*, headed 8 or 10000 Protestants in 1562. seiz'd the greatest part of *Dauphiné*, *Lyonnois*, and *Languedoc*; and taking *Grenoble*, forced the Parliament of that City to go to Church and hear a Protestant Sermon. Popish Writers accuse him of many Cruelties against the Papists. He turn'd Papist again, because the Prince of *Conde* took the Government of *Lyons* from him.

Adrevaldus, *Adeluvaldus*, or *Adoaldus*, a K. of *Lombardy*, with his Mother *Theodelinda*, was dispossess'd by his Subjects, who set *Aribaldus*, an *Arrian* upon the Throne, Ann. 626.

Adria, or *Adriaticum Mare*, the *Adriatick Sea*, is now call'd the *Gulph of Venice*.

Adria, an Episcopal C. in *Polesina di Rovigo*, in the State of *Venice*, now inhabited only by Fishermen.

Adrian I. a noble *Roman*, elected Pope after *Stephen III.* in 772. In the beginning of his Pontificate, *Didier* K. of *Lombardy*, invaded and ravaged *St. Peter's* Patrimony; but *Charlemagne* having taken him Prisoner in *Pravia*, all Hostilities ceas'd. *Charlemagne* having subdued *Lombardy*, went to *Rome*, where, in an Assembly of the Clergy, *Adrian* gave him Power to Create Popes, and *Charlemagne* confirm'd to him what *Pepin* his Father had granted to the *Roman* See. He sat near 24 Years, and died in 795.

Adrian II. Pope, succeeded *Nicholas I.* in 867. against the Emperor's Consent. Presently after his Election, he Excommunicated *Photius*, Patriarch of *Constantinople*; and the Emp. *Lothaire*, because he had Divorc'd his Wife *Dietherga* for Love of *Valdred* his Concubine. He sat near 5 y. and died in 872.

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Adrian III. Son of *Benedict*, a Valiant Roman, Elected Pope in 884. caus'd a Law to be Ratified by the Senate and People of *Rome*, That the Pope should nor be Elected by the Emperor's Authority, but only by the Clergy and People. He also refus'd to re-admit to the Communion of the Church of *Rome*, *Phoebus* the Patriarch of *Constantinople*, which incens'd the Emp. of the East against him.

Adrian IV. an Englishman, named *Nicholas Breakspere*, of mean Extraction, receiv'd Alms daily at the Gate of the Abby at *St. Albans*, and did much of their Drudgery for it; At last, having solicited in vain to be admitted into the House, he went to *Avies* in *France*, where he was admitted Servitor by the Canons of *St. Rufus*, and following his Studies close, he became Abbot of their Order. He was made a Cardinal by *Eugenius III.* the Conqueror the Norman.

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Louvain, being afterwards created Cardinal, 1517. by Pope *Leo*, whom thro' the Emperor's Interest he succeeded Ann. 1522. He died in 1523.

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Adrian, or *Adriani*, (*John Baptist*) a Noble Florentine, of good Sense and Learning, born in 1515. Besides several Orations, he wrote a Continuation of the History of *Guiscardine*: He died in 1579.

Adrianists, Disciples of *Simon Magus*, Ann. Ch. 34. The Followers of *Adrian Hausted*, the Anabaptist, were also so called.

Adrianople, anciently *Uscudama*, or *Orestia*, now *Andernopolis*, by the Turks called *Endrem*, and by the French, *Andrinople*, is a famous City of *Thrace*, now *Romania*, seated on the R. *Mariza*, (*Flebrus*) 146 miles W. of *Constantinople*, and 74 E. of *Philippopolis*. It was taken by *Bajazet* in 1362. and made the Seat of the Turkish Empire till the taking of *Con-*

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of them, he caus'd a City to be built on the Ruins of *Jerusalem*, and call'd it *Alia*; and having overcome them in a second Revolt, he erected a Temple to *Jupiter* on Mount *Calvary*, and a Statue of *Adonis* in the Manger of *Bethlehem*. He caus'd also the Images of Swine to be Engraven on the Gates of *Jerusalem*. He was extremely Superstitious, and so great a Lover of Learning, that he was jealous of his Secretary *Phavorinus* on that Score. He died of the Bloody Flux, in the 21st Y. of his Reign.

Adriaticus, (*Cornelia*) a Woman of the Order of *St. Austin* in the 16th Cent. Daughter to a Dutch Gentleman, made her self famous by her Poems, on Sacred Subjects.

Adriaticus, (*Christian*) born at *Delft* in *Holland* in 1533. was a zealous and learned Priest, sometime Director of the Nunnery at *Delft*, who writ the Description of the *Holy Land*.

Adria, the present Name of *Affrica*.

Adrobe, a R. of that part of the *Asian Tarsary*, which is subject to the *Moscovites*. It falls into the *Volga* beneath *Cazan*.

Adrumetum, now *Mobometta*, a strong T. built by the *Phonicians* between *Cortage* and the *Syrtis*, where a Council was held in 394.

Ain, now *Mount St. Gothard*, one of the *Phasian Alps* in the Canton of *Uri* in *Switzerland*.

Aialzon, or *Adulis*, a T. on the Red Sea in *Africa*, now called *Ereco*.

Alyria, *byla*, an ancient People of *Lybia* next to *Egypt*. They presented their Daughters, when Marriageable, to be first deflowered by the King he pleas'd; and were such strict Observers of *Lex Talionis*, that if they caught a Loue or a Flea biting of 'em, they would only bite 'em again, and let 'em go.

Æa, a Virgin, who was a great Lover of Hunting. Being desirous

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to shun the pursuits of *Phæis*, she pray'd the Gods to assist her, who thereupon chang'd her into an Island of that Name. This Fable comes from the R. *Iphis*, making the Isle of *Æa* by its Turnings and Windings.

Æacidus, Son of *Necptolemus*, made himself so burdensome to his People by his continual Wars, that he was forced to fly his Kingdom, and leave his only Son of 2 Years old to be Educated by *Chaucus K. of Illyrium*.

Æacides, a Name given to all the Princes descended from *Æacus*.

Æacus, supposed Son of *Jupiter* and *Ægina*, pray'd his Father to Repopulate the Island of *Ægina*, almost Depopulated by Poison'd Waters; whereupon *Jupiter* charg'd an innumerable heap of Emmets or Pismires into Men, which were call'd *Myrmidons*, from *Μύρμηξ*, an Emmet. He had 3 Sons by 2 Wives. *Phocus* by *Psammis*, Daughter of *Nereus*; and *Telamon*, Father of *Ajxx*, and *Peleus*, Father of *Achilles*, by *Endeis*, Daughter of *Chiron*. The Poets also feign'd him to be one of the Judges of Hell.

Æacus, Brother to *Polydeus*, both Sprung from *Hercules*; of whom the Oracle said, That which soever of 'em set first Foot on Land after crossing the R. *Achelous*, should enjoy the Kingdom. *Polydeus* feigning her self Lame, desir'd her Brother to carry her over on his Back, which he did, suspecting nothing; but she coming near the Shore, jump'd off his Back, and claim'd the Kingdom by the Decision of the Oracle; which *Æacus* was so far from taking ill, that he commended her Wit, Married her, and so they Reign'd together.

Æbora, or *Æbura*, now *Talavera*, a C. of *Spain* on the *Tagus*, in *New Castile*, 12 Leagues W. of *Toledo*, in the Road of *Lisbon*.

Æchmacoras, Son of *Hercules* by *Philone*, Daughter of *Alcimedon*, whom he Deflowered, was by *Alcimedon*, ex-

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pos'd, with his Mother, as soon as Born, to be Devour'd of wild Beasts; but they were both happily deliver'd by *Hercules*.

Ædessa, or *Agas*, now *Vodena*, was the capital C. of *Emathia* in *Macedon*. It was for many Ages the Burying Place of the Kings of *Macedon*, upon a pretended Oracle, That the Line should not fail as long as this was observ'd; and they ascrib'd the extinguishing the Race of *Alexander* the Great, to his being Buried out of this City.

Ædiles, Annual *Roman* Magistrates, of which there were 3 sorts, and 2 of each sort. The *Ædiles* of the People, called *Plebeii*; the *Patrician* *Ædiles*, called *Curules* or *Majores*; and the *Ædiles* of the Corn, called *Cereales*. The *Ædiles* of the People were Surveyors of Buildings, and of the Highways,

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Husband Eat him; which, as soon as he understood, he pursued her to her Fathers; whose Family, to Revenge the Affront he had put upon them, stript, bound, and anointed him with Honey, exposing him to the Flies; but his Wife pitying him, drove 'em away; which so enraged her Father and Brothers, that they design'd to kill her. At last, *Jupiter* commiserating their Misfortunes, turn'd them into Birds; *Pandareus* into a *Pelican*; *Aedon* into a *Nightingale*; and *Chelidonia* the Sister into a *Swallow*.

Ædii, an ancient and potent People of *Gallia Celtica*.

Ægæ, or *Agas*, see *Ædessa*. Also an Episcopal C. of *Cilicia*, under the Abp. of *Anazarbemus*, on the Sea-Coast, next to *Mallo* and *Issus*. It's now ruinous.

Ægeon, sometimes called *Briareus*,

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a K. of *Aethiopia*, whom,
St. *Matthew* Converted to
Chry.

a C. of *Arabia Petraea*, on
the Gulph, 60 Miles from
Sinai, now call'd *Eltor*, or

Elia Crispis, the Name of a
Inscription in the Senator
Country-House near *Bologna* in
which some think was fram'd
Modern Wit, meerly to puz-
zle. See *Spondanus's Travels*

us, (*Claudius*) born at Pre-
the Reign of *Adrian*, was
for his Skill and Eloquence in
Greek Tongue, and wrote a mixt
a Treatise of Animals, and
of Martial Discipline.

and *Elia*, two Roman Names
from the *Ælii* descended, who
the poorest Family in *Rome*.

Patus, a Roman whom the
old, If he sav'd a Magpye that
on his Head, he should make
it flourish, but the Com-
monly unfortunate; if he killed

the down the
Rock, by the us, for W
gainst him.

Ælius Sejanus, a Roman C
much in favour with *Tiber*
he called him his Associate in
pire; wherewith he grew so
that despising *Tiberius*, he c
the chief Men of *Rome*; *T*
iberius understanding, secretly
his Ruin.

Ælius Sextus Catus, Ce
M. Cestegus, made distinct
the Commonalty at their
Shews, who before sat pror
with the Patricians.

Ælius Sextus, a Lawyer
philosopher. who wrote a T
Personal Actions, called
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Æmon, having commit
with his own Daughter *R*
Gods turned 'em both into
tain. Others say, that h
Antigone, *Oedipus's* Daugh
following her Father into
Æmon was torn in pieces b
But *Propertius* says, That
Antigone to that degree
killed himself on her Gra

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Valerian, Æmylianus's Soldier, because of his mean join'd with *Valerian*. He and reigned 5 Months. *us*, (*Tiberius Cestius Alexander*) Governor of *Egypt* by rebell'd against him, and Temp. by the Soldiers, but was pursued and taken by one of *Gaius's* Generals, Emperor caus'd him to be in Prison.

or the *Æmylian* Family, most Illustrious in *Rome*, from *Mamercus* the Son was the Philosopher, called by the *Greeks*, for Sweet-Temper. Of this Family great Men following.

, (*Paulus*) surnam'd *Macedon* Son to *Lucius Paulus*, he Battle of *Canna*, was kill'd, and during his first triumph'd over the *Livians*. V. C. 572. In his 2d *Ann.* 586. he subdued *Macedonia*, reduced his into a Province, and had a of 3 days allow'd him. among the other Prisoners, his Triumphal Chariot, by misfortunes *Æmylius* was so hat he could not refrain s. But this Noble *Roman*, exalted to the height of he Morning, was drown'd e're the Evening, having his Sons amidst the Trifle was also made Censor year, 586. in which he

Mamercus, 3 times Conquered the *Æqui*. His Son *Mamercus*, was twice Conquered the *Sabines*. His *Æmylius* was first, High-Priest, ary Tribune. Afterwards, he first made Dictator, he the *Fidenates*, the *Volsci*, and a Triumph'd. In his 2d year he reduced the Office

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of Censor. from 5 y. to one and a half; which tho' it enraged the Censors, so pleas'd the People, that he was chosen a 3d time Dictator, when he reduced the *Fidenates*. His Grandson, *Titus Æmylius Mamercus*, was Consul with *Q. Publius Philo*, who defeated the *Latins*, and Triumph'd; which Honour being denied to *Titus Æmylius*, who had subdued those of *Prænestæ* and *Velitra*, he, out of spite, took a Plebeian for his Partner in the Dictatorship.

Æmylius Lepidus, being a Youth, threw himself into the Battel, rescued a Citizen, and slew his Enemy, for which he had a Statue erected in the Capitol.

Æmylius, (*Anthony*) History Professor in the University of *Utrecht*, was a Man famous for his Learning and Eloquence. He was born at *Aix-la-Chapelle*, in 1589. and died in 1660.

Æmylius Censorinus, Tyrant of *Sicily*, rewarded such as brought to him any Instrument newly invented for Torment; whereupon *Arumius Paterculus* having made a brazen Bull to burn People alive in, *Æmylius* caus'd himself to make the first Trial on himself. The same story is related of *Perillus* and *Phalaris*.

Æmylius, a handsome young Man, and a great Hunter, whose Wife being Jealous, bid her self in the Woods to watch him; His Dogs lighting on her tore in pieces, which *Æmylius* perceiv'ing, killed himself in Despair.

Æmylius Papinianus, Overseer of the Exchequer next after *Septimius Severus*, by whom, when advanced to the Empire, he was made Captain of the *Prætorian* Bands. *Severus* dying, he recommended his Sons, *Geta* and *Carsacalla* to his care: But *Carsacalla* killing *Geta*, and *Papinian* Condemning the Murder, was stabb'd by the Soldiers before the Tyrant's Face. He wrote many Tracts in the Civil Law. His Son was also put to Death by *Carsacalla*.

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Æmylius Scaurus, a Patrician, but Poor, his Father selling Coals for a Livelihood. He acquir'd so much Fame by his Eloquence, as to be chosen *Adile*, then *Prætor*, (when he fought against *Fugurtha*) and afterwards *Consul*. He built a Theatre, the greatest Work of the kind, both for Magnificence and Strength.

Æmylius Victor, concerning whom an Epitaph is extant at *Parma*, related by *P. Manutius*, wherein 'tis said, that being in Health, he did kill himself by a live Coal, put in a hanging Bath.

Æneas, Bp. of *Paris* in the 9th Cent. and a Person of Quality and deep Sense, at the Desire of the Pope, and *Charles the Bald*, K. of *France*, wrote an excellent Book against the Errors of the *Greek Church*, wherein he Confutes the hard Centures of the Patr. *Pkorius* on the *Latin Church*.

Æneas, a *Trojan Prince*, Son of

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countenanced and preferred *Aborigenes*, and reign'd 29 Y.

Æneas Terentius Sylvius, reign'd

Æneas Sylvius, was chosen in 1458. by the Name of *Pius I*.

Æneas of Gaza, a Platonic philosopher in the 5th Age, wth Treatise of the Immortality of Soul, Intituled, *Theophrastus*.

Æneas Tacitus, Contempor^y *Aristotle*, wrote concerning th^e of War, and is cited by *Polybius* *Ælium*.

Æneus, being declar'd Vic^e the 5 chief Olympick Games, for Joy as soon as he receiv'd his lands.

Ænoberus, a Giant, born in *Libia*, who served under *Charlemagne* on Horseback.

Æolia, a Country of *Asia* on *Ægean Sea*, now called *Sarcus* by the ancient Poets the *Cow*

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lk, and others, that he fled himself.

, a K. of *Arcadia*, entring Temple on Horseback, tho' was suddenly struck blind later which sprung upon d afterwards kill'd by the a Serpent as he was a

a Presbyter and Herefiarch ; Cent. turn'd *Arian* became not made Bp. of *Sebastia*. His Followers called made no difference betwixt and Presbyters; They oppose Prayers for the Dead, rating *Easter*; They held o differ from the Father, strument from the Artift; he *Spirits* differs from them, nd Place differ from those them. They condemn'd , and urg'd Abstinence.

Daughter of *Atreus*, being l by her Uncle *Thyestes*, had by him at a Birth, both ens flew, and let before his Eat. Also the Daughter , who being deflowred by d in Childbed.

, K. of *Macedon*, succeeded *Philip I.* while an In- M. 3455. The *Ilyrians* dvantage of his Minority, the *Macedonians* and de- hem; whereupon setting ig K. at the Head of the ey were so encourag'd, that ed again, and beat the

, *Priam's* Son, and a great fell so desperately in Love *Paris*, that he followed her ods. She rying from him, s to Death by a Serpent; n he threw himself from a the Sea. However, *Thetis* im into a *Dolphin*.

es, an *Athenian* Tragick Poet ent Orator, was defeated *Æbenes* his Rival in Fame,

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and Banish'd his Country: There were 7 more noted Orators or Philosophers of the same Name, and one *Statuary*.

Æscibines, one of the three Sects that sprung out of the Heresie of the *Montanists*, who affirm'd Christ to be both Father and Son.

Æschylus, the 12th Judge of *Athens*, in the 2d Y. of whose Reign, A. M. 3174. the Olimpick Games were instituted at *Elis*.

Æschylus, Brother to *Cynergos*, a valiant Man, and an excellent *Tragick* Poet, left *Athens*, where he was Born, because *Sophocles's* Plays met with greater Applause than his own; and retired to *Sicily*. Being told by the Oracle, That he should be killed by the fall of a House, he left *Syracuse* to dwell in the open Field, where an Eagle flying over his Head with a Tortoise in her Bill, took his Bald-Head for a Stone, and dropping the Tortoise to break the Shell, beat out his Brains.

Æsculannus and *Argentinus*, two Deities, who were suppos'd to have Power to enrich Men. Also *Memory* ador'd under the same Name by the *Romans*.

Æsculapius, Son of *Apollo*, was delivered to *Chiron* to be instructed in Physick. Others say, he was expos'd on a Mountain, and Suckled by a Goat. At the Request of *Diana*, he restored *Hippolitus* to life, for which *Jupiter* killed him with a Thunderbolt. He freed *Rome* from the Plague, for which they built him a Temple near the City, and worshipped him under the Form of a Serpent. He had two Sons eminent Physicians also, *Machon* and *Pollilinus*; and three Daughters *Hygias*, *Ægle*, and *Panacea*.

Æson, was by *Medea*, at the Request of his Son *Jason*, restored to his youthful Vigour when very old. Also a R. in *Thessaly* which falls into the R. *Metz*, with a C. upon it of the same Name.

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Æſop, a Native of *Ammorius* in *Phrygia Major*, was meanly Born, and of deſpicable Preſence, being hunch-Back'd, flat-Nos'd, blubber-Lipp'd, having a long, ill-shaped Head, crook-ed Body, big-Belly, bandy-Legs, and ſwarthy Complexion, whence he was call'd *Æſopus*, *Quaſi*, *Æthiopus*. He is alſo ſaid to have had a great Impediment in his Speech, which was the moſt afflicting part of his Miſfortune. He lived when *Craſus* govern'd *Lydia*, and had been twice Bought and Sold before he was purchas'd by *Xanthus*, a Philoſopher of *Samos*, in whole Service he grew famous by the acutenefs of his Wit, and the ſharpneſs of his Answers. Having at laſt got his Liberty by explaining an Omen that threatned the *Samians*; He advis'd them not to pay the Tribute which *Craſus* demanded of them. *Craſus* offer'd to ſtop the Courſe of his Arms, if they would

the Princes of thoſe days challeng'd one another.

Æſopus, a Greek (but unknown) Hiſtorian, who writ a Romantick Account of the Life of *Alexander* the Great; tranſlated into *Latin* by one *Julius Valerius*.

Æſopus, a famous Hiſtorian, Contemporary of, and Reader to, *Mithridates*, who writ a Panegyricall Character of this Prince, and another fine Piece about the Rape of *Helen*.

Æſopus Claudus, or *The lame*, a famous Tragedian, and *Tully's* intimate Friend: He got ſuch a vaſt Eſtate by Acting, that one day he made a Banquet, where there was a Diſh of thoſe Birds that imitate Man's Voice, which was thought to coſt 100 Seſterces, or 3000 Crowns. He had a Son as Extravagant as himſelf, who at a Feaſt drank ſeveral Pearls of great value beat to Powder, and Diſſolv'd in Vinegar.

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and who, whether Alive
remembered whatever he
Pythagoras boasted *Æ-*
ul was Transmigrated

a Privy-Councillor of
Stafus I. famous for his
lecture.

is about one half of
divided into two Parts,
and the Lower. The
nded on the N. by *E-*
ia; on the W. and S.
Æthiopia; and on the
Sea, and the *Arabian*
Bays. It contains *Nu-*
and the Kingdoms of
coci, and *Zanguebar*.
Æthiopia is bounded on
bia, on the E. by the
ia, on the W. and S. by
Ocean. It contains
as of *Monomotapa* and
nd the Western *Æthio-*
are divided into the
Congi, *Loangi*, and *An-*
nore Southern part of
was little known to the
found out by the *Por-*
Abassinia, or *Abissinia*.
ughter of *Oceanus* and
life of *Atlas*, by whom
ughters and one Son,
ng to Death by a Ser-
bisters killed themselves
. *Jupiter* turn'd them
illation called *Hyades*,
nly brings Rain. Also
Egeus, and Mother of

reticks, the Disciples
Actius. They were
omians, and *Anomians*,
eld the Son to be every
from the Father; and
and *Troglohytes*, from
in private Houses and
Sett was soon extin-

Arion, a famous ancio
io made the celebrated

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Piece of the Amours of *Roxana* and
Alexander.

Æsion, the Father of *Andromache*,
the Wife of *Hector*, who was slain
at *Thebes* by the *Greeks*, with his 7
Sons.

Ætius, called the Atheist, lived in
the 4th Cent. He was first a Vine-
dresser, then a Tinker; afterwards
he work'd with a Goldsmith, where
having Cheated a Woman of a Gold
Chain, which she brought him to
Mend, (returning her a Brass one
for it) he was punished for his Kna-
very, and afterwards put himself to
Sopolus a Quack. *Arius's* Heresie
being spread about this time, *Ætius*
became one of the most zealous
sticklers for it. After many Ram-
bles, he came to *Alexandria*, where
having learn'd Logick, he was sup-
plied with now Subtilties to Dispute
against the Son and Holy Ghost, and
was Ordain'd Deacon by *Leurius* an
Arian Bishop. He had some Gno-
stick Opinions, and was at last dismiss'd
by the *Arians* and banish'd.

Ætius, Governor of *Gallia Nar-*
bonensis, and the greatest General
under *Valentinian* the III. forc'd the
Franks, who were pouring into *Gaul*,
to repass the *Rhine*; defeated the
Goths that ravag'd the Lower *Lang-*
uedoc and *Provence*, and routed *Gun-*
dicaire K. of the *Burgundians*, and
then made a Peace. After this, *At-*
tila, K. of the *Huns*, invading *Gaul*
with 70000 Men, *Ætius* persuaded
the *Franks*, the *Visigoths*, and the
Burgundians, to join with him against
the common Enemy, and falls upon
Attila, whom he first forced to raise
the Siege of *Orleans*, and then pur-
suing him to the *Catalaunian* Fields,
(near *Chalons* in *Champagne*) enga-
ged him to a general Battel, where-
in 180000 Men were slain on both
sides, and the *Huns* quite defeated,
Attila narrowly escaping. After these
great Actions, *Ætius* was recall'd to
Rome; where the Emp. *Valentinian*

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ungratefully kill'd him with his own hand, *Ann.* 454. upon some slight Suspitions, as if he had held secret Intelligence with *Attila*.

Attus, the chief *Eunuch* in the Palace of the Empress *Irene*, and in to great Power, that only *Staucasius* could Balance his Authority. At length he became so odious to the Patricians, that they proclaim'd *Nicephorus* Emperor.

Ætna, now *Mongibello*, the greatest Mountain in *Sicily*, 8 miles high, and 60 in compass, continually vomiting up Fire and Smoak, and often throwing up calcin'd Flints, and burning Cinders. On the tops of this Mountain, Snow and Fire are to be seen at the same time, while the sides are covered with pleasant Woods and Vineyards.

Atolia, now *Il Despotato*, a small Country of *Asia*, on the N. side of

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Afrania, Wife to *Licinius Burrus*, a Roman Senator, who Pleaded own Law-Suits before the Pretor, filling the Court with Clamor. Hence all bold, impudent Wom were called *Afrania*.

Afranius Positrus, a Plebeian, coming to *Caligula*, lying sick, him, He could willingly Die so he might recover. This the Emp. made him Swear, and when he recovered caused the Man to be put to Death that he might not be Perjur'd.

Afranius, one of *Pompey's* Generals; who, together with *Petronius* was defeated by *Julius Caesar* in *Spain*. He was Consul with *Cacilius Metellus Celer*. There was another *Afranius* Consul with *Asclepiodorus*: also a *Afranius*, surnam'd *Burrhus*, made Captain of the Guards under *Caligula*, by *Agrippina Nero's* Motion. See *Burrhus*.

the Romans. This Country fruitful on the Sea-Coasts, but the Parts are generally barren, and Defart, by reason of the venomous Creatures, hurtful and want of Water. Yet the best part of those Regions under the Line are pleasant, abounding with Woods and Fountains. The People black, some tawny, and some, and very ill reported of, as crafty, perfidious, drunken, lustful, impudent, covetous, and blasphemous also said, That *Africa* nothing but Extraordinary Men being either Monsters, or Prodigies of Wit; of the last sort are reckoned, *Augustine, Cyprian,* are not so good Soldiers in Parts of the World, but *Barbary* are of late pretty well, because of their Wars. For Government, the *Carthaginians* and *Romans*, till the *Vandals* drove them out, and about the year 480 the *Romans* recovered *Africa*. In Cent. the *Arabians* and *Mosses* over-run it, and possessed it. Now the *French, Dutch, and Spaniards*, have several Places on the Coasts. For Religion, they anciently worshipped the Stars, the Elements, and every living Creature; but met first in the morning, and have 5 Religions: The *Christians*, divided into 62 Sects; the *Mosses*, without God or Law; the *Idolaters*; *Jews*; and *Christians* of them *Papists*, others of the *Greek Church*, and a few *Protestants* and Merchants. The *Inhabitants* spoke all one Language, called *Abimalik*; but now they speak different Languages, tho

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that called the *Beribere*, or the *African*, deriv'd both from the *Punick* and *Arabick* is the most Universal. *Africa* is divided into 8 Parts, viz. *Egypt*, *Barbary*, *Numidia*, or *Biledulgerid*, *Zara*, or the Desarts of *Libya*, *Nigritia*, the Regions in the Sea beyond it, and the Islands.

Africa, a C. of *Africa* in the Kingdom of *Tunis*, the *Aptrodifum* of the Ancients; 20 Miles from *Mabomesa*, or *Adrumetum*. It was built upon a Cape, with a convenient Harbour, and a strong Castle, and being won by Pirates of *Sicily*, they called it *Africa*. But at length, coming into the Hands of *Charles V.* he utterly demolish'd it.

Africanus, (*Julius*) an Historian of the 3d Age, was a Christian, and got much Honour by a Deputation from the Inhabitants of *Emmans*, to the Emp. *Heliogabalus*, of whom he obtain'd the Re-establishment of their City. He compos'd a Chronicle from the beginning of the World to the Y. of Christ 221. part of which is extant in *Eusebius*.

Agá, is a Title given by the *Turks* to the General or Colonel of the *Fanzaries*, and to the Deputy-Governors of Towns. It signifies *Master* or *Lord*.

Agg, or *Agag*, a Kingdom of *Abyssinia*, with a T. of the same Name, near the Lake of *Zaire*, between the Nile, and the Provinces of *Ambian* and *Nova*.

Agabo, a K. of *Æthiopia*, who lived 200 Y. ago, and of whom the Historians of this Country, relate many pleasant Stories.

Agabus, a Prophet who foretold a Famine, which came to pass in the Reign of *Claudius Cæsar*.

Agades, a Country in the middle of *Africk*, near the *R. Gkir*.

Agalez, a Prov. and C. of *Africa* in *Nigeria*, wall'd round. This Country pays 150000 Ducats Tribute to the K. of *Tombuto*; It lies N. of

Subjects who built a Temple
of extraordinary Work-
manship, which when they pray'd
for them what he thought
the Benefit that could be
to Mankind, they were both
in their Beds 3 days after.
Agamemnon, Son of *Atrides*, Bro-
ther of *Menelaus*, and K. of *Mycenae*,
General of the *Greeks*, in
expedition against *Troy*. After
the fall of *Troy*, amongst other
Captives fell to his Lot, who
gave him his Death; but he not
believing her Words, return'd home,
to be slain by *Aegisthus*, the Son
of *Agamemnon*, who had debauch'd his
Wife *Clytemnestra* before his arrival.

Agathangellus, the 11th K. of the
Angles, who reign'd 20 years in

the Island of *Taproban*, one of the Islands
of the *Indies*, where *Magellan* was Mur-
dered in Search of the *Moluccas*,
through the South Sea.

Agave, or *Agave*, a Tree, on this side the *Ganges*.
The *Agave* is a famous Fountain of

Associations, as in the *Lateran*
Council, under *Innocent II.* ut-
ter'd them.

Agapetus I. created Bp. of
the K. of the *Goths*, succeeded
in the Pontificate, and re-
ign'd 10 Months. Being sent to
appeal *Fusianus*, who
had *Theodorus* with a War,
endeavour'd to draw him to
the *Nicene* Heresie; but instead
the Pope converted the En-
emy to the Orthodox Faith.

Agapetus II. made Pope
in 946. called *Ostia*
into Italy against *Berengarius*,
being Tyrannical over the
Papacy. He died in 955.

Agapetus, a Deacon of
the Church of *Constantinople*, in the
10th Century wrote an excellent Letter to
Fusianus, a little after his
death, wherein he has laid down
how a Christian Prince ought to

reign, see *Agar*.

Agarenians, or *Agarens*,
of *Arabia*, said to be de-
scended from *Agar* and *Ishmael*. 'Tis be-
liev'd they gave their Name to the Co-
untry to the T. of *Agadum*, c.

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Agassicles, a famous K. of *Lacedaemon*, Son of *Archidamas*, and Father of *Ariston*.

Agassimemus, first K. of the Island *Naxos*, in the *Aegean Sea*, was chosen by the *Thracians*, who settled in this Island called before *Syrongyle*. He Married *Pancratis*, Daughter of *Alceus*, one of the Giants; but sometime after, *Orus* and *Aepialtes*, the Sons of *Alceus*, were ordered by their Father to take their Sister away from him, in executing of which they depriv'd him of his Crown and Life.

St. Agatha, born at *Palermo* in *Sicily*, of a noble Family, and very beautiful, was Martyr'd by the Proconsul *Quintianus*, because she refused to turn Pagan, and Marry him.

St. Agatha, of the *Goths*, an Episcopal C. of *Campania*, under the Abp. of *Beneventum*, 15 Miles from thence, towards *Capua*. Long. 36. 35. Lat. 41. 15.

Agatharchides, of *Gnidos*, a Peripatetick Philosopher, in the Time of *Ptolemy Philometer*, who wrote several pieces of History, among the rest, that of *Alexander's* Successors.

Agatharchus, a famous *Athenian* Painter, who was the first that drew Scenes for the Stage, according to the Rules of Perspective. He lived about the 75th *Olympiad*.

Agathius, the Scholastick or Lawyer, of the 6th Age, is esteem'd both for his Poetry, and his Continuation of *Justinian's* History after *Procopius*.

Agathis, a *Pythagorean* Philosopher, being 80 Y. old, K. *Archelaus* ask'd him, Whether he had any Strength still remaining, to which he answer'd, That *Autumn* afforded Flowers and Fruit as well as the *Spring*.

Agathe, a *Sicilian* Monk, was made Pope, in 5-8. He Condemn'd the *Monothelites*, and sent Legates to the 3d General Council of *Constantinople*. He died in 532. or 683.

Agatho, a Musician, who sung so

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sweetly, that none could resist the Charms of his Voice.

Agathoclea, a famous, beautiful Courtezan, with whom *Ptolemy Philometer* fell so desperately in Love, that to Marry her he killed his Wife, and Sister, *Euridice*, by whom he had *Ptolemy Epiphanes*. *Ptolemy Philometer* being dead, *Agathoclea*, with her Mother, and a Brother of hers govern'd the Kingdom, and would have put to Death the young *Ptolemy*, but the People of *Alexandria* sav'd him, upon which *Agathoclea* fled.

Agathocles, Tyrant of *Sicily*, either the Son of a Potter, or only bred up in a Potters House, being a handsome lovely Youth, he became a Catamite, and after that turn'd Thief. Weary of that Trade, he lifted himself a Soldier, and was first rais'd to a Centurion, then a Tribune; and lastly, General. He twice attempted the Government of *Syracuse*, and was twice banish'd. He several times routed the *Carthaginians* in *Sicily*, but was himself defeated in one Battel near the R. *Tymorus*; yet Recruiting his Forces, and having won *Messina*, and other Cities, he first made himself Tyrant of *Syracuse*, and then of all *Sicily*, and after that overcame the *Carthaginians* again, both in *Sicily* and *Africa*; where at length having ill Success, his Soldiers mutinied, forc'd him to fly the Camp, and kill'd his Children. Recovering himself again, he reliev'd *Cornelia*, burnt the *Macedonian* Fleet, and returning to *Sicily*, put these Soldiers to the Sword, with their Wives and Children, who had Murd'rd his. At last he was Poison'd by his Son and Child *Archagathus*, in the 122d *Olympiad*, being 72 years old.

Agathocles, Son of *Thymarchus*, was taken in the War which his Father wag'd with the *Greeks*, and being returned, he sail'd over into *Asia*, subdued *Antigonus's* Kingdom, and built the City of *Ephesus* by the Sea. *Lysimachus*

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Lysimachus growing old, took to *W. Arsinoe*, who contriv'd *Agasboles's* death, either because, falling in Love with him, he refus'd to answer her Expectations, or because she was afraid lest her Children should come into his Power after *Lysimachus's* Death.

Agasboles, a *Babylonian*, who wrote a History in *Greek*.

Agathostines, a *Grecian*, who wrote a Geographical History of *Asia*, quoted by some Authors.

Agathyrsi, a People of *Scythia*, where are now the Provinces of *Carpagoli*, and *Vologhida*, in *Mulcovy*. *Virgil* gives them the Epithet of *Pilsi*; and others intimate, as if they went naked, and colour'd themselves with Sky-colour; others say, That the *Picts* of *Great Britain* came from these People; and that from a Colony of them the *C. of Foixiers*, and Prov. of *Pontou* in *France* also take their Names.

Agathus-Deimon, an *Alexandrian* of the 4th Age, who made some Geo-

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Innovations of the *Jesuits*, revolted against the K. of *Abyssinia*, and headed by *Melacaxus*, one of the Royal Family, forced the K. to confirm their Ancient Religion.

Agde, Lat. *Agatha*, a little neat C. of *France*, in the *Lower Languedoc*, strongly seated by the Sea, at the Mouth of the R. *Erant*, which makes it a Trading Place. It has a B. under the A. of *Narbon*. It stands 24 Miles E. of *Narbonne*, and 36 almost W. of *Montpelier*.

Agdas, a Rock in the Borders of *Phrygia*, of a prodigious bigness, out of which *Deucalion* and *Pyrrea* took the Stones, which by the Command of *Themis*, they threw behind their Backs; whence the World was Peopled according to the Poets.

Agelas, or *Agelaus*, the 3d K. of *Corinth*, succeeded *Ixion*, A. M. 3024. reign'd 47 Y. and was succeeded by *Frimus*.

Agellius, so was called *Craffus*, Grandfather of him that was killed

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to whom the *Romans* erected a Temple on Mount *Aventine*.

Agernius, *Agrippina's* Servant, who being sent to *Nero* with the News of her Escape, the most unwelcome Message he could have brought him; *Nero* threw his Sword between the Fellows Legs, as he was relating the Story, and then caus'd him to be seiz'd, as one who was sent by his Mistress to kill him; with design, that when he had murder'd her, as he afterwards did, he might give out that she killed her self, finding her contrivance, against the Imp. her Son, had miscarried.

Ages of the World, are certain Limits or Periods of Time, distinguish'd by the most memorable Accidents and Revolutions in the World, for the convenience of Chronology and History. Of these, the generality of Chronologers make seven.

The 1st from the Creation of the World to *Noah's Flood*, } years
which lasted ————— } 1656

The 2d from the Flood to the Birth of *Abraham*, lasted — } 382

The 3d from the Birth of *Abraham*, to the Departure of *Moses* out of *Egypt*, } 565
lasted ————— }

The 4th from *Moses's* Departure out of *Egypt*, to the Building of the Temple of *Solomon* ————— } 479

The 5th from the Foundation of the Temple, to the Reign of *Cyrus* in *Babylon* ————— } 493

The 6th from *Cyrus's* Reign, to the coming of the *Messiah* ————— } 532

The 7th from the Birth of Christ, to this present year 1702. ————— } 1702

Which in all makes, from the Creation of the World, to this present year 1702. ————— } 5755

The Chronologers for the most part agree as to the Division of Time into 7 Ages, yet there are above 50

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different Opinions as to the number of years, which every Age contains, as the Reader may see in *Chevreau's* History of the World.

Agejander, a famous *Rhodian* Architect, who clubb'd with *Polydorus* and *Alexander* in making *Laocoon's* Statue, the Priest of *Apollo*, which is counted one of the greatest Curiosities in Sculpture; and was found at *Rome* in the 16th Century.

Agejlaus, Son of *Arckidamus*, who after the Death of his Brother *Agis*, was made K. of *Sparta*, notwithstanding the Pretensions of *Leotichides* his Brother's Natural Son. He haras'd all *Phrygia*, took several Towns from the *Persians*, and defeated the General *Tissaphernes*; whereupon the *Persian* King cut off *Tissaphernes's* Head, and sent presently to *Agejlaus* to buy his Peace; which *Agejlaus* refus'd, saying, *He would not enrich himself with the Booty of his Overthrowers*. After this, he fought the *Thebans*, took *Corinth*, defeated the *Acarnanians*, ruined *Beotia*, took a City from the *Mantineans*, check'd the Progress of *Epaminondas*, prevented *Sparta* from being taken by Assault, and died in the 84th y. of his Age, 360 Y. before Christ.

Agejlaus, the Son of *Neocles*, or rather of *Themistocles*, employ'd as a Spy in *Xerxes's* Army, where he at length coming up to the King's Tent, he kill'd *Marathonius* instead of the K. Thereupon being brought to the K. who was then at the Altar of the Sun, he thrust his right hand into the Fire, saying, *Such are all the Athenians, O King, and if you will not believe me, I will thrust my left hand also into the same flames*; which undaunted Act so surpriz'd the K. that he set him at liberty.

Agapetus, Uncle to *Agis* III. K. of *Sparta*, being deeply in Debt, persuaded his Nephew to make a Law, whereby all Debts, were abolish'd, and an equal Division ordain'd to be made

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made of all Lands. Accordingly all Bonds and Notes were publicly burnt; but the Lands not being divided, the People recalled *Leonidas*, who reveng'd their Quarrel upon *Agis* and all his Family, *Agisilaus* narrowly escaping.

Agisilaus, so was also called *Pluto* the God of Hell.

Agisipolis I. K. of *Sparta*, laid waste the *Etoloponnesus*, ruin'd the C. of *Mantineæ*, and divided it into 4 Villages. In the career of his Victories in the *Olympian* War, he died of a Fever, 280 Y. before Christ. There was 2^d other, and according to *Hoffman*, a 3^d K. of this Name, but no great Action is ascrib'd to either of them.

Agisistrata, a virtuous, resolute, and rich Princess, Mother to *Agis* K. of *Sparta*, with whom she was at last strangled in Prison.

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Site of this City, at the foot of Mount *Atlas*, is one of the most beautiful in all the Earth; The Climate the most pleasant, the Soil the richest, the Water the sweetest, and the Air the most healthful. It had once more than 6000 Families; but in *Leo Africanus* his Time it was inhabited by none but Wolves, Foxes, &c. and one Hermite, who by the help of an 100 of his Disciples, would have made himself a King if he had been strong enough.

Agiam-Oglans, or, the Children of Strangers in *Turky*, are young Slaves, either taken in War, or purchas'd from the *Tartars*, or taken from their *Christian* Parents. They amount every year to the number of 2000; and being presented to the Grand Signior, are by him dispos'd to various Trades, and afterwards employed in the Seraglio, &c.

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and a half long, which *Xerxes* is said to have cut through. The *Turks* call it *Monastir*, there being in it 24 Cloisters of *Greek Monks*. It's the University of *Greece*.

Agira, or *Agyra*, a T. in *Sicily* near Mount *Ætna*, called now *Sin Philipo d'Argirone*: It is famous for being the Birth-Place of *Diodorus Siculus*.

Agis I. K. of *Sparta*, about A. M. 2998. reign'd but one year.

Agis II. waged a most cruel War against the *Arbenians*, restor'd the Cities of *Greece* to their Liberty, and conquer'd the *Eleans*. He was kill'd by his Subjects in Prison, for executing too rigorously *Lycurgus's* Laws.

Agis III. K. of *Sparta*, of the Family of the *Eurypomides*, defeated the *Arbenians* and *Argives* at *Man-tinea*, and got the *Lacedæmonians* many Advantages during the *Peloponnesian War*: However, *Thrasippus* drove him out of *Attica*. He died without Legitimate Issue in the 94th Olympiad.

Agis IV. also K. of *Sparta*, sollicit-ed the *Grecians* to shake off the *Macedonian Yoke*, and was assisted to that purpose by the *Persian King*; but being overthrown by *Antipater*, one of *Alexander the Great's* Generals, he lost his Life in the Battel; Olympiad 112.

Agitators, or *Aljutors*, were a Council erected by *Ireton's* Advice in *Cromwell's* Army, consisting of two Men chosen out of every Troop or Company. These were the *Uurpers* great Instruments, and perfectly manag'd by him, in the Execution of his Designs.

Aglais, or *Aglais*, one of the 3 Graces, Daughter of *Jupiter* and *Eryonoe*. Her two Sisters were *Laphrogæ* and *Thalia*.

Aglanice, the Daughter of *Hege-ma*, famous She-Astronomer. When she fore-saw an Eclipse of the Moon,

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she us'd to brag, That she had ordered that Planet to keep out of the way; but her Vanity being found out, she was but laugh'd at for her Pains.

Aglauris, Daughter of *Cecrops*, K. of *Atbens*, was turn'd into a Stone by *Mercury*, for falsifying her Promise to admit him to her Sister *Herfa*, with whom he was in Love.

Aglau, or *Aglaius*, a *Psøpidian*, the poorest of all the *Arcadians*, adjudg'd to be much happier than *Gyges K. of Lydia*.

Aglibolus, a *Syrian Deity*, particularly worshipp'd in the City of *Palmyra*. Some will have it to be the Sun, and others the Moon.

Agmet, a T. situated near Mount *Atlas*, 8 Leagues from *Morocco*, and which was the Capital of the Empire before *Morocco* was built.

Agmondesham, a B. T. in the C. of *Bucks*, sending two Burgessees to Parliament, who now are *R. H. Will. Lord Cheyne*, and *John Drake Esq;*

Agnaber, or *Agnettin*, one of the chief Towns in *Transylvania*.

Agrellus, was made Abp. of *Ravenna* in 555. He obtain'd what had belonged to the *Gorks*, for the Use of his Church, by means of *Narses*, *Fu-stinian's* General. He died in 556. being 94 y. old,

Agnes, a Virgin, who was Martyr'd at the Age of 18 Y. under *Dioclesian*, in the Y. 303.

Agnasio, (*John Baptist*) liv'd in the 6th Age, and wrote divers Treats in Prose and Verse.

Agnessius, or *Agnellus*, (*Andrew*) a learned Abp. of *Ravenna*, in the 9th Age. He wrote the History of the Prelates of the Church there.

Agno, one of the Nymphs that bred *Jupiter*, who gave her Name to a Fountain in Mount *Lyceus*, which, ('tis Fabled) being stirr'd by an Oaken-stick by the Priest of *Jupiter Lyceus*, a thick Vapour rose like a Mist, that at last dissolved into Showers.

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Agnodice, an *Athenian* Virgin, who frequenting the School of *Hierophitus* in Men's Apparel, attain'd to the perfect Knowledge of Physick, and fell to practise the Cure of Diseases accident to Child-bearing Women, whom she first acquainted with her Sex. Being called in question by the Physicians, as a Debaucher of Women, she discovering her Sex before the *Areopagites*, not only clear'd her self, but occasioned an Order, whereby the Men were forbid to Ask the Midwife.

Agonistes, Hereticks about the Y. 570. Followers of *Theophrastus*, who questioned the Omniscience of God. There were other Hereticks of that Name about the Y. 535. Disciples of *Themistius*, who believed that Christ knew not when the Day of Judgment should happen.

Agnon, Son of *Nutias*, and General of the *Athenians* in the *Peisian* War, wherein he had but ill Success.

Agnon, or *P'Agno*, Lat. *Clanius*,

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he was worsted by *Theseus*; and so the *Athenians* were freed from this Tribute. *Agon Olympius* was instituted by *Hercules*, from whence to the first Olympiad are reckon'd 430 Y. *Agon Capitolinus*, was instituted at Rome by *Domitian*, in Honour of *Jupiter Capitolinus*, A. C. 88.

Agonalia, Annual Festivals in Rome in Honour of *Janus*.

Agonax, *Azonax*, or *Azonach*, learnt Astronomy of *Shem*, or *Heber*, and taught it *Zoroaster*.

Agones, a People of *Insubria*, now *la Val di Cogna*, in the Territory of *Ticinum*, or *Pavia*. There is a R. here also called *Agonia*. Those that killed the Sacrifice in the *Agonalia* were also called *Agones*.

Agonius, a Deity, in whose Honour the *Romans* celebrated the *Agonalia*.

Agonothetes, so was called the Judge of the Combats at the *Olympick*, and other publick Games.

Agonocrites, Hereticks of the 8th

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Arank's, the Daughter of *Cecrops*, K. of *Athens*, being too curious to open a Wicker-Hamper, wherein *Minerva* had enclosed young *Erichonius*, the Goddess struck her with such a Frenzy, that she threw her self head-long from a Precipice.

Agreeable, an Island made by the R. *Liffe* in the Kingdom of *Fex*.

Agreda, a T. in *Arragon*, on the R. *Quilos*, bordering upon *Old Castile*.

Agremmes, an Indian K. of the *Gengerides*, who opposed *Alexander the Great*.

Agria, by the *German's* called *Eger*, by the *Hungarians*, *Eclaw*, a C. of *Upper Hungary*, on a R. of the same Name. It is small, but well fortified. *Solyman* besieg'd it without Success in 1552. *Mabomes III.* took it in 1596. It was retaken by the Imperialists in 1687. after a Blockade of 3 years. It stands 7 German Miles from *Tockay*, 17 N. E. of *Buda*, and 10 N. of *Zelnock*.

Agricola, (*Cneus Junius*) a Native of the C. of *Frejus* in *Provence*, who lived in the Reigns of *Galba*, *Vespasian*, and *Domitian*, and whose Merits raised him to great Employments.

Agricola, (*George*) a German Physician of the 16th Century, famous for his Writings, more particularly for his Treatises of Minerals, and of Subterranean Creatures.

Agricola, (*Rodulphus*) a *Friselander* of prodigious Wit, and universal Learning, who wrote a History and other Treatises. *Erasmus* wrote his *Encomium*. He was born in 1442. and died in 1485.

Agricola, (*John*) a very learn'd Man, Contemporary, Townsman, and Follower of *Luther*; who wrote afterwards in Defence of the *Saxon Confession*, and died at *Berlin*, where he was Minister.

Agricola, (*Francis*) born in *Leonen*, a T. of the *Dutchy of Fuliens*, is famous for his Writings and Devotion.

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Agrimonte, or *Agremont*, Lat. *Grumentum*, was formerly a considerable T. in *Italy* in the *Basilicite*, with a Bpk. since united to that of *Marfco*.

Agrionia, certain Annual Feasts solemnized by the *Paonian Women* in Honour of *Bacchus*.

Agrippa, (*Silvius*) a K. of the *Latins*, who succeeded *Tiberinus*.

Agrippa, (*Castor*) confuted the Errors of *Bahilides*, and of his Son *Hiodorus*, about A. C. 132.

Agrippa, surnamed *Herodes*, the Son of *Aristobulus* by *Berenice*. After the Death of *Herod Antipas* his Uncle, he went to *Rome*, where his Wit and Liberality acquir'd him the Friendship of many Persons in *Tiberius's* Court, particularly of *Drusus* and his Wife *Antonia*. He was imprisoned for wishing, that *Caius* his Friend might Reign. *Caius Caligula* being made Emperor, not only Releas'd him, but made him K. of *Judea*. He put St. *James* to Death, imprisoned St. *Peter*, and for his Pride, was eaten up with Worms. There was also *Herodes Agrippa*, the 2d Tetrarch of *Galilee*, well-skill'd in *Hebrew Customs*, before whom St. *Paul* was glad to be heard. He was the last K. of the *Jews*, who Stoned him from his Throne; whereupon he retired to *Rome*, where he lived in much Esteem with *Titus* and *Vespasian*.

Agrippa, (*Menenius*) a *Roman General*, who Triumph'd over the *Sabines*; and when the Commonalty of *Rome* withdrew themselves into the *Aventine Mount*, not able to endure the Burden of Tribute, nor continual Warfare, *Agrippa*, by telling them the Apologue of the Members of Man's Body quarrelling with the Belly, brought them to Terms of Accommodation, which were, That popular Magistrates should be chosen, called *Tribunes*. He died so Poor, that he was Buried at the publick Charge,

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Agrippa, (*Marcus Vipsanius*) the intimate Friend and Son-in-Law of *Augustus*, with whom he was twice Consul, and once with *Caninius Gallus*. He was the greatest Captain of his time, and one of the most considerable Men that ever *Rome* had, tho' meanly born. When he was *Aedile*, he adorn'd the City at his own Charge. He was the first that conquered *Egypt*, and was made Governor of *Asia*.

Agrippa, the Posthumous Son of *M. Vipsanius Agrippa*, was banish'd by his Grandfather *Augustus* into the Island *Planasia*, for some treasonable Designs, where he was murder'd by the Command of *Tiberius*.

Agrippa, (*Henry Cornelius*) a noble German born at *Colozne*, Doctor of Law and Physick, and Knight of the Military Order. He was a Prodigy of Learning, spoke 8 Languages, and wrote several Treatises but none

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of *Augustus*, was an Ambitious, Courageous and Virtuous Woman, Married to *Germanicus*. *Tiberius* banish'd her into the Island *Pandateria*, with her Sons *Nero* and *Drusus*, whom he put to Death. She reproaching his Cruelty, he order'd a Centurion to beat her, after which she Starv'd herself to Death.

Agrippina, the Daughter of *Germanicus*, Sister of *Caligula*, Wife of *Claudius*, and Mother of *Nero*, all *Casars*. She was born in a C. of the *Ubians*, which she aggrandiz'd, and called *Colonia Agrippina*, now *Cologne*. She was witty, handsome, vicious, proud; and thrice Married, the last time to her Uncle *Claudius*. She perswaded *Claudius* to adopt her Son *Nero*, and poison'd her Husband to make way for him. But at length *Nero* caus'd her to be Murder'd, A. C. 59. or 60.

Agrippina, Bur. of *Cerehana* in the

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fell passionately in Love with *Monroi* the Governor's Daughter, and Married her; but upon her proving with Child, his other Wives grew Jealous and poison'd her; yet out of Respect to her Memory, he gave her Father his Liberty.

Agui, or *Sultan Agui*, K. of *Banram*, in 1668. was the Son of *Sultan Agoum*, who resigned his Crown to him. But the young K. displeasing his Father and the People, *Agoum* took Arms to recover the Kingdom. Thereupon *Agui* craved Aid of the *Dutch*, by whose Assistance, he defeated his Father, and put him in Prison.

Aguila, a ruinous C. in the Kingdom of *Fez*, on the R. *Enguila*. The Lions in the Neighbouring Forests are so fearful, that 'tis a Proverb in *Fez*, to say of a Coward, *He's as fierce as a Lion of Aguila, that lets the Calves eat his Tail*.

Aguilameuf, a French Name of a certain Ceremony of the ancient Druids, who being to gather *Mistletoe* against *New-Years-Day*, they went about the Fields adjoining to their Forests, crying out, *A Gui-Fan-neuf*, that is, *To the Mistletoe the New-Year, to the Mistletoe, Druids, the New-Year*. This Name was also given to a certain Begging in some Diocesses on *New-Years-Day*, for the Tapers in Churches, which Custom was put down in 1592.

Agulard, Lat. *Agilaria*, a considerable T. in *Old Castile* in *Spain*.

Aguillon, (French) a learned Jesuit of *Brussels*, who wrote of *Opticks*, and died in 1617.

Agyens, a Name given to *Apollo* by the *Asbenians*, because they rais'd Altars to him in their Streets.

Agyonii, or *Agyinnius*, Hereticks of the 10th Age, who said, God forbade Eating of Flesh and Marriage.

Agris, a Potent Tyrant of the *Agoum* in *Sicily*, with whom *Dionysius* made a League in the first Y. of the

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97th Olympiad, against *Mago*, who Invaded *Sicily*. His principal City was called *Agyrium*.

Abā, was a famous Rabbi in the 7th Century.

Abab, or *Achab*, K. of *Israel*, a great Idolater, but Victorious over *Benbadad*, K. of the *Syrians*. His violent seizing of *Naborb's* Vineyard cost him the Extirpation of his Posterity.

Abasuerus, was *Darius*, the Son of *Hystaspes*, who put away his Wife *Vashti* to Marry *Esther*; others will have the *Persian* Monarch that Married *Esther* to be *Xerxes*.

Abaz, K. of *Judah*, an Idolater, who with the Silver and Gold of the Temple, hired *Tiglath Pilnezer* the K. of *Assyria*, to assist him against *Pekah*, K. of *Israel*, and *Rezin* K. of *Syria*. *Tiglath Pilnezer* took *Damascus*, and slew *Rezin*.

Abaziab, K. of *Israel*, falling down through a Lattice, he sent to enquire of *Baalzebub*, the God of *Ekron*, Whether he should recover or no? for which he was foretold his Death by *Elijah*.

Abijah, a Prophet of *Shilo*, who meeting *Jeroboam*, rent his Raiment in 12 pieces, and gave him 10 back again, to shew him God had design'd him to be K. of the 10 Tribes of *Israel*.

Abimelech, the Priest who reliev'd *David* coming to *Nob*, and furnish'd him with *Goliath's* Sword; for which *Saul* put both him and all the rest of the Priests to the Sword.

Abitobel, or *Achitobel*, one of *Abisalom's* Counsellors, when he Revolted from his Father; and who hang'd himself for fear of falling into the hands of *David*.

Abmet, or *Achmet*, Governor of *Egypt* for the *Saracens* in 878. he took *Antiochia*, and so well establish'd his Dominion, that he left *Syria* and *Egypt* to his Children, and resided himself at *Damascus*. He had 35 Sons who survived him. *Abusi*,

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Ahusa, Ahusen, a Sea-Port T. in *Seben* on the *Baltick* Sea, under the *Swedes*.

Ajala, (*Balthasar*) a learned *Antwerpian* of the 16th Age, who wrote of *Military Discipline*. *Gabriel Ajala*, his Townsman and Contemporary, was a Learned Physician, who wrote several Tracts in *Verse* and *Prose*.

Ajala, or *Martin Perez* of *Ajala*, a learned *Abp.* of *Valencia* in *Spain*, of the 16th Age, wrote several Tracts.

Ajalon, a C. of the Tribe of *Dan* in *Canaan*, which belong'd to the *Levites*, and stood West of *Jerusalem* between it and *Gath*.

Ajan, or the Coast of *Ajan*, a Region of *Æthiopia*, in *Africa*, on the Sea of *Zanguebar*, between the City of *Mogadiscu*, and *Cape Guardafui*, comprehending several Kingdoms.

Ajab, or *Lagaw*, a C. of *Arabia*

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Aichstad, Eistadium, and *Ala Narisca*, a T. in *Germany* in the Upper *Palatinate*, a B. under the A. of *Mentz*.

Aidanus, the 49th K. of *Scotland*, succeeded *Kinnatellus* about the Y. 570. He was the Son of K. *Goranus*, who reign'd before *Eugenius II.* for fear of whom he fled into *Ireland*, from whence he came in the Reign of *Kinnatellus*, by the Persuasion of *Columba*, a *Scott* *Wise*man; by whose Interest he was well receiv'd by the King, and after his Death, mounted his Throne. He entered into Confederacy with the Ancient *Britains*, and wag'd War against the *Saxons*, with various Success. He died in 604. *Aidanus*, is also the Name of a *Scottish* Bp. about 635. who converted *Northumberland*, and govern'd the Province of *York*.

Aidonius, otherwise called *Plato*, reign'd in the time of *Lycurgus*, K. of

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is Bruce the present Earl of *bury*.

mer, an *English Benedictine*, is in the 12th Age.

ze, *Alz*, or *Alisa*, a rocky in the W. of *Scotland*, 24 miles *Arran*, only inhabited at certain ns of the Year, when Busses thither to Fish for Cod and ing.

moine, a famous Monk of the 10th of the Order of *St. Bennet*, wrote the History of *France*, *St. nson*, or *Abinaon*, an Island on side of *China*, with a T. of the Name.

ns, a R. of *France*, common to and *Bugey*, which discharges it into the *Rhône* at *Loyettes*, to le Port d' *Ansin*.

er-Semes, a small T. overagainst *Cairo*, N. of *Memphis*, on the le of the *Nile*, famous for the ns of *Balm*.

ulphus, an Holy Hermit of the l *British Blood*. *Anulphsbury*, a n the Borders of *Bedford* and *ingdonshires*, was erected in his dry, part whereof called *Aims*-s still extant.

ry, a small Country N. W. of n in *Scotland*.

m, an *English Monk* who wrote *Memoirs* of his Monastery of nd, from the Y. 700. to 970.

ra, (*Gonsalvus*) of *Corduba*, first a Soldier, and then the K. in's Historiographer in the 16th

r, Lat. *Æria*, an ancient Trad- and R. of the County of *Kyle* : S. W. of *Scotland*.

as, an Heretick of the 4th Age, held, That the Holy Ghost was Consubstantial with the Father he Son.

rank, (*Peter*) a Lieutenant inal, or Recorder of *Angers* in e, who wrote several Law s.

re, a strong T. and Castle on the

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Frontiers of *Flanders*, within three Leagues of *St. Omers*, on the R. *Lys*. The *French* took it in 1641. but it was quickly after retaken by the *Spaniards*. The *French* took it again in 1676.

Aire, Lat. *Adurium*, a C. of *France* in *Gascony*, with a Bpk. under the Abp. of *Auch*, formerly considerable, as being the Residence of the Kings of the *Visigoths*, but now ruinous.

Airiacum, *Airy*, a Castle in the Diocels of *Auxerre* in *Burgundy*, where in 1020. a Council was held.

Aisne. Lat. *Axonis*, a R. in *France*, often mentioned in *Cæsar's* *Commentaries*.

Aistulphus, K. of the *Lombards*, was forced by *Pepin K.* of *France* to restore to *Pope Stephen III.* whatever he had Usurp'd from the Holy See, viz. The Exarchate of *Ravenna*, with all the Country between the *Po* and the *Appennine*, from *Piacenza* to the *Morass* of *Venice*, and the *Adriatick Sea*. Some time after he was killed as he rode a Hunting in 758.

Aius, or *Locutius*, a Deity, to whom the *Romans* erected a Temple in the new way.

Aix, Lat. *Aqua Sextia*, the capital C. of *Provence* in *France*, founded by the *Romans*, 14 Leagues from *Arles*, and 13 from *Avignon*. It was ruin'd by the *Goths* and *Saracens*, but always rebuilt. It has now noble Buildings, large Streets and Piazzas, and fine Churches. It is also an Apbk. University and Parliament-Town. The Prelates have held many Provincial Councils here. Their Hot Baths are used both for Bathing and Drinking. In the great Church they have a side Chapel, into which, they say, if any Woman enters, she is immediately struck Blind.

Aix-la-Chapelle, in *French*; Lat. *Aquisgranum*, called by the Inhabitants *Aken*, an Imperial T. in *Germany*, on the Borders of *Fuliers* and *Limburg*, and protected by the Duke of *Fuliers*.

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Juliers. It is said to have been built by *Gratus* the Brother of *Nero*, A. C. 50. and from him called *Aquis-Granum*. This City having been ruin'd by *Attila* K. of the *Huns*, it was rebuilt by the Emp. *Charlemagne*, who conferred great Privileges upon it, and made it the Seat of the Empire on this side the *Alps*, ordaining that the K. of the *Romans* should be Crown'd here with a Crown of Iron, as at *Milen* with one of Silver, and at *Rome* with one of Gold. This C. flourish'd till 882. when it was destroy'd by the *Normans*. It was afterwards repair'd, but it has suffer'd much by the Fire divers times since, particularly in 1655. The more remarkable Structures here, are the Town-House and the Church of our Lady built by *Charlemagne*, in which are kept abundance of Relicks. This City is particularly famous for its Hot-Baths, which are much resorted to, and very commodious; They are accounted *Nero-Sulphureo*.

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deavoured to corrupt the Scripture by shortning the Lives of the Patriarchs, with design to prove, That the Messiah was not yet come. There was another Rabbi of the same Name and his Contemporary.

Attilus, a K. of *Æthiopia*, who lived in the first Century.

Akingis, or *Acanges*, a sort of Volunteers or Freebooters among the *Turks*.

Alaba, a small Country of *Castile* in *Spain*, lying along the R. *Hebro*, whose capital is *Vitoria*.

Alaba, (*Diego*) a Bp. of *Corduba*, and afterwards of *Astorga* in *Spain*, who wrote concerning Universal Councils, and assisted at that of *Trent*.

Alabanda, there were anciently two Cities of *Caria* of that Name: One of them was before called *Antiochia*, and had its new Name from *Alabandus* Son of *Enippus*; the other was built by one *Car*, and also called *Alabanda*, which was his Sons

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on, John d'Aligon, a Gentle-
Providence, who laid a Design
on the City of *Marseilles* into
the hands of the *Spaniards*, but was
betrayed, and put to Death for
treason.

Abamare, or *Mabomet Abufard*,
a K. of *Granada*, who rais'd
his reputation by the Disorders of the
King of *Spain*, about the Y. 1237.
His successors reign'd for 250 Y. by
the name of *Abamares*.

I, the first, surnam'd the *Dor-
Blain* II. surnam'd the *Long*;
III. the Son of *Pasquitanus*,
takes of *Bretagne* in *France*;
of which in the Y. 890. de-
stroy'd 15000 *Normans*, leaving but
few.

I, first surnam'd *Wry-beard*;
II. *Alain* III. surnam'd *Fer-
Blain* IV. surnam'd the *Black*,
Counts of *Bretagne*; of
Alain III. was at the Recovery
of *Holy Land* by the Christians.
I, K. of the *Goths*, ravaged
Epirus, and *Thessaly*, which
he took from the Emp. *Valens*, thro'
the artifice of *Maximus* their Go-

vernour of *Insulis*, surnam'd the
King of *Universal*, on account of
his things. He was Rector of the
University of *Paris*, and died in 1294.
He was above 100 Y. old. He was
sent to Dispute at the *Lateran*
Council, and ordered by the Pope to

be a *Benedictine* Monk, who
performed several Works, particularly the
History of *Thomas of Becket's* Banish-

ment, Lat. *Alani*, a barbarous
Savagelike Nation that over-ran *Eu-
rope* in the 4th, 5th, and
6th Cent. Some say they were the
Scythians, others the *Scythians*, or
Lans.

I, a T. in the *Lower Languedoc*,
situated in the Bpk. of *Nismes*.

I, little Islands in the *Ara-*

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Abian Gulph, where *Tortoises* are
caught.

Alalcomena, anciently a small C.
of *Bacotia*, built by a Pr. of that
Name, famous for the Temple of
Minerva, and the Tomb of *Tiresias*.
The T. of *Isbaca*, in the Island of
the same Name, was also called *Alal-
comena*.

Alamander, K. of the *Saracens*,
being about turning Christian, and
the Disciples of the Heresiarch *Seve-
rus*, contending for the Honour of
Baptizing him, to put 'em off, he
told 'em, He had News brought him
that the Arch-Angel *Michael* was
Dead: They answering, that it was
impossible: *How?* said he, *Is it im-
possible that an Angel should Die?*
How then could Christ suffer Death,
*if as you say, he had but one Na-
ture.*

Alamat VI. the last K. of the
Persians, of the Race of *Ussun-Cassan*,
Dethron'd and Slain by *Ismael*, the
first of the *Sophi's* in 1499.

Alambaser, Gall. *L'Isle-de-Dieu*,
on the Sea-Coast of the Prov. of *Gu-
zarate* in *India*, 50 Leagues from the
Mouth of the R. *Indus*, with a good
Haven, and a Castle belonging to
the *Portuguese*.

Alamir, Pr. of *Tarsus*, assumed
the Name of *Calyph*, and with a
great Army invaded the Empire in
the 9th Age, but was defeated and
slain by *Andreas Scythia*, Governor of
the *Levants*.

Alan, or *Allen*, (*William*) a *Lan-
cashire* Man, bred in *Oriel Colledge*
in *Oxford*, became Head of *St. Mary's*
Hall, and going beyond Sea, was the
first Founder of the *English Seminary*
at *Dowry*. Pope *Sixtus V.* made him
Cardinal in 1587. for his Zeal for
the Church of *Rome*.

Aland, a Swedish Island at the
Mouth of the *Borhnick* Gulf, E. of
Finland.

Alap, a Soldan of *Egypt* and *Baby-
lon*, who retook *Fleiss* from the

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Christians, over which he exercis'd great Barbarities.

Alarbs, a Clan of Arabian Robbers settled in *Barbary*.

Alaric I. K. of the *Goths*, ravag'd the East in 395. being invited thither by *Rufinus* after the Death of *Theodosius* the Great. In 403. he march'd into *Italy*, but was defeated by *Stilico*, who gave him liberty to retreat back, and promis'd him a great Sum of Money if he would assist him to Dethrone the Emp. *Honorius*, which being discovered, *Stilico* was kill'd at *Ravenna*. *Alaric* return'd again into *Italy*, and sack'd *Rome* in 409. but being hinder'd passing into *Sicily* at *Reggio*, he died in his return at *Cosencia*, and was Buried in a River.

Alaric II. K. of the *Visigoths*, succeeded *Euric* in 484. or 485. tho' an *Arian*, he suffered the Catholick Prelates to hold a Council at *Agde*; and published an Abridgment of *Theodosius's* Code. *Clovis* K. of *France*, hating *Arians*, attacked *Alaric*, nor

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Alba Regalis, or *Sibul-Weissenburg*, a City of Upper *Hungary*. It stands in a Morass (which fortifies one side of it) on a Lake and the River *Sarwitze*, W. of *Buda* 45 M. And here the Kings of *Hungary* were Crown'd and Buried. It was recover'd from the *Turks* in 1688.

Alban, an eminent Painter of *Bologna* in the 17th Cent. To be able to draw *Venus* and the *Cupid's* to the Life, he Married a poor but beautiful Virgin, who with her naked Boy sate to him. He died in 1660.

St. *Alban*, was the first that was Martyr'd in *Britain* for Christianity under *Dioclesian* in 303. from the place of whole Martyrdom or Birth, *Verulam* assum'd the Name of St. *Albans* in *Hertsfordshire*.

Albana, a T. of the Asiatick *Albania* on the *Caspian* Sea of considerable Trade.

Albanel, (*Garceran*) Abp. of *Granada*, wrote an Abridgment of the Hist. of *Spain*, and some other Books.

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, a T. in the K. of *Naples*, Title of Principality.

is, a sort of Hereticks in the who renewed most of the Errors. They held two be one Good, and Father *Christ*; and the other Bad, of the Patriarchs, and the of the Old Testament.

olis, a C. of *Macedonia*, the is of the *Albanesi*, about 40 n *Dyrrachium*, now *Duraz-*

aus, Lat. *Fanum St. Albani*, and M.-T. in *Hertsfordshire*, from St. *Alban* the Proto-*Britain*, in whose Honour was founded here in 795. was built out of the Ruins of *Verulam*. It has been with the several Titles of Earl, and Duke. With the Person of *Francis Bacon*, Viscount St. *Al-Lord* High Chancellor of With the 2d in the Person of *de Burgh*: And with the Person of *Charles Beauclaire*, Son of *Charles II.* It sends Members to Parliament, who *George Churchill* and *John* *ires*.

, a Mountain now called *Almo*: Also a Lake known by the name of *Castell Gondolpo*: in the *Campagna di Roma*, a- from *Rome*.

Brailalbin, Lat. *Albania*, the W. of *Scotland*, N. of some Derive this Word at *Album*, which they think the same with *Alpum*, i.e. *High*; they pretend that *Albanus* *High Scotland*, or the highest *land*. This Country gives of Duke to the Eldest Son *f*.

in, Lat. *Albaracinum*, a in *Aragon* on the R. *Utr*.

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Albategnius, a Syrian Prince of the 9th Age, who is also known by the Name of *Mihomes* of *Ara*, which is a City in *Chaldea*. He wrote very curious Observations on the Sun, the Moon, &c.

Albati, a sort of *Hermits*, so called from the White Linnen which they wore *Ann.* 1399. in Pope *Bonifacius IX*'s time: They came down from the *Alps* into several Provinces of *Italy*, headed by a Priest Cloathed in White, and a Crucifix in his Hand, who passed for a Saint.

Albemarle, the most Northern part of *Carolina* in the *W. Indies*, where there are two *English* Colonies settled.

Alben, a Mo. in *Carniola*, where are Mines of Quick-silver. 'Tis called in Latin, *Albanum*, *Albius*, and *Albium*.

Albenga, Lat. *Albiga*, or *Albingaunum*, a large well-built, but ill-peopled Sea-Port T. belonging to the Republick of *Genova*, with a Bpk. under the Abp. of the Capital.

Albergati, (*Nicolas*) a Cardinal under the Title of *Santa Croce*, Bp. of *Bologna*. Pope *Eugenius IV.* sent him to Preside in the Council of *Basil*, but the Fathers of that Council would not acknowledge him. He died *Ann.* 1443.

Alberic, Marquis of *Heiruria*, Son of *Adelbert* and *Mariozia*, was put to Death by the *Romans*, *Ann.* 955. for having called in the *Hungarians* into *Italy*.

Alberic, Abp. of *Reims*, who undertook a Croisade against the *Albigenses* and *Saracens*, *Ann.* 1212.

Alberic, a French Monk, who wrote several pieces of Poetry, and a Chronicle from the beginning of the World to the Y. 1241.

Alberic, or *Albrice*, a learned *English*-Man born at *London*, *Ann.* 1217. who wrote several Pieces.

Alberic, or *Aubrey Vere*, a Canon

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Regular of the Order of *St. Austin*, celebrated for his Treatise concerning the *Eucharist*, &c. lived *Ann.* 1250.

Albert I. the Son of *Rodolphus* the Emp. and the first of the Arch-Dukes of *Austria*. Having killed in a Battel, *Ann.* 1238. with his own Hand, *Adolphus de Nassau*, who had been preferred before him to the Empire; he was Crowned at *Aix-la-Chapelle*. He was Stabb'd by *John D.* of *Suevia*.

Albert II. was Son-in-Law of the Emp. *Sigismund*, and after *Sigismund's* Death, was Crown'd K. of *Hungary* and *Bohemia*. He drove the *Polanders* out of the Empire, and reduced the *Moravians* to Obedience. He died *Ann.* 1435.

Albert I. Duke of *Meckelburg*, was Elected King by the Nobility of *Sweden*, who could not bear the Tyranny of *Magnus IV.* but being afterwards fallen into the same Disorders, he was overthrown in a Battel by *Margaret Q.* of *Denmark* and *Normy*, and

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ry. He Besieged *Ostend*, and at the end of 3 years, 3 months, and 3 days, took it, *Ann.* 1609. He died 1621. without Issue.

Albert III. Duke of *Bavaria*, refused the Kingdom of *Bohemia*, and died *Ann.* 1460.

Albert IV. D. of *Bavaria*, died *Ann.* 1508.

Albert V. D. of *Bavaria*, succeeded his Father *William III.* *Ann.* 1550.

Albert I. D. of *Saxony*, surnamed *The Proud*, rebell'd against his Father, *Ann.* 1195. and kept him in Prison.

Albert II. D. of *Saxony*, surnamed *The Degenerate*, being fallen in Love with a mean Woman, called *Cunegunda*, attempted to Poison his Wife, who was Daughter to the Emperour *Frederick II.* but she escaped to *Frankfort*, where she died. Whereupon *Albert* Married *Cunegunda*, and by her had a Son called *Lewis*, whom he designed for Heir.

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and Fox of Germany, had Wars in *Silefia, Bohemia, Prussia, and Germany*, which were advantageous to him. He died *Ann.* 1486.

Albert, Grand Master of the Teutonic Order, and first Hereditary Duke of *Prussia*, embraced the Protestant Religion, and died *Ann.* 1568.

Albert-Frederick, of *Brandenburgh*, was Invested with the Dukedom of *Erussia* by *Sigismund II.*

Albert, Marquis of *Brandenburgh*, Son of *Casimir*, was called, *The Alcibiades of Germany*. The Emperor *Charles V.* sent him *Ann.* 1547. to the Elector of *Saxony* to receive from him the Town of *Roslitz*. *Ann.* 1552. he entered into a League against the Emperor, and raising an Army, pillaged *Prussia*, raised vast Sums from *D. Albert*, took the Town and Castle of *Lichtenau*; burnt it with 100 Villages, and 70 Castles. The Bps. of *Bamberg* and *Wirtsburg*, as well as the T. of *Nuremberg*, and several others of *Swilia*, were forced to Treat with him, and give him vast Sums of Money. He also wasted the Territories of the Electors of *Mentis* and *Treves*, took the C. of *Spires* and *Worms*, and harra's'd *Lorraine* and *Luxemburgh*. At length he agreed with the Emp. but soon after he continued his Outrages, and being routed, *Ann.* 1554. he was put into the Imperial Ban; whereupon he retired into *France*. But having leave to return home to defend his own Cause: He died of a Melancholy, *Ann.* 1557.

Albert I. surnamed, *The Great*, D. of *Brunswick*, and Son of *Otto I.* died *Ann.* 1297.

Albert II. D. of *Brunswick*, younger Son to *Albert I.*

Albert, Abp. of *Mayence*, Duke of *Lorain*, Chancellor to the Emperor *Henry V.* who made him one of his Electors, died *Ann.* 1137.

Albert Aquensis, a Canon of *Aix-*

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la-Chapelle; writ the History of the Duke of *Bouillon's* Expedition into the *Holy Land*; He lived *Ann.* 1180.

Albert Argentinensis, wrote a Chronicle of the German Empire, from *Rodolphus I.* to *Charles IV.*

Albert of Padua, a Monk of the Order of *St. Austin*, was in great Reputation in the 4th Cent. for his Learning and his Theological Writings.

Alberti, (*James*) of *Bologna* in *Italy*, in the 4th Cent. wrote a Treatise shewing the Difference between the Civil and Canon-Law.

Alberti, (*John*) a German Lawyer, very learned in the Oriental Languages, published an Abridgment of the *Alcoran*, *Ann.* 1543. with Remarks.

Alberti, (*Leo Baptista*) of *Florence*, famous for his Skill in Architecture, lived in the 16th Cent.

Albertus Magnus, a German Dominican, born at *Lawingen* in *Suabia*, *Ann.* 1193. or 1205. (or according to others, an *Austin* Friar born at *Padua*) was an extraordinary learned Man. *Urban IV.* forced him to accept of the Bpk. of *Raisbonne*. He died at *Cologne*, *Ann.* 1280.

Albi, Lat. *Albia*, or *Albiga*, a C. of *France* in the Upper *Languedoc*, with an Archbishop's See.

Albius, Bp. of *Prague*, a great Friend to *John Hus*, and the Disciple of *Wicliff*, was a Person of Wit and Learning.

Albigenses, in French, *Albigois*, were so called because they liv'd first in the Country about *Albi*, from whence they spread themselves all over *Lionnois*, *Languedoc*, and *Guienne*. Their Opinions were near the same with those of the *Waldenses*. They were Excommunicated and Persecuted by the Pope, but *Feder K.* of *Aragon*, and the Earls of *Toulouse*, *Foix*, *Cominges*, &c. undertook their Protection. These Confederates

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federates having been defeated by *Simon Earl of Montfort*, a Peace was made between *Raymond Count of Tholouse*, and *Lewis the Godly*; so that the *Albigenses* were most of them reconciled to the *Roman Church*; The remainder retired to the *Alps* and *Piedmont*, where they formed a Church some while after, upon the Model of *Calvin*.

Albigerius, a *Carthaginian Magician* in *St. Austin's* time.

Albinus, a Son of *Frutus*, the supposed Planter of *Britain*, who had possessed *Albania* or *Scotland* if he had not been killed by *Humber K.* of the *Huns*.

Albinovanus Pado, a Poet, Contemporary with *Aud.*

Albinus, Decimus Claudius, born at *Adrumetum* in *Africa*, who caused himself to be Proclaim'd *K.* in *England*. But *Constantine Emperor* fell upon

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quent Disputes about Philosophical Questions.

Albobaren, Hali, an *Arabian Astronomer*, who lived in the 13th Age.

Alboin, K. of the *Lombards*, extirpated the *Geptide*, and then falling into *Italy*, took *Milan, Pavia, Ravenna*, and was at last Assassinated by his Wife *Rosamund's* Gallant, called *Helmiges*; Ann. 574.

Albon, a Co. of the *Viennois* in the Prov. of *Dauphiné*.

Alboran, or *Albusama*, a little Island in *Africa* near the Kingdom of *Fez*.

Alborg, a T. of *Denmark* in *Fusland*, a Bpk. under the A. of *Lunden*.

Albornoz, (*Giles Alvarez*) Abp. of *Toledo*, was made a Cardinal by *Clement VI.* Ann. 1350. His Successor sent him into *Italy*, Legate and General against the Usurpers of *St. Peter's* Patrimony, whom he reduced to their Obedience, & forced Peace to Italy.

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Alcaraz, a learned *Arabian* geographer in the 10th Cent.

Alcaz, a Goddess, worshipp'd by the *Phoenicians* in a Grove near *Tyburnum*. *Albornos*, now *Alborno*, a Mo. of *Italy*.

Albuquerque, a small C. of *Portugal*, the Title of Dukedom, which was enjoy'd by the famous *Alphonso Albuquerque*, Viceroy of the *East* who died, *Ann.* 1515.

Albuquerque, (*Edward*) Knight of the Order of *Christ*, wrote the History of the War of *Brasil*.

Alcibiades *Silus*, an Orator of *Novus* very much esteemed at *Rome*, being tormented with an Immense Pain, starved himself to Death in order to rid of that Pain.

Alcibiades, the Father of *Canida*, famous for his extraordinary Conquests.

Alcibiades, a Lyrick Poet, born in *Novus*, in the Island of *Lesbos*, a Enemy to *Pittacus* one of the *Wife-Men*.

Alci, a high Mo. in the Kingdom of *Novus*.

Alcid, a Name given in *Barbary* to that bath the Administration of *Rice*, and the Guard of the

Alcala de Henares, Lat. *Complutensis* Town of the *New Castile* famous for its Univerſity.

Alcala Real, Lat. *Alcala Regalis*, a City in the Kingdom of *Granada*.

Alcides, the 9th K. of the *Novus*, succeeded *Teleclus*, and reigned 17 Y. He is celebrated for his Justice, Abstinence, and Witty Repartees.

Alcides, a young Man of *Sparta* who put out one of *Lycurgus's* Eyes in the popular Insurrection. Also, a name of *Sarpedon*, K. of *Lydia* killed by *Ulyſſes* before *Troy*.

Alcornoque, a small fortified C. of *Novus* on the River *Tagus* or *Tago*, remarkable for its Antiquities, and

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noted for an Order of Knights, who take the Denomination of *Alcornoque*, formerly Knights of the *Pear-Tree*.

Alcaraz, a C. of *New Castile* in *Spain*, on the R. *Guadiana*, 125 M. S. E. of *Madrid*.

Alcatraz, made K. of *Cordova* by the *Arabians*, but because he favour'd the Foreign *Mahometans*, his Subjects rebelled against him, and his Favourites hung him up in the Fortrefs of *Cordova*.

Alcathous, the Son of *Pelops*, who succeeded *Euripus* in the Kingdom of *Megara*. See *Megara*.

Alcazar, the Name which the *Moor*s gave to their Royal Palaces.

Alcazar, *Quivir*, or the *Great*, the Chief T. of the Prov. of *Aſgar*, upon the Coasts of *Barbary*, famous for that Battel where *Sebastian* K. of *Portugal* lost both the Field and his Life.

Alcazar-eguer, or, the *Little Palace*, a C. of the Prov. of *Habes*, in the Kingdom of *Fez*.

Alcenor, or rather *Alcinor*, an *Argive*, one of the two that escaped in the Combat of 300 *Argives* with 300 *Lacedemonians*, to determine the Bounds of their Territories.

Alceſte, the Daughter of *Pelias*, and Wife of *Admetus* King of *Theſſaly*, who offered to Die for her Husband.

Alcetas, K. of *Macedon*, Son of *Eropus*, and Father of *Amyntas*, died *A. M.* 3527.

Alcetas, Son of *Arybdis*, and K. of the *Epirotes*; who because of his Cruelties and Extravagancies, was murdered by his Subjects.

Alchemy, the Art of Purifying Metals, turning the less perfect into Gold and Silver, and Extracting of the Spirits of Minerals and Plants. The *Alchymists* pretend, that *Adam* taught it *Enoch*, and that from him it descended to *Moses* and others.

Alci, (*Andrew*) a famous *Milanese*

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neze Lawyer. *Francis I.* invited him to *France*, where he Read upon his Profession at *Avignon, Bourges, &c.* He died at *Padua*, Ann. 1550.

Alciat, (*Tirentius*) a learned Jesuit of *Rome*, wrote the Acts of the Council of *Trent*, &c. He died Ann. 1551.

Alciat, (*Paul John*) a *Milaneze*, who being banished by the K. of *Poland* for his *Socinian* Opinions, died at *Dantzick*.

Alcibiades, the Son of *Æatides*, and Sovereign of *Lampzacum*, join'd with *Clisthenes* to expel *Pisistratus* from *Athens*; but growing too potent, he was banish'd by *Ostracism*.

Alcibiades, General of the *Athenians* in the *Peloponnesian* War. His Envyers accusing him of Sacrilege, he fled to *Thebes*, and caused the *Lacedemonians* to enter into a League with the K. of *Perſia* to besiege *Athens*. But being recall'd by the *Athenians*, he constrained the *Lacedemonians*, 5 times beaten by Land,

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of *Aolus*; who seeing her Husband the King *Ceyx* wreck'd, threw her self into the Sea, near the place where she saw his Corps.

Alcioneus, a Gyant, the Brother of *Porphyrion*, who was kill'd by *Hercules*.

Alcippe, the Daughter of *Mars* and *Aglaura*, who was pursued by *Halirrotius* the Son of *Neptune*, with a design to Ravish her, for which he was killed by *Mars*.

Alcippe, the Daughter of *Oenomaus* Mother of *Marpissa*, born away from her Husband *Evenus* by *Idas*. Also the Name of a Woman in *Pliny* that brought forth an Elephant. Also the Wife of *Alcippus*, a *Lacedemonian*, who to Revenge her self on that State for Banishing her Husband, seizing all his Substance, and forbidding the Marriage of her Daughters, first burnt the Noble Women in the Temple, then kill'd her self and two Daughters.

Alcippus, Husband to the fore-

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not well stir; on which *Crasus* caused him with his Burthen to be carried home. Also the Name of a Disciple of *Pythagoras*, and Son of *Pirithus* of *Crotonas*, the first Writer on Natural Philosophy, he believed the Stars were animated, and mov'd about the Sun by their own Soul.

Alcmaeonide, *Alcmaeon's* Posterity, of great Esteem in *Athens*, and vigorous opposers of the Tyranny of *Pisistratus*, from whose Tyranny they delivered their Country; being expell'd their Country by the House of *Pisistratus*, with the *Amphidions*, They built the Temple of *Delphos*, its Front all of *Parian* Marble; and so manag'd the Priests, that by their frequent Admonitions of the *Lacedaemonians* to set *Athens* free, their Fleet drove out the *Pisistrata* their Allies from that City.

Alcmar, the capital C. of the N. of *Holland*, and one of the finest of the Low Countries, built A. C. 550. first fortified by *William K.* of the *Romans*, in 1517. It was plunder'd 8 days successively: In 1573. by the help of additional Fortifications, it repulsed the *Spaniard*. It sends Deputies to the States of *Holland*, States General, &c. and stands in a fruitful Country, 5 L. N. of *Harlem*, and N. W. of *Amsterdam*, whence you pass to it through the R. *Yssel*.

Alcman, a *Lacedaemonian* Lyrick Poet in the 27th Olympiad. 655 Y. before Christ, one of the oldest Greek Poets.

Alcmena, *Amphitryon's* Wife and Daughter of *Electryo*, and *Lyfidice*: *Jupiter* being in Love with her, in her Husband's absence, at the War he had undertaken in Revenge of the Death of *Telebais* *Alcmena's* Brother, enjoy'd her in *Amphitryon's* shape, and begot *Hercules*, who was born with *Apelles* got by her Husband.

Alcock, (*John*) being born at *Beverly* in *Yorkshire*, and bred at *Cambridge*. when he was made Bp. of

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Ely, and Chancellor of *England* built a Chappel at *Beverly*, and founded *Jesus Colledge*, *Cambridge*, out of the old Nunnery of *St. Radegonda*, erected by *Malcolm King* of *Scotland*.

Alcon, Son of *Erethbeus* King of *Athens*, who killed a Dragon, with his Arrows, without hurting his Child that was seiz'd by it.

Alcoran, an *Arabick* Word, that signifies *Reading* or *Collection*, and is given as a peculiar Name to the Book of *Mahomet's* Law. Though *Mahomet* himself first made this Book by the help, as People imagine, of two Monks, one a *Jacobin*, the other a *Nestorian*, and some *Jews*; yet sure whoever reads it, will never think that there needed any Club to such a Mess of Stuff, that exceeds *Gargantua*, &c. in monstrous Absurdities and foolish Stories. 'Tis divided into 4 Parts, and each into several Chapters; as the Chapter of the Cow, the Emmet, the Spider, &c. 'Tis composed of Moral Doctrines, and blind Tales; the Sacred History blended with Fables; Predestination is a Fundamental of their Law, as well as Propagation of it by the Sword. *Mohavia*, Calyph of *Babylon*, out of 200 different Comments on this Book, made the present *Alcoran*, by locking up the most learned in the Law, to write and distinguish the Truth from the Errors: But notwithstanding all the Prohibitions of the Caliph to other Opinions; There are sprung four Sects among them; viz. The *Imenian*, or Sect of *Haly*, of which are the *Persians*; The Sect of *Melich* followed by the *Arabians* and *Moors*; The Sect of *Omar*, of which are the *Turks*; And the Sect of *Odman*, of which the *Tartars* are.

Alcoraz, a C. in *New Castile*, memorable for a mighty Victory over the *Moors*, Ann. 1094.

Alceffir, a Port on the *Red Sea*, where the *Europeans* take Shipping for *Abyssinia*.

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Alcuinus, (*Flaccus*) an Orator, Historian, Poet, Mathematician, and Divine, Disciple of Venerable *Bede*, and *St. Egbert* Abp. of *York*. The Fame of his Learning prevail'd with *Charlemagne* to beg him of *Offa* K. of *Mercia*. His favour with that Emperor, founded, enriched, and instructed the Universities of *Tours* and *Paris*. In 794. he was one of the Fathers of the *Synod* of *Francfort*, and died at his Abby at *Tours* in 804.

Altyone, afterwards called *Methone*, is a C. of *Thessaly*, standing on the Bay of *Meliacus*. Here *Philip* of *Macedon* lost one of his Eyes: Also a Lake near *Corinth*, so deep, that *Nero* could not with join'd Cords find the bottom of it; 'twas called the Fountain of *Amphiarans*, from his Temple near it.

Aldana, (*Bernard*) a timorous Spanish Governour of *Lippa* in *Transilvania* for the Emperor, whose fear of

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his own, *John* of *Leyden*, and *Knipperdolling*; his Drawings with a Pen were admirable.

Alderbury, a small Village in *Shropshire*, remarkable only for old *Parre's* being born there, who liv'd 152 Y. and saw 10 Reigns.

Aldernay, an Isle on the Norman Coast, noted for the Sea-fight betwixt the *English* and the *French* in 1692.

Aldhelmus, was the Son of *Kenmen*, of a Family very Noble, if not Royal, in 705. He was Bp. of *Shirburn*, and applied to as the Oracle of Learning by all the Men of Letters in *Europe*. He was a mighty Stickler for the Romish Celebration of *Easter*; was said to be the first English-Man that writ in Latin Verse. He wrote several Things; was very Religious and Continent, and the Monkish Writers attribute not a few fabulous and ridiculous Miracles to him. He founded the Monasteries of *Malmsbury*, *Bed-*

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died at *Horn-Castle* in *Lincolnshire*, *Ann.* 1555.

Aldrovandus, (*Ulysses*) a great Physician and Philosopher of *Bologna*, was Author of 120 Books on several Subjects, yet extant, and died *Ann.* 1625. *Maplow Barbarini* writ his Panegyrick.

Aldraulus, born in *England*, and of so great Knowledge in Natural Philosophy, &c. that the Ignorant Age thought him a Conjuror.

Aldulf, a good K. of the E. *Angles*, succeeded his Uncle *Ethelwald* in 654.

Ale, a Kingdom of the most barbarous *Negro's* in *Africa*: When the King is advised by his Subjects in Matters of Peace and War, they speak into the Ditch, which after is fill'd up, that it may not discover their Resolutions; no Man daring to utter them for fear of Punishment. The Women beautify their Persons by Carrying on their Flesh in rais'd Work, Beads, Beasts, Flowers, &c.

Aleis, Daughter of *Acheron* and *Night*, or *Pluto* and *Proserpina*, one of the Furies, and her Name imports *Wickedness*.

Aleisys, transform'd by *Mars* from his Beloved Youth, into a Cock, for letting the Sun (by his Sleeping, as he kept the Door) discover the Intrigue betwixt *Mars* and *Venus*.

Aleius, or *Geographus Nubentis*, a Geographer that divided the World into 7 Climates, 500 Y. since, in the time of *Frederic* K. of *Sicily*.

Aligale, (*Philip*) a Jesuit of *Brussels* of the 17th Cen. who continued and made Additions to the *Bibliotheca* of the Writers of that Order begun by *Feladensis*.

Aligraffa, a small Island not far from the *Cannaries*, with a good Harbour commanded by a strong Fort.

Aligrinus, (*Felix*) born at *Abbeville* in *Flanders*, of a noble Family; who having by his Learning and Abilities attain'd the Cardinal's Cap, and the Patriarchate of *Constantinople*, died *Ann.* 1240.

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Alemanni, the old *German's*, on the Confines of *Gallia Belgica*, and *Rætia*. The Etymologists can't agree in the meaning of the Name, more than the Geographers on the Ancient People to whom it belong'd. 'Tis now taken for *German's* in general.

Alemannus, succeeded his Father *Teutz*, (the *German Hercules*) in the Kingdom of the Ancient *German's*, who are thought to derive that Appellation from him: He us'd to have a Lion in Chains led after him; whence the Lion is put in the Achievements of the *German Princes*.

Alemar, *Mahomet's* Green Standard-Bearer, on the Grand Signior's publick Appearances.

Alemlin, a large and powerful C. 4 miles W. of *Hesfora*, and at Wars with it. They both were subdued by the King of *Lez*.

Alenon, a C. of *Normandy*, once dignified with an Earldom in the Family of *Valois*, erected into a Dukedom by *Charles VI.* *Ann.* 1414. now annexed, with the most considerable Bailliage in that Province, to the Crown. The City is large and fair on the *Sarre*, over which, and the *Erime*, which it there receives, there is a Bridge, and in an Island made in the City by these Streams, stands the Convent of *St. Clues*: in the Parish of *Our Lady*, are the Tombs of the Dukes of *Alenon*. Here the Protestants were saved from the Massacre in 1572. by *Mr. de Marignon*, who afterwards took it for the Leaguers: It suffered much in the last Civil War.

Alemdoff, an *Hassim* C. on the *R. Weser*, frequented and noted for its Salt Spring.

Alemteja, a Prov. of *Portugal*, 25 L. long, and 34 broad, betwixt the *Tajo*, or *Tago*, and *Guzdama*, whence its Name, in a wonderful rich and plentiful Soil; nor less noted for *Evora*, the ancient Seat of their Kings; and the Victory of *Orique*,

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over 5 Moorish Kings, by *Alphonfus I.* of *Portugal*.

Aleppo, a C. in *Syria*, on the small *R. Coic*, and with its Circuit it takes in 4 Hills, on the highest of which stands a Castle: The Building but mean without, but lined with Marble, Painting, &c. It has 26 Mosques, 7 of them with Domes; 3 Colleges of the Mahometan Divinity, Philosophy, and Grammar; and 40 Caravanseras, or Inns, and 50 publick Baths; 12 Gates, and 3 Suburbs. Beside a few *Aaronites* and *Romanists*, there are 16000 Greek Christians under an Abp. 12000 Armenians under a Bp. and as many Jacobites and Copticks under their Bp. each in their distinct Churches. 'Tis the 3d City of *Turkey* for Wealth, largeness and populousness, 120000 dying of the Plague there in 3 months. 'Tis the Residence of the Bassa of that Province, who besides a guard of 300 Men, has 400 Horse,

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of the *R. Drin*, fam'd for the Tomb of *George Castriot*, or *Scanderbeg*, the Scourge of the *Turks*.

Alestry, (*Richard*) born at *Uppington* in *Shropshire*, *Ann.* 1619. of an ancient *Derbyshire* Family. In 1636. he was admitted of *Christ Church, Oxford*, which he left in the Civil Wars for the King's Service, but returned to his Studies again, when *Oxford* was made a Garison; and after having served the King again, as a Soldier, and in other Posts being very active for the Restoration, he was made Canon of *Christ Church*, Chaplain to the King, *Regius Professor*, *Provost* of *Eaton*, and Doctor of Divinity. He died and was buried at *Eaton*, *Ann.* 1680.

Aleth, a C. of *Languedoc* in *France*, at the foot of the *Pyrenean Hills*, 40 M. W. of *Narbon*, and 16 S. of *Carcasson*, a Bpk. under *Narbonne*.

Alethes, Captain of one of *Aeneas's* Ships, and cast away in the Storm rais'd

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of the *Alexandrians*, he was d by *Cereas*, a Pilot, in 3964.

nder II. Son of the former, from *Mithridates*, was re- his Crown by *Sylla*, but d by his Subjects 19 days Coronation.

nder III. succeeding his Bro- *exander II.* after a happy 17 Y. was expelled by his , and died at *Tyre*.

nder I. K. of *Epirus*, Brother *ias*, *Alexander the Great's* , leaving *Epire* to avoid dying t. *Acheron*, as foretold, War'd *viz*, and complain'd that he with Men in *Italy*, while his , only with Women in *Asia*. kill'd in *Lucania* near a River me Name *Acheron*.

nder II. K. of *Epire*, and Son *tus*, beaten from his Invasion *edon*, by *Demetrius*, Son of *us*, and then out of his King- which yet he recovered by p of those of *Acarnania*.

nder I. K. of *Macedon*, the *Amynas*, and the first that e Name of the *Macedonians* , in his Youth often been Victor *Olympick Games*, and slain the Ambassador for his Familia- ith the Court-Ladies. He d 41 Y. in great Honour, and L. M. 3508.

nder II. of *Macedon*, Son *mus* III. was treacherously d by his Brother *Ptolemy* , in 102d *Olympiade*.

nder III. K. of *Macedon*, d the *Great*. Son of *Philip* of *us*, and *Olympias* a Daughter of was born in the 106 *Olympiad*, . before Christ, on the very that *Diana's Temple* of *Ephefus* . He discharg'd the Ad- ration of the Government in thers abience to Admiration, ing a dangerous Revolt at 15 old. Sav'd his Fathers Life at d soon after, and gained the

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Wonder and Love of the most ex- perientc'd Officers. He first killed *Attalus*, *Cleopatra's* Brother, whom *Philip*, having Divorced himself from *Olympias*, had Married; then retired to his Mother; whence recalled, he punished all that had a hand in his Father's Death; and having subdued *Illyrium*, *Thrace*, *Thebes*, &c. in the 111th *Olympiad*, declar'd War against *Persia*; and routing *Darius* at the *Granic Flood*, he over-ran *Lydia*, *Jonis*, *Caria*, *Pamphylia*, and *Cappadocia*; and by two other Victories over *Darius*, and some over *Cleophis* and *Porus* Indian Kings, he possessed great part of *Asia* and *Egypt*. *Josephus* tells of his Sacrificing to God at *Jerusalem*, &c. On the news of *Darius's* Death he wept, and observ'd a wonderful Mastery of his Passions towards the Wife and Daughter of *Darius*, whom he kept inviolable and honour'd. He was a Lover of Poe- try and Philosophy, as his magnificent Presents to *Aristotle* and to *Charibus* shew. At the Sack of *Thebes* he spar'd the House and Family of *Pin- dar*; And in the 114th *Olympiad*, in the 32d year of his Age, he died at *Babylon*, either by intemperate Drink- ing or Poison. He either out of Policy or Vanity would needs pass for the Son of *Jupiter Ammon*, not of *Philip*, and so his Mother was re- ported to be impregnated by that God in the shape of a Dragon, or by *Nisanebo*, an *Egyptian* King, and *Magus* in the form of *Jupiter*.

Alexander Lyncestes, the Son of *Eropus*, was pardon'd by *Alexander the Great*, tho' accused of having a Hand in K. *Philip's* Death, for being the first that saluted him King; but on discovery of his Treason of agree- ing to destroy his King, he had him Seiz'd and put to Death.

Alexander Epiphanes K. of *Syria*, vanquishing *Demetrius Soter*, he gain'd his Throne, and Married *Cleopatra*, Daughter of *Ptolomæus Philometer*, who

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who after 4 years took her away and gave her to *Demetrius Nicator*; joining whom, they drove *Alexander* out of the Kingdom, and had his Head sent him by *Abdiel an Arabian*, to whom he had fled.

Alexander II. Zebinae Ptolomæus Phyllon made him K. of *Syria*, by the Rout and Death of *Demetrius Nicator*, whose Son, *Antiochus Gryphus*, won it from him again, by a Battel, in which *Alexander* fell.

Alexander I. King of the Jews, was the Son of *Hyrchanus*, and Brother of *Aristobulus*; he gained the Throne by the Favour of *Salome*, Widow to *Philelteni*, after he had taken off by Death his Brother and Competitor for the Crown, by the Assistance of the Mother of *Ptolemy Lathmus*, he oppos'd him and invaded *Cæsar*; And his Cruelties making his subje'd rebel, he crush'd *Sej*,

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Puffanimity overcome by *mus*, and was sent to *Maxenz*, Strangled.

Alexander Emp. of the East, succeeding his Brother *Leo Phil*, of a sloathful and voracious T having Eaten too much, by Vein by getting on Horseback died of it, at one infamous Reign.

Alexander, K. of Poland, the Crown being chosen, from great Duke of *Lithuania*, he that Dutchy to *Poland*, on con That the *Lithuanians* should Voices in the Election of their On his Death-Bed he heard Slaughter of 20000 of his E in one Battel.

Alexander I. K. of Scotland *He Ferrie*, succeeded his E *Edgar* in 117. His Ardour sing the R. *Spey* quash'd the R.

and, in 1253. By his
Alexander Stuart he van-
 K. of *Norway*, killing
 e 20000 Men he had
 ir, in Claim of the We-
 In 1285. he broke his
 Horse, having Married
 dy after the Death of
 Daughter, in the 45th y.
 and 37th of his Reign.
 of his Race, having
 e Crown.
 , Duke of *Albany*, Bro-
James II. of *Scotland*, ha-
 ; Escape from *Edinburgh*
England, by the assistance
 V. of *England*, he was
 his Dignity, and van-
 Enemies; being made
 restored his Brother to
 who, however resolv-
 for what was past; on
 of it, *Alexander* fled a-
 nd, and thence to *France*,
 ed, leaving two Sons,
 his first Wife, and *John*
 d, who was afterwards
King.
 of *Hales* from the place
 ation the Monastery of

by *Margaret* of *Austria* his Natural
 Daughter. At 13 years old he was
 at the Battel of *Lepanto*. In 1578.
 he was made Governour of the *Low*
Countries, and by his Moderation, Con-
 duct and Valour, recover'd most of
 what his Predecessors Cruelty or Co-
 wardice had lost. He relieved *Rome*
 and *Paris* against *Henry IV.* defeated
 and drove the Duke of *Alencon's*
 French out of the *Low Countries*, but
 being wounded in his Retreat out
 of *France* in 1592. he died at *Arras*,
 in the 46 year of his Age.

Alexander I. Pope, was born in
Rome. In the 10th year, and 7th
 month, he sat in that Chair, he orde-
 red *Holy Water* to be in its Benedicti-
 on mingled with Salt, and Sprinkl'd
 in private Houses, *Ad Demons Mor-*
boque fugandos, to drive away De-
 vils and Diseases; and Water to be
 mingl'd with the Wine, as a token
 of Christ's Union with his Church;
 and that the Host should be of Un-
 leavened Bread, and added *Præ-*
quam pateretur before *hoc est corpus*
meum, and was Martyr'd in *Adrian's*
 time.

Alexander II. elected Pope in



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your'd *William I.* in his Pretences to *England*. Sat 11 years, and died in 1073.

Alexander III. not without great Difficulties succeeded *Adrian IV.* in 1159. but vanquishing the 3 Anti-Popes set up by *Frederick Barbarossa* Emp. As he pronounced his Pardon at *Venice*, set his Foot on his Neck, with these Words, *Super Aspidem, & Basiliscum ambulabo.* He called the 3d Council of *Lateran*.

Alexander IV. chose Pope in 1254. was a mighty Favourer of the Mendicant Orders: He Warr'd with the *Gibelines* with various Success; all *Italy* in his time being over-run by the Factions of *Guelphs* and *Gibelines*. Squeez'd Money out of *England* for a *Croisade*, of which being disappointed by the War of the *Venetians* and *Genoese*, he died of Grief in 1261. in the 7th year of his Papacy.

Alexander V. was a poor Boy taken up in the Streets by a *Franciscan*, and taught by him the Rudiments of

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aged 72. in 1503. having sat 3 and 3 days.

Alexander VII. his Family *Chigi* of *Sienna*, and he succeeded *Innocent X.* in the Papacy; against the *Venetians* against the *Turks* liberal to the *Romans*, made betwixt *France* and *Spain* the Match of *Lewis XIV.* with *Catalina*; He Canoniz'd *Villa Nova* *Francis de Sales* Bishop of *Geneva* Christned the K. of *Morocco*. And having Sat above 12 years died 1667.

Alexander VIII. See *Orsini*. *Alexander*, The Collier, Cho of *Comana* by *St. Gregory* of *Nazianzen*, at the instance of the People that City, from a Collier in *Armenia*, in 232. He proved a learned Bp. and suffer'd Martyrdom under the Emp. *Decius*.

Alexander Bishop of *Cappadocia* about the y. 212. and then Coadjutor of *Narcissus*, and then Bishop of *Jerusalem* at 106 years old; on

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mission to the Church, being unable to hinder by his Interest at Court, by his Prayers (as they tell you) he made *Arrius* void his Bowels. He died in 337. in the Empire of *Constantine*.

Alexander, in 408. chosen Patriarch of *Antioch*, was a good Divine, and by his Conduct and Application united the Schism in his Diocese betwixt the Orthodox, about the Succession, and invited the Communion of Pope *Innocent* I.

Alexander, Son of the Count of *Fuliers*, was chosen B. of *Liege*, when in that Chapter were 9 Sons of Kings, 24 of Dukes, 38 of Earls, 7 of Barons, &c. he was deposed by *Innocent* II.

Alexander, a Follower of *Valentinian* the Heretick. He held that Christ's Flesh must be of the Substance of Man, or it could not be humane, &c. He wrote of what Christ did in the Flesh, &c.

Alexander, by Nation a Jew, and Converted in the 4th Cent. on his return into *Judea* narrowly escaped with Life; on which Account 'twas made Punaing for any Jew to torment a Christian.

Alexander ab Alexandro, born at *Naples*, where in the 15th Cent. he was an eminent Lawyer: He writ a Book *De Diebus Genialibus*, &c.

Alexander Aphrodisiensis, a Peripatetic, was the first that led the way to the Commentators on *Aristotle*, and the first Professor of that Philosophy at *Rome*, there established by *Marcus Aurelius*.

Alexander of Abonoteichos, a Pseudo-Prophet of great Note for his Impositions on the credulous Vulgar: He first bred up two Serpents till their full Growth; then he put a young one into the Shell of a Goose-Egg, artificially clos'd up, and conveyed it into the foundation of *Apollo's* Temple, then a building; and pretending to find it publicly, he shew'd it to the People: *Asculapius*, and soon

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after expos'd one of his tame full grown Serpents, as if that little one, declaring, that *Asculapius* would give his Oraculous Answers, to Seal'd up Questions, without breaking the Seals; which he did himself so artificially, that it got him both a great deal of Money, and a great deal of Authority with the People. *Lucian* has a good Account of him. He died miserably of an Ulcer, and not Thunderstruck as he had Prophesied.

Alexander Trallienfis, Son and Scholar of *Dioscorus*, born, as his surname imports at *Trallis* in *Bithynia*, in what Age uncertain; he was a great Physician, and wrote several Physical Books.

Alexandretta, or *Scanderoon*, a Port, and C. of *Syria*, on the *Mediterranean*, where is a French Vice-Consul, and an English Consul; 'Tis the Port to *Aleppo*. See *Scanderoon*.

Alexandria, now call'd *Scandaria*, founded in the 112th Olympiad, by *Alexander the Great*, betwixt the Sea and the R. *Nile*. It was the Seat of the *Prolemaique* Race, which gave it Beauty, Wealth, and Magnificence, and that was rather added to by the Possession of the *Romans*, till *Caracalla*; for a Jest on whom, abundance of the Youth of that City were Massacred: the Cisterns of Water, which was conveyed by Aqueducts from the *Nile*, but once a year, growing Corrupt, make the Air unwholesome. On one side is the new Haven, on the other the old. Join'd to this City by *Cleopatra*, was the *Pharos*, one of the old Wonders of the World. Of all this vast City, scarce the Ruins remain, with but 8000 Inhabitants, (which once contain'd 300000 Freemen besides Slaves) who Trade in Medicinal Roots, Spices, &c. the Portuguese discovery of a way to the *Indies* by Sea, having ruined this City more than the *Turks*. Here is St. *Mark's* Church or Tomb, in the *Coptick* or *Egyptian* Christians

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Christians hands, the Ruins of *Cleopatra's* Palace, the Cells of the *Septuagint* Interpreters, and the Remains of *Pompey's* Pillar, &c. are to be seen. And here once was the Library of *Ptolomey Philadelphus*, containing 500000 Vol. burnt by *Julius Caesar*, when he took *Alexandria* by Storm, Ann. 3903, taken again by *Augustus* 3920; besides Tribute, it supply'd *Rome* with four Months Corn. It was taken by the *Saracens* in 641, and in 1147, the *Venetians*, and K. of *Cyprus* took it, but soon lost it: In 1167, the K. of *Jerusalem* took it again; its present Inhabitants are *Jews*, *Moors*, *Copticks* and *Gracians*, who live by Trade, there yet being 100 Mosques and Churches in it. The Church of *Alexandria*, was founded by St. *Mark* the Evangelist, and it has been famous for several Synods and Councils against *Arrius*, and other Hereticks; nor is it less remarkable for Learned Fathers, as *Origen*, &c. *nious Bp. of St. Cyril* &c.

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Alexandrini di Neustain (*Julio*), a Native of *Trent*, a Learned Physician of the 16. Cent. who wrote several Books.

Alexandrum, a Castle of *Judea*, on the W. of *Jordan*, remarkable for being the place where *Aristobulus*, K. of the *Jews*, surrendered himself to *Pompey*; and for the Custody of *Marianne*, Wife of *Herod* the Great, while he went to *Rhodes* to *Augustus*.

Alexas, a *Jew*, and an intimate Friend of *Herod*, whom he caus'd to Marry his Sister *Salome*, tho' against her Will; but she at last consented, in compliance with the Empress *Livia's* Commands.

Alexas of *Laodicea*; presented by *Timagines*, to *Mark Anthony*, was the occasion of the Amours of this *Roman* with *Cleopatra*, and of his Divorce from *Octavia*, *Augustus's* Sister; for which, he was afterwards severely punish'd by that Emperor.

Alexis now *Alise* a C. of *Roman*

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orphrogennetes, suc-
 er *Manuel Comnenus*
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 cle, who murder'd
 s Mother *Xena*, and
 s Widow, a Daugh-
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nam'd *Comnenus* and
 , tho' his Name was
 as a brutish, cruel,
 since. He depriv'd
 both of his Empire
 ereupon *Alexius*, the
 w'd aid of the *Vene-*
 1203 took *Constanti-*
Isaac out of Prison,
Isaac, who was after-
 a Cloyster, by *The-*
 is Son in Law.

ad the pleasure to
 restor'd, and was
 l Emp. in 1203; but
 next year, *Alexius*
 the Empire, and
 ith his own Hands.

(*Ducas*) surnamed
 ecause of his bulmy
 he had strangled *A-*
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 rry, Brother to *Bald-*
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inople, was totally
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 Old *Alexius* flying
Baldwin, *Mursupbi-*
 brought to *Constanti-*
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was, was first Emp. of
 a Empire continued
 at of *Constantinople*,
 ve the *Christians* out

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 025, being corrupted
 n'd the Particide *Mj-*

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Michael Papblagonus, and Married him to
 the Adulteress *Zoa* the Empress.

Alexius Michalowitz, Czar of *Mus-*
covy, succeeded his Father *Michael*
 in 1656. He took all *Lithuania*,
 which was restor'd to the *Polanders*
 in 1656, except the C. of *Sinolen-*
sko. He renew'd the *Polish* War
 with ill success, and died in 1676.

Alfenus Varus, first a Shoemaker,
 became a famous Lawyer, and An-
 tiquary at *Rome*, under *Sulpitius*
Severus, and was Consul, A. C. 2.
Horace reflects on him in a Satyr.

Alfesus, or *Alphesus*, a Rabbi
 of the 12th Age, who wrote an Epi-
 tome of the *Talmud*.

Alfissib, a Country in the S. part
 of the Island *Madagascar*.

Alford, a m-T. in the E. parts of
Lincolnshire, about 107 m. from
London.

Alfred, or *Alphred*, an *English*
 Historian of the 12th Age.

Alfred, the youngest of *Ethelred's*
 Sons, surnamed the *Unready*, was
 cruelly us'd by *Canute*, the *Danish*
 K. of *England*.

Alfred, K. of *England*, the 4th
 Son of *Ethelwolf*, succeeded his
 Brother *Ethelred* in 871. He fought
 several Battels with the *Danes*, with
 various success; till in the year 879.
 They pass'd over from *England* into
France, and *Flanders*, to seek their
 Fortunes in those Parts; wherein
 they made such Progress, that it
 appear'd, the *French* and *Flemish* were
 no more able than the *English*, to
 keep off the *Danish* Inundation. In
 885, a vast Fleet of *Danes* put to
 Sea against *England*, but being Land-
 ed, *Alfred* drove 'em back to their
 Ships; and sending his Fleet towards
 the Count. of the East *Angles*, then
 Inhabited by the *Danes*, they took 16
Danish Ships; but in their return,
 the *Danes* fell upon 'em, and worst-
 ed them. In 893, two *Danish* Fleets
 came upon our Coasts, and Landed
 their Men, the first in the E. of *Kent*,

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the other at the *Thames Mouth*: *Alfred* fought 'em at *Farnham* in *Surrey*, and put 'em to flight; yet the *Danes* continued to be troublesome in several Parts, tho' generally to their loss. At last they gave some respite to *Alfred*, and let him Reign 3. years in Peace, before his Death, which happen'd in 900. He was handsome, of ready Wit and Memory, a lover of good Men, a great encourager of Learning, and the Founder of *University-College* in *Oxford*. No Man was more frugal of his Time, and Revenue, nor wiser in the disposal of both. *Windsor* in *Berkshire* was his Birth place, and *Winchester* that of his Sepulcher.

Alfred, call'd the *Bastard*, K. of *Northumberland*, was Son of *Oswin*, by a Concubine. He was a great Friend to Learning, and wrote several Pieces himself. He died in 705.

Alfred, an *English* *Benedictine*, in the Monastery of *Malmesbury*, was made Bp. of *Exeter*, and is counted one of the Most Learned Men of the

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Protection of *Egbert*, the Potent K. of the *West Saxons*.

Algarbia, or *Algarve*, a small part of *Spain*, united to *Portugal*, the Capital of which is *Favira*.

Algerus, a Learned Priest of the Church of *Liege*, in the 12th Age, who wrote against *Beringarius* concerning Transubstantiation.

Algerus (*Pomponius*) of *Nola* in *Italy*, studied at *Pavia*, where he turn'd Protestant, and endeavour'd to propagate his Persuasion in private; but being found out, he was carried to *Rome*, and there burnt for a Heretick in 1555.

Algber, a Sea-Port of *Sardinia*, and a Bpk. under the Apb. of *Sassari*.

Algiers, Lat. *Algiria*, or *Algaria*, the Capital C. of a Kingdom of the same Name, is call'd by the *Africans*, *Gezeir de Beni Mesgans*, and by the *Arabians*, *Algefir*. It is the wealthiest C. of *Africa*, seated on the side of a Hill, near the *Mediterranean* Sea. So that the whole Building, as

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have kept with the *English* since. In 1595 the *French* Bombarded this C. and destroy'd two thirds of it.

Algiornus, a Learned *Venesian*, in the 16th Age, who corrected the Impressions of the *Greek* and *Latin* Authors, Publish'd by *Allus Manutius*.

Algiers, a ruinous Sea Port T. in *Spain*, upon the Streights of *Gibraltar*.

Algow, a Country of *Germany* in *Saxia*, where stand *Ausburg*, *Kempten*, *Munichen*, &c.

Alguer, or *El-Alguer*, a T. in the W. of *Sardinia*, in the Neighbourhood of which, they Fish Coral.

Almas, a T. of *Spain*, in the Kingdom of *Granada*.

Alhacen, or *Alhazon*, a Learned *Arabian* of the 11th Age, who has writ several Tracts of *Opticks*, &c.

Ali, *Mahomet's* Son in Law, whom, at the point of Death, he declar'd his Successor; but being frustrated by *Imr*, and *Osman*, he retired into *Arabia*, of which he was Governor; and by the gentleness of the Alterations he made in *Mahomet's* Doctrines, drawing Multitudes of *Arabians* after him, he made himself Caliph of the *Saracens*, and *Agrenicus*, and defeated *Mahomet*, *Osman's* Son; but by the procurement of *Imr*, *Osman's* General, he was murder'd in a Mosque.

Ali, the Son of *Joseph*, 3d. K. of *Morocco*, of the Race of the *Almoravides*, invaded *Spain* in 1114, and ravag'd the Country about *Toledo*. The next year *Alphonfus* II. gave him Battle, and slew him, with 3000 of his *Moors*.

Ali Basha, a great and experienced *Turkish* General, under *Amurath* II. who Married him to one of his Sisters. He died in 1563, being 70 y. old.

Alian, a K. of the *Moors* in *Spain*, who sent out a Fleet to ra-

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vage the Coast of *Italy*, and the Adjacent Islands in 780. But *Charlemain* oppos'd him with another Fleet, that sunk 2 of his Gallies. Afterwards *Charlemain* join'd his Forces with *Alphonfus*, II. K. of *Castile*, took *Lisbon*, and slew 6000 of the *Barbarians*. At length *Alian* died of a Fever in 819.

Aliattes, or *Alyattes* K. of *Lydia*, routed the *Cimmerians*, by letting loose amongst 'em a great Number of Masts, which put them in Disorder. He ravag'd the C. of the *Milesians*, and after 5 Y. War with the *Medes*, made a Peace with *Cyaxares*, and gave his Daughter *Ariens* in Wedlock to his Son *Astyages*.

Alibaluc, an Island in the *Caspian* Sea, over against the Mouth of *Araxis*, belonging to the K. of *Persia*.

Alicant, Lat. *Alone*, a rich and populous, tho' a small City of *Spain*, on the Mediterranean Sea, in the Km. of *Valencia*, with a Harbour, famous for the Trade of Wine, and other Commodities.

Alicata, a T. on the Coasts of *Sicily*, which some falsely imagine to be the ancient *Gela*.

Alifa, or *Alipka*, a C. in the Terra di *Lavoro*, on the Banks of the *Vulturius*, with a Bpk. under the Abp. of *Beneventum*.

Alipius, the Companion of *St. Austin*, with whom he was baptiz'd by *St. Jerome*. He was deputed to the Emp. *Honorius* against the *Pelagians*, and chosen one of the Disputants against the *Donatists*. There was a Geographer of this Name, suppos'd to be him who govern'd *England* for the *Romans*, and to whom *Julian* the Apostate committed the Rebuilding of the Temple of *Jerusalem*.

Alizees so the *French* call Trade Winds, which blow periodically in different Parts of the *Atlantick*, *Aethiopic*, *Indian*, and *Pacifick* Seas.

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Alizubier one of *Mahemer's* Captains, very Stout, but very humour-some.

Alla or *Elle* K. of the South Saxons, began the 2d. K. of the *Hepstarchy* in *Suffex* and *Surry*, in 483.

Alla or *Ells*, by the Help of *Ida* settled the 5th Kingdom of *Northumb-berland* in 547. which continued 370 Years.

Alladius a K. of the *Latins*, named by some *Almureus*, and by others *Romulus*. He was so proud that he equal'd himself with *Jupiter*, and would imitate his Thunder; but was himself at last struck with real Thunder, A. M. 3167.

Allah, *Allah*, twice repeated in the *Turkish* Language, is the name of God.

Allsius (*Leo*) a Learned Man, of the 17th Age, Keeper of the *Vatican* Library. He transfer'd the Library at *Hatelsberg* to *Rome* in 1621, and labour'd to reconcile the *Greek* and *Latin* Churches: he wrote

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Allerton, *North-Allerton*, a Bor and m. T. of *Allerton* Hundred the W. Riding of *Yorkshire*, 16 from *London*.

Allia, a R. of the *Sabines*, call'd *Caminata*, or *Riviero di* which runs into the *Tiber*, near . It was held in Abomination by *Romans*, because they were defeated by the *Gauls*, comma by *Brennus*.

Allier, Lat. *Elavir*, a R. of *Fr* which falls into the *Loire* at *Allier* below *Nevers*.

Allin, (*Edward*) a *Londoner*, a famous Stage-Player, who has got a good Estate; built a fair lege at *Dutwich* in *Kent*, for the relief of poor People.

Allington, (*Giles*;) the pr Lord *Allington*, is the Son of *W* who was Lieutenant of the *T* and who, of an *Irish* Peer, was an *English* Baron, by K. *Chiel* In this Family is now the Right being Cup-bearer at the Coron

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Amberge, Wife of *Hermenfroy*, part of *Thuringia*, Brother to *y* and *Berthier*, who had equal with him. Her Husband ha- caus'd *Baudry* to be murder'd, persuaded him to rid himself of her. Whereupon he joyn'd with *K. of Metz*, and routed and *Berthier*. But being treache- to *Thierry*, he caus'd him to be in headlong from the Walls *leiac*, Anno 531. And the cru- *Amberge* fled to *Aibalarick*, *K. of Ostrogots*.

Almagra, (*Diego*) a *Spaniard* of *pure Birth* and Education, who, *Pizaro* discover'd and conquer'd; both of them being brutish Fellows, exercised great Cru- upon the *Indians*. At last *Almagra* was put to Death by *Pizaro*, his Son reveng'd, by causing to be Beheaded in 1546.

Almaguer, or *Almagra*, a small the S. of *America*.

Alma (*Fame*); a famous School- of *Paris*, who has written seve- treatises.

Almence, Lat. *Almentia*, formerly chief T. of *Gallia Belgica* in *Lor- 2. Leagues* from *Nancy*.

Almfor, usurp'd the Kingdom *Ardenas* after the Death of *Albaca*. was successful against the *Christi-* and died in 1002.

Almazjar, I. (*Joseph*) *K. of Mo-*, being invited by the *Spanish* *Ar*, invaded *Spain* in 1158. But beaten by the *Christians*, he into *Africa*, and afterwards with a more numerous *Ar*, was kill'd at the Siege of *San-* in *Portugal*.

Almfer II. (*Isaiah*) Son of *Jo-* *Isma'm'd Emir el Memounim*, *Ar* into *Spain* with 40000 *Ar*, and won the famous Battle *Ar* in 1159. Then returning *Africa*, where his Subjects were *Ar*, he took *Morocco*, and pu- the Rebels contrary to his

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Word; for which, being reprov'd by a *Marabout*, he wandred about the World in Penrance, and died a Baker at *Alexandria*.

Almadine, formerly a rich and po- pulous, now a ruinous C. of *Africa*, in the Kingdom of *Morocco*.

Almeida (*Immanuel*) a *Portuguese* Missionary Jesuite, who was above 40 years in the *East-Indies*, and died at *Goa* in 1646. He has writ seve- ral Books.

Almeria, a C. of *Spain*, with a Bpk. under the Abp. of *Grenada*, from whence it lies 21 Leagues. In the Times of the *Saracens*, it had a K. of its own call'd *Aben Hut*: It was Founded by *Almericus*, a Go- thish K. and was the usual Port at which the *Moors* Landed in *Spain*.

Almeria, or *Villa-Rica*. a T. of *New- Spain*, on the Gulph of *Mexico*; the Natives call it *Naothalan*.

Almissa, a strong T. in *Dalma-* *tia* on the Sea, 16 M. E. of *Spalatro*, Long. 39. 33. Lat. 36. 50.

Almo, a Brook which falls into the *Tiber* at *Rome*.

Almohades, the Names of the 4th Race of the Kings of *Morocco*, and *Fez*, the first of them being *Ab-* *dalla Elmohadi*: See *Abdalla*.

Almohadi, *Bilal*, a Caliph of *Persia*, who recover'd what the Generals of his Predecessors had usurp'd, and died in 1151.

Almondbury, Lat. *Camelodunum*, formerly a famous C. now a Village in the W. Riding of *York-shire*, 7- m. S. E. of *Halifax*.

Almonstacen, the last Caliph of the Race of *Abax*, was slain by the *Tatars*, who took *Bagdat* in 1238.

Almops, one of the Gyants that Warr'd against *Jupiter*, from whom part of *Macedon* was call'd *Alm-* *opia*.

Almoravides, a People of *Africa*, who expell'd the *Zenesis* out of *Fez* in 1092. Their first K. was *Abul* *Texif*, their Line was extinguish'd by *Abdalla Almohadi*. *Al-*

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Almouchiquois, or *Almouquiquois*, a Sort of *Savages* in *Canada*, in *America*, that dwell towards the R. of *Choucouet*, and the Island of *Bacbus*.

Almunecar, a T. of *Spain* on the Coast of *Granada*, 13 Leagues from it to the S. formerly call'd *Moenobz*.

Alne, a R. of *Northumberland*, on which stands *Alnmick*.

Ainey, a small Island in the *Severn* nigh to *Glocester*, where a famous Duel was fought for the Crown of *England*, between K. *Edmond Ironside*, and *Canute the Dane*: The *Dane* finding himself wounded, propos'd, That the Kingdom should be divid-ed, to which *Edmund* agreed. *Canute* had the North, and *Edmund* the South part.

Alntwick, a m. T. in *Northumberland*, 226 m. N. from *London*, seat-

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1667 the *French* took it; but now the *Spaniard* has it unfortified.

Alpes, or the *Alps*, great Mountains, dividing *Italy* from *France*, *Switzerland*, *Rbatia*, and *Germany*, extending from the *Ligurian Sea* at *Genoa*, to the *Adriatick* at *Friouli*, and call'd by several Names, according to the variety of the Situation. The Emperor *Augustus* subdued all the People inhabiting the *Alps*. Some of those Mountains are continually cover'd with Snow, from whence, or from the white Rocks, some think they derive their Name.

Alphenus Varus, a Friend of *Virgil*, who with *Pollio* and *Gallus*, preserv'd the Poet's Estate from being given to *Augustus's* Veterans.

Alperganus, or *Alfraganus* (*Ma-bomet*) an *Arabian* Mathematician of the 9th Age, who wrote a Book of *Astronomy*, and some other

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to the Kingdom of *Naples*,
 leopied by *Joan* the Queen,
 the City of that Name,
 whole Realm, and died in

of Leon and Castile.

is I. Son of Peter Duke
 of Navarre, was successful
 against the *Moors*, and

157. *Alphonfus* II. the
 of Lisbon, and several o-
 from the *Saracens*, of
 70000 in one Battel:

821, or 824. *Alphonfus*
 was, was a great Benefa-
 e Church, and a valiant
 of *Mahomet* and *Abdalla*,
 Kings. His Son *Garcia*
 him, and forc'd him
 his Crown after he had
 years. He died in 912.

IV. call'd the Monk, be-
 row'd a Religious Life,
 broke, and assumed the
 914. His Brother *Ramir*
 up again in a Cloyster.

V. corrected the Laws of
 wag'd war against the
 was kill'd with an Ar-
 Siege of *Visco*, in *Por-*

128. *Alphonfus* VI. the
 of *Toledo* in 1085, and
 her considerable places:
 6 years old. *Alphonfus*

warrior, fought 29 pitch'd
 with the *Moors*, and was
 e last in 1134, or 1137.
 call'd Emperor of *Spain*.

VIII. sought aid of the
 K. of *France*, against the
 which *Joseph* the 2d.

of *Spain*: At first he prov'd
 not hastning to relieve
 sieg'd by the *Moors*, he
 id died on the Mountains
torrens in 1157. He also

the Kings of *Navarre* and
Alphonfus the VIII. or
 ble and Good, was pro-

after the Death of his Fa-
 he desired in 1158 at

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4 years of Age: Of which his Neigh-
 bours taking advantage, encroach'd
 upon his Dominions, which he af-
 terwards recover'd. He also redu-
 ced the *Moors* to send for *Almonfor*
Emir to their relief; upon which
Alphonfus, being abandon'd by the
 other Christian Princes, came off
 with loss; but was quickly reveng'd
 by the Death of 20000 of the Infid-
 els. *Mahomet* *Emir* breaking the
 League, *Alphonfus* defeated him,
 with the slaughter of 15000 Foot,
 and 3000 Horse at *Muradst*. His
 Queen was *Eliaior*, Daughter to
Henry the II. K. of *England*. He
 died in 1214. *Alphonfus* IX. reign'd
 in Peace, and died in 1230. *Alphon-*
fus X. the Wise and the Astrologer,
 succeeded his Father *Ferdinand* III.
 in 1252. He made the Astronomi-
 cal Tables, call'd *Tsbule Alphonfina*,
 in which work he spent 40000
 Crowns. He refused the Imperial
 Crown of *Germany*, contenting him-
 self with the Title of Emp. which he
 resign'd to Pope *Gregory* X. where-
 of he repented, and would have re-
 assumed the Imperial Title and
 Arms, but for the fear of an Excom-
 munication: he was dethron'd by his
 own Son *Sancho*, and died for Grief
 in 1284. He was successful against
 the *Moors*. *Alphonfus* XI. kill'd
 200000 *Moors* in one Battel in 1340,
 and took many Prisoners. He died of
 the Plague at the Siege of *Gibraltar*.

Kings of Naples.

Alphonfus I. See *Alphonfus* V. K.
 of *Arragon*. *Alphonfus* II. K. of
Naples in 1494, was hated for his cru-
 elty by his Subjects, who call'd in
Charles VIII. K. of *France*, upon
 whose taking of *Naples*, *Alphonfus*
 resign'd his Crown to his Son *Fer-*
dinand, and retired into a Mona-
 stery in *Sicily*, where he died soon
 after.

Kings of Portugal.

Alphonfus I. (*Henrique*) the Son
 of *Henry* of *Burgundy*, of the House
 of

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of *France*, routed five Kings of the *Moors* at *Ourique* in 1139, and that year was Crown'd K. of *Portugal*. He instituted the Order of *Avis*, and took for his Arms the same number of Crown-pieces, or *Peçans*, as he had overcome Kings of the *Moors*, which are the Arms of *Portugal* to this day. *Alphonfus II.* the Fat, maintain'd a Bloody War with the K. of *Leon*, which was compos'd by *Innocent III.* He was Valiant, had success against the *Moors*, and died in 1233. *Alphonfus III.* being Excommunicated by *Alexander IX.* and *Gregory X.* he laugh'd at their vain Thunder, and carried on his Wars with success. He died in 1279. *Alphonfus IV.* (the Brave) Warr'd against the *Moors* and *Castilians*, and then assisted the latter to win the famous Battel of *Tariffa*, in 1340. He died in 1357. *Alphonfus V.* call'd the *African*, because he took *Tangier*, *Arzile*, *Alacer* and *Sequer*, from the *Moors*. He was routed

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ved his Countries, by the Protection of *Charles V.* on condition, that he should hold *Modena* and *Reggio* of the Empire. He married for a second Wife one of his Mistresses, by whom he had *Alphonfus*, Father of *Cesar*, since Duke of *Modena*. He died in 1534. *Alphonfus II.* Duke of *Ferrara*, *Modena*, &c. signaliz'd his Valour in the Emperor's Service against the *Turb*, and died in 1597. *Alphonfus III.* Duke of *Modena*, and *Reggio*, succeeded his Father *Cesar* in 1628, and after the Death of his Wife, turn'd Capuchin, and died in 1644. *Alphonfus IV.* Duke of *Modena* and *Reggio*, succeeded *Francis I.* in 1658, and was several times General of the French Forces in *Italy*, and died in 1662. He married Cardinal *Mazarin's* Sister, by whom he had *Francis II.* now Duke.

Alphonfus Spina, a Spaniard of the 15th Age, who from a *Jew*, turn'd a *Franciscan* Monk, and was made Rector of the University of *Salamanca*,

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and Professor of Physick at *Padua*, the Author of several Books. He died in 1644.

Alpinus, K. of *Scotland*, in the 9th Age, made an unsuccessful War with the *Picts*, whose Government *Frederick* had arrogated to himself. *Alpinus* fought this Usurper at *Resten*, a Village of *Angus*, where *Frederick* was slain, and the *Scots* got the Day; but *Brutus* being chosen K. by the *Picts*, he by a Stratagem routed and took *Alpinus* in 834, and put him to Death, with many of his Nobles, which was afterwards severely reveng'd by the *Scots*, who call the place where he was slain *Bas-Alpin*.

Alpinus (*Cornelius*) a Poet, Contemporary with *Horace*, who in a buskin-Stile wrote the History of *Memnon*, slain by *Achilles*.

Alpaxara, *Alpujares*, the Mountains of the Sun, in the Kingdom of *Granada* in *Spain*.

Alresford, a m. T. in *Hampshire*, 39 Miles from *London*.

Alric, a Saxon K. of *Kent*, usurp'd the Regal Power, after the Death of *Alaric*, the last of the Line of *Hengist*. *Kenulph* K. of *Mercia* took him Prisoner, and soon after set him free; but his own Subjects would not receive him.

Alric, an English-Man, born in *Cumberland*, who liv'd a *Hermit's* Life in a Forest near *Carlisle*, and died in 1107.

Alsasia, Germ. *Alsat*, a Prov. of *Germany*, 9 German Leagues in length, and 3 in breadth; The Seat of the ancient *Tribocci*. It had the *Rhine* on the E. *Lorraine* on the W. the *Palatinat* on the N. and *Sundgau*, and *Franche-Compté* on the S. It is one of the most fertile and best water'd Parts of *Germany*, and remarkable for numbers of Cities, of which the chief are, *Strasbourg*, *Colmar*, *Haguenaw*, *Schellstad*, *Landau*, &c. The House of *Austria*

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enjoy'd it, till the *French* in the late Wars made it almost a Wilderness.

Alsen, an Island in the *Baltick* Sea, E. of the Dukedom of *Sleswick*, belonging to the K. of *Denmark*. In it stands the Magnificent Castle of *Sunderburg*, and the Fortreis of *Nordeburg*, belonging to the Dukes of *Hollatia*.

Alsfeldt, a very ancient T. in *Hesse* in *Germany*.

Alsford, a m. T. in *Hampshire*.

Alstedius, a German, who has writ several Books, particularly an *Encyclopaedia*, in 4 Vol. He died in 1646.

Alston-Moor, a m-T. in *Cumberland*, 209 M. from *London*.

Alta, *Alten*, and *Aenbotten*, a R. and Road for Ships in *Normay*.

Altadas, or *Altabalus* (or *Sethos*) the 11th K. of the *Assyrians*, who liv'd in Peace and Tranquillity.

Altachem, or *Altachem*, an ancient T. of the *Grisons*.

Alta, and *Althui*, by some call'd *Belgian*, are Mountains of *Asia*, in the Northern *Tartary*, on which are buried several Kings of the *Tartars*.

Altamont, a fair T. in the Kingdom of *Naples*, 23 Miles W. of *Rossano*.

Alta-Villa, by some *Altamura*, a small T. and Principality in the Kingdom of *Naples*, but thinly inhabited.

Altendorf, the chief C. of the Canton of *Uri* in *Switzerland*. The Houses are here generally painted with the Victories won by the Inhabitants. It has no Walls, nor does it need any, there being no way to it, but thro' narrow Defiles. This Canton is Roman Catholick.

Alttemberg, a C. of *Transilvania*, built out of the Ruins of *Zalnavra*.

Altzburg, a C. and Dukedom of *Germany* in *Misnia*, 24 M. South of *Leipsick*.

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Altemburg, Hung. *Owar*, a strong T. of the *Lower Hungary*, 6 Leagues from *Raab*.

Altemburgh, a ruinous Castle in *Argow*, in *Switzerland*, from whence the Earls of that name take their Title, and from whence some derive the House of *Austria*.

Altena, a small T. about a Mile from *Hamburgh*, famous for the Treaty concluded there in 1689, between the K. of *Denmark*, and Duke of *Holstein Gottorp*, chiefly by the Mediation of *William III. K. of England*.

Altenius, a Mountain of *Caria*, that breeds abundance of *Scorpions*.

Alth, a R. which parts *Walachia*, and *Transylvania*, and falls into the *Danube*.

Althea, the Wife of *Aeneas K. of Calydonia*, and Mother of *Meleager*, who hearing that all her other Sons were kill'd in a Sedition, in a passion flung the brand into the Fire, upon which the fate of *Meleager* depend-

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Alvarez, (*Emanuel*) a Jesuit born at *Malera*, was a good Grammarian. He died in 1582.

Alvarez, (*Diego*) Arbp. of *Trani* in the Kingdom of *Naples*, liv'd about the year 1640, and wrote several Polemical Tracts.

Alvaratus, (*James*) a famous Lawyer of *Padua*, of the 16th Age, who wrote several Tracts.

Alvernus, now *Monte d'Alverno*, a Mountain near *Florence* in *Tuscany*, where the Papiſts ſay Chriſt appear'd to *St. Francis*.

Alyattes, K. of the *Lydians*, and Father of *Craſus*, wag'd War againſt the *Cimmerians*, the *Medes*, and *Mileſians*. The *Lydian Virgins* erected him a Tomb at *Sardin*, raiſing the Mony for that charge by prostituting their Bodies. †

Alyxothoe, a Nymph, by whom *Prism* had *Effacus*, who was turn'd into a Didapper.

Am, a C. of *Armenia*, wherein were 100000 Houſes, and 1000

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and *Turkey*. It stands on a Mountain, which is two hours march to the top.

Amack, a little, but very fruitful Island of *Denmark*, divided from *Copenhagen*, only by a small Arm of the Sea, which is past over by a Draw-bridge. The Inhabitants are descended from the *North-Hollanders*, to whom this Island was assign'd to make Butter and Cheese for the Court, and still retain their Habit, Language and Customs. It is, as it were, the Kitchen-Garden of *Copenhagen*.

Amagusa, an Island of the *N. America*, and one of the *Lucayes* near *Hispaniola*.

Amaki, (*Francis*) a famous Spanish Lawyer, who wrote several Treatises, and died in 1640.

Amalaric, K. of the *Visigoths* in *Spain*, and *Lower Languedoc*, routed and pursued to Death by *Childebert K. of France*.

Amalarius Fortunatus, a famous Abp. of *Triers* in the Reign of *Charlemagne*. He wrote the Book of the Sacrament of Baptism, dedicated to that Emperor, which goes under the name of *Alcuin*.

Amalarius, a Deacon of the Cathedral of *Metz*, liv'd a little before *Amalarius* of *Triers*, tho' Authors often mistake the one for the other. The Deacon liv'd in the Reign of *Henry the Debonair*, by whose direction he wrote the Book *De Ecclesiasticis seu Divinis Officiis*. He wrote also other Tracts.

Amalasuntha, Daughter of *Theodoric K. of the Ostrogoths*, a Princess of great Wit, and who understood *Greek*, *Latin*, and all the Dialects of the *Barbarians* in the *Roman Empire*. Her Husband *Attabric* being dead, she married her Kinsman, who made her *Justinian* the *Supremacy* her, extirpating the *Goths* in *Italy*.

Amalek, S of *Eliphaz*, (the Son

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of *Esau*) from whom the *Amalekites* descended.

Amalphi, or *Amalfi*, a small ill built C. of *Naples*, with a Dutchy and Abpk. It stands 24 m. E. of *Naples*, and is remarkable for *Masfianello's Birth*.

Amalric I. K. of Jerusalem, succeeded his Brother *Baldwin III.* took *Pelusium*, and expell'd *Sirakon* twice out of *Egypt*. He might also have taken *Grand Cairo*, but thro' his Avarice, he gave *Sirakon* the opportunity to re-establish himself, after he had wheedled him with a Promise of two Millions of Gold; so that *Amalric* retir'd with shame. He withstood *Saladin* with great Bravery, and died in 1174.

Amalric II. bought the Kingdom of *Cyprus* of *Richard I. K. of England*, having also the Kingdom of *Jerusalem*, which he lost in 1187, and died in 1194.

Amalric of Chartres, broach'd several absurd Tenets in Religion in 1204, which he was made to abjure by *Innocent III.* and his Disciples were condemn'd by a Council held at *Paris* in 1209, where they were deliver'd to the Magistrate, who hang'd all the Men, but pardon'd the Women.

Amalthea, Daughter of *Melissus*, K. of *Crete*, and Nurse of *Jupiter*, who fed him with Goat's Milk and Honey. Others say, It was a Goat call'd *Amalthea*, which *Jupiter* afterwards Translated into the Skie, with her two Kidds, and gave one of her Horns to the Daughter of *Melissus*, which supplied them with all they desired. This Horn is the *Cornucopia*.

Amalthea, *Demophile*, or *Hierophile*, the *Cumean Sybil*, offer'd *Tarquin* the Proud, 9. Books of the Destinies of *Rome*, and demanded 300 Pieces of Gold for them. *Tarquin* thinking it too much, derided her, whereupon she threw 3. Books into

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into the Fire, and demanded the same for the Rest; which being also denied her, she burnt 3. more, still requiring the same price. *Tarquin* thereupon consulting the Pontiff, was advis'd to pay the Money. These Books were afterwards in great esteem, and 120 Magistrates were appointed to look after, and consult them.

Amant, or *Amantus*, a Mountain of *Cilicia*, thought to be that mention'd in the *Canticles*. *Amant* is also one of the *Lucay* Islands in Northern *America*, subject to the *English*.

Amandus, (*John*) surnamed *Fayr*, a famous Abbot of *St. Euseb* at *Ghent* in the 14th Age. He vigorously oppos'd the *Flagellantes*, a sort of Hereticks, and wrote several Tracts.

Amandus de Zierzee, a *Zealand*er and *Franciscan* Monk, of the 16th

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Amasa, *Absalom's* General when he revolted against his Father *David*, who incens'd against *Joab*, for killing *Absalom*, made *Amasa* General of all his Forces in his room, which *Joab* not enduring, treacherously slew him.

Amasia, by the *Turks* call'd *Amasias*, a famous C. of *Cappadocia* in *Pontus* on the R. *Iris*, now the Metropolis of the Kingdom. It gives the Title of Abp. to Seignior d'*Adda*, the late Nuncio in *England* in K. *James II's* Time.

Amasis, I. or *Ammosis*, or *Amos Pharaoh*, Reign'd in *Egypt*, from A. M. 2312 to 2337. *Amasis*. II of a private Soldier, was made K. of *Egypt* by the Revolted Troops A. M. 3448. and by his Mildness, overcame the Aversion of his Subjects, who despised him for his mean Birth. He Built the Temple of *Isis*, gave several

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, a famous *Portuguese* Physicist, liv'd about the Year 1550. Several excellent Tracts.

, an ancient C. of *Troas*, mentioned erected an Altar to *Allo* a C. of *Cilicia*, which *hany* gave to *Cleopatra*.

, King of *Judea*, Son of *vercame* the *Amalechites*, and *Gabalitans*; but refused God to adore the Idols *emies*, and afterwards slain with the K. of *Israel*, he fled and carried to *Jerusalem*, to see the dismantling of the chief City, and the plundering the Temple.

, warlike Women of *Sar*, the *R. Thermodon*, who Men to live among 'em, admitted the Conversation of neighbouring Countries a Year; if they brought Male Children, they either maim'd them; but the they bred up to the use of. They are said to have made conquests, but were defeated. The Story of their Queen and *Alexander the Great*, upon as a meer Fable, as the whole Story relating to was.

river of *Amazons*, in *Spa*, *de las Amazons*, a great River of *South America*, by some taken from *Juan Orelban*, named it in 1541. It rises in mountains near the City of *Peru*, and having received several Rivers, falls into the *Green Brasilia* and *Gajana*.

Source to its Mouth are *mes*. The Tortoise and are very common here. The Great *Amazone* is white, and the People are amiable, and less cruel, *Americans*.

, or *Ambarri*, a People of *Gaul*, mention'd by *Ju*.

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Julius Caesar. They seem to have inhabited the Diocesis of *Majcon* and *Charolois*.

Ambarvalia, Festivals, or Hallowings of the Ground and Harvest, us'd by the *Romans* before they went to Reaping. They were call'd the *Arval Brethren*, who presided over this Ceremony.

Amberg, a C. of *Germany*, Capital of the *Upper Palatinate*, seated on the River *Wils*, between *Rainbonne* and *Nuremberg*. The Trade of this C. consists in Iron, and other Metals. It has many Privileges, and is subject to the Duke of *Beavaria*.

Amberkelesbus, the 58th King of *Scots*, about A. C. 700. of a sluggish cowardly Temper. He was kill'd by the *Picts* in the 2d Year of his Reign.

Ambiatinum, a T. of *Germany*, near *Coblentz*, the Native Place of the Emperor *Caligula*.

Ambibari, a People of Ancient *Gaul*, mention'd by *Caesar*, and suppos'd to be those of the Diocesis of *Auranches* in *Normandy*, and the T. of *Ambie* is still thought to retain their Name. It stands within 6 Leagues of Mount St. *Michael*.

Ambigatus, a King of the *Celts*, in the time of *Tarquin* the Ancient, who sent two great Colonies of the *Senones*, the one into *Italy*, under *Belovefus*, who settled in *Lombardy*; and the other beyond the *Hyrcaniam* Forest, under *Segovefus*, who fix'd his Followers in *Bohemia*, *Friesland*, and *Westphalia*, from whence the *Franks* march'd again into *Gaul*, under the Conduct of *Pharamond* and *Cloision*.

Ambiorix, King of the *Eburones*, now the Bishoprick of *Liege*, wag'd War against the *Romans* at first with Success, but was at last routed by *Julius Caesar*.

Amboise, Lat. *Ambacia*, an Ancient City of *Touraine* in *France*, the Birth place of *Charles VIII.* where he

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he built a Royal Castle. Here the Protestants of *France* made a Conspiracy against *Catherine de Medicis*, *Francis II's* Mother, and the Princes of *Guise*, their inveterate Persecutors, but with a Proteftation, that the King's Name was facred to them. However the Lord *Castelnau* and others, were executed for it. The Order of *St. Michael* was instituted here in 1469.

Amboise, an Ancient and Illustrious Family in *France*. *Charles II. d'Amboise*, was Grand-Master of the Order of *St. Michael*, as also Marechal and Admiral of *France*. *Aimery* was Great Master of *Rhodes*; as was also *Emeric d'Amboise*, who defeated the *Egyptian* Fleet. *George d'Amboise*, Cardinal, was chief Minister to *Louis XII.* and General of his Army, in the reducing of *Milan* in 1500.

Amboule, a T. in a most fruitful Valley in the Island of *Madagascar*, towards the E. and to the North of

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Ambresbury, Lat. *Ambrosii Vicus*, a T. in *Wiltshire*, 5. M. W. of *Salisbury*, on the R. *Aven*. Its Name comes from *Ambrosius*, the first K. of the *Britains*, after the *Romans* forsook them. A Council was held here in 977.

Ambrones, a People about *Ambun*, in *Switzerland*, *Provence*, &c. who were defeated by *Marius*, A. V. C. 652. There are yet to be seen the Remainder of a Monument of that Victory.

Ambrosia, the Immortal Food of the Fabulous Gods.

Ambrosius, or *Ambrosius Aurelianus*, a K. of the *Britains*, after the *Romans* had left this Island. He succeeded *Vortigern* in 480. and was the last of the *Roman* Stock here. *Vortigern* having usurp'd the Crown, his Jealousy of *Ambrose* made him call in the *Saxons*. *Ambrose* being in Possession, prov'd a good King, and defeated the *Saxons*.

Ambrosius, St. *Ambrose*, was a Na-

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of *Alexandria*, a Discip-
famous blind *Didymus*, in
Age. He wrote a Poem,
Tracts of Divinity.

or *Emdrun*, a consider-
at C. of *France*, the Me-
the Upper *Dauphiné*, with
hoprick. It was taken by
f *Savoy* in 1692. and soon
ntled and left. It stands
Durance, 68 m. S. E. of

r, a fort of *Italian* Gyp-
who got their Living by
and playing on the Fla-

, the Name of several
ruoy. *Amedeus* I, II, and
n is nothing considerable.

was made Vicar-Gene-
Empire by *Frederick* II.

ike *Great*, a Prince of
nce, who made 32 Sieges,
ich enlarg'd the Dutchy
Amedeus VI. call'd the

, because he appear'd
slour at a Tournament.

John of *France* against
England, fought the

batle, and instituted the
Annunciade. In 1336:

nd deliver'd the Empe-
ce, and died of the

383. having reign'd 40
edeus VII. call'd the *Red*

Vice, assisted *Charles* VI.
nce, and died by a Fall

erie a Hunting. *Ame-*
the first that erected *Sa-*

dutchy in 1415. and then
minions to his Children,

to the Priory of *Repaile*,
ounded the Order of

. He was chosen Anti-
genius IV. by the Name

. But at the desire of
of *France*, left the Pon-

ticholas V. in 1449. who
Cardinals Cap, made him

e S. College, and Legate
e *Amedeus* IX. a bigot-

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ted Prince, was governed by the
Princess *Isoland* of *France*, on which
his Nobles rebell'd; but by the As-
sistance of *Lewis* XI. were reduc'd.
He died in 1503.

Ameland, an Island in the Ger-
man Sea, on the Coast of *W. Frize-*
land, 6 L. from *Leewarden*, subject
to the *Hollanders*; a Fishery for Sea-
dogs.

Amelesagoras, one of the ancient-
est *Greek* Historians, liv'd in the
87th Olympiad.

Amelia, a City of *Italy*, in the Pa-
pacy and the Dm. of *Spoleto*; it is a
free Bishoprick subject to the Pope;
and stands on a Hill, 15 m. S. W. of
Spoleto; 32 m. N. of *Rome*: Long. 34.
12. Lat. 42. 23. Built some say in
the 153d Olym. as others long be-
fore *Rome*.

Amenophis, first K. of *Egypt*, suc-
ceeding *Chebron*, A.M. 2362. reign'd
20 Years; he is thought to be him
that order'd the killing of the He-
brews Children. *Amenophis* II. or
Memnon, conquer'd *Greece*, *Syria*,
Phanicia, Part of *Scythia* and *Thrace*;
nam'd also *Vexores* and *Sejofstris*, the
first that enslav'd the *Israelites*. *A-*
menophis III. or *Pheron*. *Ameno-*
phis IV. dethron'd for his Cruelties,
by *Astifanes*, K. of *Ethiopia*.

Amerbachius, (*John*) a famous
Printer of *Basil*.

America, or the *West-Indies*, one
of the four Parts of the World, so
call'd from *Americo Vespuccio*, a *Flo-*
rentine; tho' first discover'd by *Chri-*
stoph. Columbus, a *Genoese*, in 1492.
consists of two large Peninsula's,
which join at *Panama* and *Nombre*
di dios, by an *Isthmus*, not 17 m.
broad. The S. Peninsula extends
1000 m. to the Straights of *Magel-*
lan, the other much farther. 'Tis
surrounded by the Sea, and is at the
Straights of *Anian* 100 m. from *Tar-*
tary. On the E. lies the North and
Aethiopi Sea; W. the South or *Paci-*
fick Sea toward *China* and *Japan*.

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S. the Streights of *Magellan* and *Mary's Frith*. Its N. Bounds are not known, though some make 'em the Frozen Sea towards *Greenland*. 'Tis divided into N. and S. *America*. The N. call'd *America Mexicana*, contains *Canada* or *New France*, *Estotiland*, *Florida*, *New England*, *New Netherland*, *New Denmark*, *New Spain*, or the Kingdom of *Mexico*, consisting of *Fucatan*, *Nicaragua*, *Novi-Galicia*, *Mechoacan*, *Guatemala*, and *Honduras*, *Virginia*, *Maryland*, the Islands of *California*, *Cuba*, *Hispaniola*, and innumerable others call'd *Antilles*. S. *America*, call'd *Peruvian*, contains *Brasil*, *Chili*, *Guaiana*, *Terra Magellanica*, *New-Andalusia*, *New-Granada*, *Paraguay*, *Parana*, *Paria*, *Popajan*, the Kingdom of *Perou*, the *Terra Firma*, *Terra del Fuego*, *Tucuman*, *Venezuela*. The Inhabitants are *English*, *Spaniards*, *Dutch*, *Danes*, *French*, *Americans*, *Africans*, and those got betwixt *Europeans* and *Natives*; the Climes are

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the Gods for her Health, and dismember'd *Ataynta* for Jealousy.

Ambara, the noblest Kingdom of *Aethiopia*, in the midst of *Abyssinia*; on its N. is the Kingdom of *Bagemder*, W. the R. Nile, and E. *Angola*; it contains 56 large Provinces.

Amianus, Bishop of *Alexandria*, St. Mark's Disciple.

Amida, a *Japoneze* Idol, with a Man's Body, and Dog's Head, mounted on a Horse of 7 Heads; he's represented also as a Young Man with a Golden Crown, circled with Rays.

Amida, an ancient C. of *Mesopotamia*, on a high Hill by the River *Tygris*, call'd *Constantia* by *Constantine* Emperor, who beautifi'd and enlarg'd it before 'twas taken by *Sapor*, King of *Persia*, A. C. 359. 'Twas now in Possession of the *Turks*, who call it *Caramit*.

Amida, or *Amides*, seiz'd the Kingdom of *Tunis* in his Father's Absence, in 1545. warr'd with his Father and Brother. was a cruel Tyrant. and

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Amilcar *E*, Admiral of the *Carthaginian* Fleet, vanquish'd at Sea by the *Romans*, began the 2d *Punic War*; he dy'd (after vanquishing 100000 Rebels) before he came into *Italy*, A. R. 526.

Amilcar, a *Carthaginian* Leader, first beat the *Consuls*, *Ser. Geminus* and *Claudian Nero*, A. R. 550. then was defeated with the loss of 30000 Men by *L. Furim*.

Amilcar Rhodanus, was a *Carthaginian* Captain, and a Spy for the *Athenians* on *Alexander's* Designs, being very Eloquent.

Amile, a R. in the Forest of *Mauritania*, where Elephants are said to Bath themselves, on first sight of the New Moon, and after to adore that Planet.

Amis, (*Jfmes*) Born in 1514. run from his Parents Severity, and begg'd about *Paris*; but being taken to wait on a Lady's Sons, he grew so learn'd in *Latin*, *Greek*, &c. that he was made Bishop of *Auxere*, Grand Almoner of *France*, and Tutor to the King's Children, viz. *Francis II.* *Charles IX.* and *Henry III.* outliving the Queen-Mother's Rage, he dy'd in 1595. He was at the Council of *Trent*, and made there a bold Protestation.

Amipias, *Amepias*, or *Amipbias*, a Comic Poet of *Athens*, expos'd by *Aristophanes*.

Amir, K. of the *Saracens*, who conquer'd *Hormisdas*, King of *Persia*, took *Jerusalem*, *Aegypt*, *Antiochia*, *Palmyra*, and *Syria*, A. C. 632.

Amir-el-Moslemein, the surname of the Caliphs of *Persia*, of the Sect of *Edi*. It signifies Emperor of the Children of *Salvation*.

Amisodorus, or *Isarus*, one of the *Phaenice Chimera's* Crew, slain by *Belus*.

Amisenum, an ancient C. of *Italy*, said for giving Birth to *Salust*; its Ruins are yet in *Abruzzo*; 'twas once a Bishoprick, but now a Village, call'd *St. Vito*.

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Amixocores, a People of *Brazil* in *America*, near the R. *Janeiro*.

Am-kas, the Hall where the *Great Mogul*, on his Throne of Gold, gives Audience, and Exposés his Magnificence on Publick Days, and Festivals.

Amman, the Name of the chief Magistrature in several of the *Swiss Cantons*.

Ammianus Marcellinus, a *Latin* Historian, tho by Birth a *Greek* of *Amioch*, Writ 30 Books of the *Roman History*, 13 of which are lost; he was a Heathen, yet favourable to the Christians.

Ammirali, (*Scipio*) a Canon of *Florence*, who wrote the History of that City, with a Volume of the Noble Families thereof, and two more of those of *Naples*.

Ammon, or the *Jindy*; under this Name was *Jupiter* worship'd in the Shape of a Ram, in a Temple built by *Bacchus*.

Ammon, a R. of *Judea*, Son of Idolatrous *Manasseh*, murder'd by his Servants in the 2d Year of his Reign.

Ammonites, a Nation deriv'd from *Ben-Ammi*, Son of *Lor*, by his youngest Daughter, inhabiting Part of *Syria* the *Hollow*; invaded *Canaan*, made the *Israelites* Tributary, and were defeated by *Jephtha*; but invading again in *Saul's* time, by him were vanquish'd; by *Joab* they were subdued, made Tributary by *Joab*, and defeated by *Judas Maccabeus*.

Ammonius, an Eastern Monk, made Bishop by *Theophilus*, tho' he had cut off his Right Ear to avoid it.

Ammonius of *Alexandria*, call'd *Saccus* from his being a Corn-Porter, and *Theodidas* from his Learning; *Origen* and *Plotinus* were his Disciples; he is quoted by *St. Jerome*, and by some term'd an Apostate, by others a Christian.

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Amorgos, now *Morges*, an Island in the *Aegean* Sea, the Country of the Poet *Simonides*, some reckon it one of the *Cyclades*, some of the *Sporades*.

Amorites, a People descended from *Canaan*, the Son of *Ham*, driving out the Natives, inhabited between *Jabbock* and *Arnon*; but denying the *Israelites* Passage, were expell'd by them, and their Country was given to the Tribe of *Gad*.

Amorium, an ancient and once beautiful C. in *Ekrygia*, near *Galatia*, a Bishoprick under the Patriarch of *Constantinople*, ruin'd by *Amerumnas*, Caliph of the *Saracens*, in the 9th Age, because the Birth-place of the Emperor *Theophilus*.

Amos, one of the lesser Prophets, a Herdsman, prophesied under *Jeroboam*, K. of *Israel*, and *Uzziah*, King of *Judah*. Of this Name also was the Father of *Joshua* the Deacon.

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Ampeiranus, Son of *Orpheus* and *Hypermetra*, a Greek Magician, foreseeing his Death in going with *Atrastus* against *Thebes*, hid himself; but being discover'd by his Wife, *Euriphyle*, for a Gold Chain, he was swallow'd by the Earth, made a God, and ador'd under the Name of *Harna*, or the Chariot.

Amphibalus, *Briso*, Bishop of *Anglesey*, was Pious and Learned, and Martyr'd A. C. 291. though this is thought fabulous.

Amphiclea, a Town in *Greece*, in which was the Temple of *Bacchus*, whose Priests pretended to know Futurity.

Amphidyon, Son of *Dentalion* and *Pyrrha*, who first unriddled Dreams and Portents, was third King of *Atbens*, from *Cranus*. He reign'd 10 Years.

Amphidyon, Son of *Helena*, who instituted the famous Assembly on

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then washing their Hands, deliver'd it to the Nurse; after which they were entertain'd with Feasting and Presents.

Amphisilus, a Southsayer of *Acar-wania*, who by a Verse advis'd *Pisistratus* to fall upon the *Athenians* after Supper, while some were Gaming, others Drinking; whereby he a third time became Master of *Athens*.

Amphilochius, Bishop of *Iconium*, in *Theodosius I's* time, was a Man of great Learning, and a strenuous Opposer of *Arianism*.

Amphilochus, was a Demi-god, and Deliverer of Oracles.

Amphidamon, Son of *Melanbius*, Sister to *Penelope*, was kill'd by *Telemachus*, *Ulysses's* Son.

Amphinoe, *Fason's* Mother; stab'd her self for her Son's Absence.

Amphinomus and *Anapsus*, Brothers of *Jelly*, that ventur'd through the Flames of *Citana*, fir'd by *Aina*, to fetch off their Father and Mother.

Amphion, Son of *Jupiter* and *Antiope*, charm'd by his Lyre, the Stones into the Walls of *Thebes*.

Amphipoli, *Arribontes*, or Magistrates, established by *Timoleon* at *Syracuse*, on the Expulsion of *Dyobiscus* the younger, A. R. 411, who continued 300 Years.

Amphipolis, a City and Apk. of *Thrace*, toward *Macedon*, now called *Embulon* the R. *Strymon*; a Colony was settled here by *Aginon*, Son of *Nisus*, driving away the *Edonians*, who till then kept it. *Perdiccas* took it in the 49th Olym.

Amphiscii, are the Inhabitants between the Tropicks, whose Shadows tend to both Poles. These of the *Heteropoli* in the Temperate Zones, point always one way. But the *Periscii* under the Arctick Circles, have theirs going round them.

Amphistides, a Man that could never count more than five, tho' *Stu-*

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dious of *Arithmetick*. Hence *Dionysius* in that Art art call'd *Amphistides*.

Amphistratus and *Receas*, *Charion* teers to *Castor* and *Pollux*, on whom *Fason* bestowed the Government of several Towns.

Amphitheatre, a publick Place for Spectacles, as of Gladiators and Beasts, who in the Pit or *Area* fought on Sand; its Form was Round or Oval, with Benches raised over one another for the convenience of Sight.

Amphitryo, King of *Thebes*, Husband to *Alcmena*; accidentally slew his Father-in-Law, and vanquished the *Teleboans* by the Assistance of *Cometbo*, Daughter of *Pterelaps*, whose golden fatal Lock, she cut off for Love of *Amphitryo*.

Amphitrite, Wife of *Neptune*, Daughter of *Nereus* and *Doris*, a Sea-Goddes; her Name was given from encompassing the Earth, and grating the Margin thereof.

Amphorites, a Game or Prize, contest in the Island *Agina*, where the Poets that praised *Bacchus* in the best *Dithyrambicks*, had an Ox for Reward.

Amphoterus, Brother to *Craterus*, one of *Alexander's* Captains, Admiral of 60 Ships against *Coos* and *Peloponnesus*, who behaved himself bravely and successfully every where.

Amphrysus, a R. of *Phrygia* in *Asia Minor*, whose Waters drank, made Women barren: Also the Name of a Town in *Phocis*.

Amphrysus, a River of *Thessaly*, at the foot of the Mountain *Oibrys*, on whose Banks *Apollo* fed *Admetus's* Sheep.

St. Ampulla, an Order of Knighthood established by *Clovis I.* King of *France*, in Memory of the Viol of Oyl, brought by an Angel to *St. Remigius*, to Christen the *Child Clovis*. What's certain, is that the four Knights Feudatories to the Church of *Rheims*, bear the Canopy in

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in the Coronation of the Kings of France, under which the *Ampulla* is carried; they bear a Gold-Cross enamel'd with Silver, in a black Ribbon, charg'd with a Dove and a Viol in her Beak, with St. *Remigius* on the Reverse.

Anram, Son of *Kobath*, the Son of *Levi*, was Father of *Aaron*, *Moses*, and *Miriam*.

Anrapel, K. of *Shinar*, was vanquish'd by *Abraham* and the *Sodomites*, under *Lor*.

Amsterdam, once a small Castle by the Name of *Amstel*, then grew to a Village till Convenience and Immunities, and at last confirm'd Liberties, rais'd it to one of the most considerable Cities of Europe, both for Wealth and Beauty, number of Merchants, its Publick Bank, its State-house and Shipping. Long. 24. 40. Lat. 52. 29. 'Tis Metropolis of all the United Netherlands, and stands in N. Holland, and Territory of *Amsterdam*; 'Twas once Imperial, but is now Subject to the

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Amulius, (*Silvius*) K. of *Latium*, was Son of *Procas*, younger Brother of *Numitor*, whom he depos'd; he murdered his Son, and confin'd *Ilia*, his Daughter, to the Vestal Nuns, to deprive her of Issue; but she bore *Romulus* and *Remus* to *Mars*, who slew *Amulius*, and restor'd *Numitor*.

Amundus, or *Amond I.* King of *Swedland*, Son of *Sibdager*, is fabled by those Historians to have been long before Christ; he conquer'd *Normay* and *Geibland*, and united them to *Sweden*, and dying, was buried at *Upsal* with *Gunilda* his Wife. *Amund II.* Son of *Ragwald*, began his Reign A. C. 220. and reign'd 2 Years.

Amurath I. Emperor of the *Turks*, the *Illustrious*, who began his Reign in 1357. succeeded *Solyman I.* his Brother, and made *Adrianople* his Seat of Empire. He first formed the Body of *Janizaries*; he ravag'd *Macedon*, defeated the Prince of the *Bulgarians*, and the Despot of *Ser-*

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of *Vona*. He was often defeated by *Sanderbeg*, and quitting the Government in Despair, return'd to it again by the Janizaries Importunities; but being again foil'd at the second Siege of *Croy* in *Albania*; he died raving at *Adrianople*, in 1451. and the 75th of his Age.

Amurath III. began his Reign in 1574. he kill'd his 5 Brothers, took the City of *Tauris* from the *Persians*, defeated the *Maronites*, set *Bashori* Prince of *Transylvania*, on the Polish Throne, in Opposition to *Maximilian* the Emperor. But vex'd by the Revolt Janizaries, and the Vayvods of *Transylvania* and *Moldavia*, and the Torments of the Stone, he died in 1594. and the 48th of his Age.

Amurath IV. Son to *Achmet*, began his Reign in 1623. at 15 Years old. In 1626. he besieged *Bagdat*, but was driven thence by the *Persians*, and compell'd to make Peace with the *Cossacks* and *Poles*. He after besieged *Bagdat* a second time, took it in 40 Days, and soon after died in 1640.

Amurath, Prince of *Graves*, Count of *Egmont*, Governor of *Flanders* and *Artois*, was fam'd for civil and warlike Acts, especially the Battels of *St. Quintin* and *Graveling*, where he took the *French* Marechal Prisoner. He was executed with Count *Ernst* for High-Treason at *Brussels*, in 1568. by the Duke of *Alva*, because Patron of the Liberties of his Country.

Amici Portus, a Harbor of the *Armenian* Bosphorus, now call'd *Lania*, or *Scala Marmorea*, fam'd for the Tomb of *Amicus*, King of the *Bebryes*.

Amyle, a City of *Italy*, between *Genoa* and *Terracina*, took its Name from *Amyle* in *Laconia*, and was built by its Inhabitants; near this is a Den, called *Specus Amycleum*, from *Sperlinga*, and the next Sea

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Mare *Amycleum*, now *Mar d' Sperlinga*; the Bay *Sinus Amyclanus*, now *Golpo di Gaeta*. Also a Town in *Laconia*, at the Foot of the Mountain *Taygetus*, not far from *Sparta*, famous for the Birth of *Castor* and *Pollux*, for courageous Dogs, and a Temple of *Apollo*.

Amyclas, Master of the small Shallop wherein *Caesar* spoke that fam'd Saying, *Fear not, thou carriest Caesar and his Fortunes*.

Amyclas, fifth King of *Sparta*, *Lacedaemon*'s Son and Successor, and Father to *Hyacinthus*, the Minion of *Apollo*.

Amydon, an ancient T. in *Macedon*, on the River *Axius*, called by some *Verdari*. —†

Amymone, one of *Danaus*'s Daughters, ravished by *Neptune*, and taken away, in whose Place he substituted a Fountain. She bore him *Nauplius*.

Amynas I. King of *Macedon*, succeeded *Alexan*, his Father, A. M. 3527. He reign'd 48 Years, and died near A. M. 3575.

Amynas II. succeeded *Archelus*, A. M. 3662. and reigned one Year.

Amynas III. succeeded *Pausanias*, was Father to *Philip*, and Grandfather to *Alexander the Great*.

Amynas, Son of *Perdiccas III.* of *Macedon*; his Uncle and Guardian, *Philip*, deprived him of the Crown. He married one of *Philip*'s Daughters; and lost his Life for attempting that of *Alexander*.

Amynas the 17th, K. of the *Assyrians*, after *Ninus* succeeded *Assarhades*, reigned 45 Years, and died A. M. 2624. Several others have been of the same Name, one a Favourite of *Alexander*, another a Deserter from him to *Darius*, &c.

Amynianus, a Greek Historian in the time of *Marcus Antoninus* the Philosopher, to whom he Dedicated a Panegyrick on *Alexander the Great*. He writ the Life of *Olympus*, and composed

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compared *Dionysus* of *Sicily* with *Domitian*, and *Philip* of *Macedon* with *Augustus*.

Amyntor, King of the *Delopians* in *Epirus*, was kill'd by *Hercules*. *Hippodamia* was his Wife, and *Clytia* his Concubine.

Amyrus, a *Sybarite*, who fled his Country, as foreseeing the Destruction of his Country from an Oracle he had heard, when sent by the *Italians* to *Delphos*, that said it was near when they paid more Respect to Man than the Gods, as they did in sparing a Slave at a Man's Entreaties, that had denied it to the *Alzar* he had fled too.

Amyrus, a *Peripatetick* Philosopher, lived in the Court of *David*, last Emperor of *Trebizond* in 1461. He wrote against the Council of *Florence*, but after turned *Turk* with his Children, and got a great Post in the *Seraglio*.

Amythaon, Son of *Cretheus*, King of *Eliu*, reigned at *Filos* in *Pelopon-*

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improved: He invented the Potter's Wheel, and was put to Death by his Brother, King of *Syria*, for endeavouring to introduce the *Athenian* Laws.

Anachis, one of the four *Penates*, or Household-Gods, that from their Birth attended every Body, viz. *Dymon*, *Tyches*, *Hermes*, and *Anachis*; otherwise *Dynamis* Power, *Tyche* Fortune, *Eros* Love, *Anaxie* Necessity.

Anacletus, Pope, A. C. 103. he decreed that three Bishops at least, should be present at the Ordination of one; and that Priests should not wear long Hair or long Beards. He sat 11 Years, and was martyred in *Trajan's* time; being otherwise called *Anencletus*.

Anacletus, an Anti-pope to *Innocent II.* died after 8 years Possession of the Chair; having Excommunicated *Innocent*, and been Excommunicated by him.

Anacreon, Born in *Teos*, a City of

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seated with the rest by *Thra-*

is, Anfa, a considerable T. *Atlantick Ocean*, in the Pro-
Temefna in the Kingdom of
ilt by the *Romans*, 60 m. N.
Rahur, 40 W. of *Rebas*; it
stroyed almost by the *Portu-*

nia, Anagni, a Bishop's See,
in *St. Peter's* Patrimony.
L *Anthony* coined Money with
a's Image. Here also were
four Popes, *Innocent III.*
IX. Alexander IV. and *Boni-*
III. 'tis now decayed.

d, Son of Zibeon, the *Horite*,
k that found *Mules* by Conjun-
d *Asses* and *Mares*.

sim, fifth K. of the *Assyrians*,
and his Father *Aries*, and
140 Years, viz. from A. M.
2198.

s and Sae-Sirei, Rabbins
vived the Sect of the *Sadducees*
th Cent.

meket, an old *Samaritan* Idol,
ich some give the Form of a
some of a Pheasant, suppo-
be *Mars*.

midle, a small Country in the
of *Sweland*, nam'd from *Anan*
It gives the Title of Earl to
liet of the Family of *Johnson*.

and, one of a very obscure Fa-
who was made by *Herod the*
s, High-Priest of the *Jews*,
laced to Surrender it to *Ari-*
stus, after whose Death he re-
ed it again.

lunus, or Anas, High-Priest of
Jews, Father of *Caiaphas*, had 5
who succeeded him, one after
but in that Post. Jesus Christ
thought before him.

lunus, one of *Daniel's* Compa-
was put into the fiery Furnace,
he would not Worship the
set up by *Nebuchadnezzar*; but
with the others delivered with-
out, and converted that King

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to own the God of *Israel*, A. M. 3464
or 3455.

Ananias, a *Jew*, converted by
the Apostles, who for lying to the
Holy Ghost in *St. Peter*, was with his
Wife struck Dead.

Ananias of Damascus, ordered by
a Vision to go pray with *Paul*, and
open his Eyes, which he did, and
then *St. Paul* was baptized.

Ananias, a *Jewish* Priest, of so great
Reputation with *Albinus*, Governor
of *Judea*, that he set ten Robbers
at Liberty, to secure his Son in the
Hands of their Gang.

Ananus II. of the Sect of the *Sad-*
duces, put *St. James*, the Brother of
our Lord, to Death; he was deposed
by *Agrippa* from the Priesthood.

Ananus III. opposed the Zealots,
and was Slain by them on the coming
of the Recruits of *Idumeans*.

Anapaumene, a Fountain in *Mo-*
lossia, a Province of *Epirus* in *Greece*.
Its Waters cease flowing at Noon
and Midnight.

Anaphe, Nausio, an Island in the
Elguen Sea, about 30 m. in Com-
pals, 100 from *Scilly*, and 10 from
Sankrini; 'twill suffer no Serpents.

Anapeus, a R. of *Sicily*, near *Sy-*
racuse; its Waters mix with *Cyane*,
(fabled to be his Mistress) and run
together into the *Sicilian* Sea.

Anapkas, King of *Cappadocia* in
Lower Asia, came to the Throne
through the Blood of *Irapermes*, who
made Insurrections in *Persia*; though
Darius assisted his Election, he re-
fused to hold the Crown as Tribu-
tary, but was made Grandee of *Per-*
sia by *Darius*.

Anapliste, an ancient Sea-Port in
Attica, near *Athens*, whither the
wreck of the *Persian* Fleet, after the
Battel of *Salamine*, was driven.
'Twas famous for the Temples of *Pen*,
Ceres, and *Venus*, and the Goddesses
call'd *Genitylides*.

Anaquiso, a great Plain in the
Kingdom of *Quito* in *Peru*, fam'd for
the

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the great Battel betwixt *Almagro* and *Pizarro*, in 1546.

Anastafius I. ordain'd standing at the *Gospel*, and that none *Lame* or *Infirm* should be admitted to *Orders*. He died *Pope*, A. C. 438.

Anastafius II. a favourer of the *Eutychians* and *Nestorians*, in 496. was *Pope* 2 Years, and died voiding his *Bowels*. *Anastafius III.* succeeding *Sergius III.* A. 910. late 2 Years. *Anastafius IV.* succeeding *Eugenius III.* late one Year, five Months; and died in 1154. and Built *Maria Rotunda*. He has a *Porphyry Tomb*.

Anastafius, Anti-pope against *Benedit III.* about 855. was expell'd by *Lewis*, Emperor, at the Request of the *Romans*.

Anastafius, Patriarch of *Antioch*, call'd *Sinaitz*, from Mount *Sinai*; he writ much, was Learned and Pious, hated by *Justinian*, and banish'd by *Justin* the Younger. He died in 599.

Anastafius, Patriarch of *Antioch*.

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Anastafius, Bp. of *Nice*, a *L* Prelate of the 8th Century Author of several *Treats*, attr to *Anastafius Sionita*.

Anastafius, Author of the 1 *St. Maximus*, and his Scholar.

Anastafius Bibliothecarius, a *Abbot* of the 9th Century, w *Acts* and *Canons* of several *cils*; as the third of *Constantin* second of *Nice*, and several things.

Anastafius, one of the *Persian* was converted and baptiz'd at *Jerusalem*, and died a *Martyr* own Country, A. C. 672.

Anatolia, Vid. *Asia*.

Anatolius of *Alexandria*, Bif *Laodicea*, was the best Inter of *Aristotle*, of great Piety and neral Learning, he lived 283.

Anatolius, by force of *G* rais'd himself to be Head of *och*, but was devour'd by *V* at *Constantinople* as an *Idolater*

Anatolius, a Deacon of *A*

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who threaten'd to cut it
 , so great a Master on
 Harp, that *March* *Am*
 the Revenue of three

ine, King of *Spuria*, Son
 his, reign'd with *Alex*
 whom he reduc'd the

K. of the *Rbegini*, fam'd
 re and Moderation, and
 his People, that they
 his Servant, that
 his Childship of his Chil-
 dake. †

der, a *Milefian* Philo-
 : first Inventer of the
 r for Dialing and Geo-

rs, a *Milefian* Philoso-
 : Inventer of the Qua-
 the Air to be the
 11 things.

rs of *Lampficus*, was an
 storian, and one of
 Tutors; he sav'd his
 the Oath of *Alexander*.

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 on of *Neptune* and *Asti*-
 M'd by a Wild Boar that
 his Vineyard, before he
 f the Wine in his Hand,
 refid's Servant foretold

in the *Loire*, a Town of
 rance, Capital of the old
 e Town is still populous,
 be ruinous.

, a famous Lawyer of
 1409. defended the
 Piss, during the Schism
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a Goddess worship'd in

, a *Roman* Senator, kill'd
 Soldiers.

us, a Sophist that liv'd
 at Water, tho' Robust

, a City on the *Euxine*

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Sea in *Thrace*, an Archbishoprick
 under the Patriarch of *Constantinople*, by the *Turks* call'd *Pentis*. Also
 another City in *Cilicia*, where *Sis-*
danapalus was buried.

Anchislaus, *Michael*, Patriarch of
Constantinople, in 1166. forbid the
 Clergy Secular Employs.

Anchiera, (*Joseph*) a Jesuit, sur-
 nam'd the Apostle of *Brazile*, in the
 16th Century.

Anchimolius, Son of *Rhetus*, King
 of the *Marubians*, corrupted his
 Mother-in-Law, *Calperis*, for which
 flying, he attended *Turnus* to the
 Field.

Anchises, belov'd by *Venus*, by
 whom he had *Aeneas*, was of the
 Royal Blood of *Troy*, he attended his
 Son in his Voyage till he died in
Sicily.

Anchise, Queen of *Spuria*, whose
 Son, *Pausanias*, flying to the Tem-
 ple of *Minerva*, she commanded to
 shut in, and Starve him as a Traytor
 Convict against his Country.

Anchurus, Son of *Midas*, King of
Phrygia, who to close a great Gulph
 in compliance with the Oracle,
 threw himself in, thinking the Heir
 to the Crown the most precious
 thing in the Kingdom.

Anelle, a Brass Buckler, which
 the *Romans* thought to have fallen
 from Heaven, and to be a Defence
 while preserv'd against ill Fortune
 and contagious Distempers. Twelve
Salian Priests had the Custody of this
 and Eleven more, were made so like
 it by *Egeria's* Command, as not to
 be distinguish'd if attempted to be
 stolen.

Anclam, a strong City of *Pomera-*
nia, in the Circle of *Upper Saxony* in
Germany, subject to the *Sweeds*, on
 the River *Pene*. 40 m. N. W. of
Albin. Long. 24. 28. Lat. 43. 26.

Ancona, a City and Bishop's See,
 under the Archbishop of *Fermo*, on
 the *Adriatick*, 'tis Metropolis of
Marca d'Ancona in the Papacy, Sub-

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bred at *Marchant-Taylor's School*, and *Pembroke-Hall* in *Cambridge*. He was first made Fellow of *Jesús-College*, *Oxon*, by Mr. *Price* its Founder: attending the Earl of *Huntington*, he made a great many Converts from Popery in the North. Sir *Francis Walsingham* got him to be Vicar of *St. Giles's* without *Cripple-Gate*, *London*, and Prebendary and Presidentiary of *St. Paul's*, and Prebendary of *Southwell*. On Dr. *Hall's* Death he was elected Master of *Pembroke-Hall*. *Q. Elizabeth* made him her Chaplain, first Prebend, and Dean of *Westminster*. King *James* created him Bishop of *Chichester*, whence he was translated first to *Ely*, then to *Winchester*, and was then made Dean of the Chapel. He died *September 25. 1626. Tert. Car. Prim.* and 71st of his Age: He was buried in *St. Saviour's Southwark*. His Works were many, of which were 96 Sermons. 1702 &c. in his last 6 Years he gave in private Alms, and left

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Androclus, a *Roman Slave*, that being exposed to a *Lion* for running away from his Master, was sav'd on by the Beast, in Return of his having formerly pull'd a Thorne out of his Foot; and thus sav'd, was made the *Lion's Keeper*. †

Androgeus, the Son of *Minos*, King of *Crete*, who being always Victor at the *Attick-Games*, was out of Envy, Slain of a young Man of *Athens*, which being taken by *Minos*, was oblig'd to send seven Boys and seven Virgins Annually, to be devour'd by the *Minotaur*, till *Theseus* slew him, and ended the Tribute.

Androgynes, ancient Inhabitants of *Africa*, who were *Hermaphrodites*.

Andromache, the Wife of *Hector*, and as some fable the Mother of *Francion*, or *Francis I.* King of the *Gauls*.

Andromachus, a *Cretan Physician* in *Nero's Time*, he invented the Medicine *Theriacum*, a Compound of

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Part, he was declared *Em-*
andronicus being seiz'd, his
at, and hang'd on Ten-
wixt two Pillars, expir'd
at, with wonderful Pati-
ence, after 2 Years

Andronicus II. Succeeded *Michael*
he lost great part of *Apa-*
ria, who vanquish'd the
Magogues, sent against
Andronicus, who not being
of the Mercenary Forces of
his, found them more dan-
gerous than beneficial. Now Blind
in his Age, he was dethron'd
and his son, *Andronicus*, and
he up in a Monastery, died
332. having pull'd his own
body out of the Grave,
sealing the Union of the
Greek Churches, and per-
ishing that were for it.

Andronicus III. surnam'd *The Young*,
reign'd in the Empire through his Bro-
ther's, and Grand-father's
whom he had dethron'd:
in the year of the Turks he van-
quish'd the *Misyllenians* and *Phoeni-*
cians and surpris'd the revolted *Thessa-*
lians that eagerness, that he
in the keeping the Turks out
of, who by that means set-
tled enlarg'd their Empire. He
1341. in the 45th of his

Andronicus Paleologus, being ac-
cused of conspiring the Death of his
son *Johannes*, Emperor of
Byzantium, was seiz'd, and had
his eyes put out with boiling Vine-
gar. In his way to *Bejaera*, he by his
brother was dethron'd, and put in
a Prison, with his Brother
who making his Escape to
France, was by him set on the
throne Condition to hold it as
long as he liv'd; tho' some say *Andro-*
nicius his Father, and
his Coronati

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Andronicus of *Rhodes*, a Peripate-
tick Philosopher, who publish'd *Ari-*
stotle's Works Corraet, which he
bought of *Tyrannion*, Library-
keeper of *Sylla*.

Andronicus, Praefect. of *Pentapolis*
in *Aegypt*, in the 5th Century, who
being excommunicated for his Im-
pieties and his Outrages against the
Clergy, submitted to the Censure,
and under-went the Penance.

Andronicus Tranquillus, a Learned
Greek, who escaping from *Constan-*
tinople, when taken by the *Turks*,
in 1453. came first into *Italy*, then to
Basil, where he was *Greek Professor*,
as he was afterward at *Paris* with
Hermonymus of *Sparta*.

Andropompus, elected by the *Athe-*
nians on his accepting the Challenge
of the *Theban King*, which *Timocles*,
their King had refus'd, to end the
War by a single Combate, A. M.
2875. He descended from *Neleus*,
King of *Theffaly*.

Andros, *Andro*, one of the *Cyclades*,
Islands in the *Aegean Sea*, with an
Episcopal City, under the Archbi-
shoprick of *Aibens*, 93 m. in Circuit,
10 m. from the *Eubaeus* Promontory
of *Gerefto*, and 20 from *Delos*.
Here anciently was a Temple of
Bacchus, whose Fountains on the
7th of *January* us'd to taste like
Wine.

Anduze sur le Gardon, a City in
Lower Languedoc, formerly fortify'd;
it declar'd for the Protestants un-
der the Duke of *Roban*, but surren-
dering to *Lewis* the XIII. was dis-
mantl'd.

Anet, a Town and Promontory,
on the River *Eure*, in the Island of
France, belonging to the Duke of
Vendosme; the Castle is very Magni-
ficent, over whose Portal is a Hart
of Brass, and a Pack of Beagles that
move.

Angamala, a small City and Bpk.
on the R. *Aicotta*, in *Malabar*; whose
Bishop's See. was translated to *Cran-*
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ganor by Paul V. in 1609. in which, and round about, live the Christians of St. Thomas.

Angelici, Hereticks that were for Worship of Angels, suppos'd to have begun in the Apostles time, but they spread most about 180.

Angelites, a kind of *Sabellian* Hereticks, call'd so from *Agelius* or *Angelus*, a place in *Alexandria*, where they had their Meetings.

Angerona, worship'd by the old Romans as the Goddess of Silence; her statue was plac'd on the Altar of *Fleasure*; her Name is deriv'd from *Angina*, as having cur'd the Romans of the *Squinancy*.

Angers, a large City, Capital of *Anjou*, on the River *Mayenne*, which divides it into two Parts, is a Bishoprick, under the Archbishoprick of *Tours*. It was a University, founded by *Lewis XI.* in 1398. and has an Academy of 30 Members, who are not to meddle with Government, Religion, &c. nor to Answer any Books but their own. Here are the

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Anglesey, *Mon* or *Firmôn*; *British*, and *Money* in Saxon now *Anglesey* quasi *English* Island, an Island in the Irish parted N. W. by a narrow Str call'd *Menai* from *Carnarva* 'Tis 20 Miles long, and 17 divided into six Hundreds, in are 74 Parishes, and two Towns, call'd *Beaumaris* and *burg*; 'tis fruitful, and affords lum or Copperas. It sends Members of Parliament, who are the Right Honourable R Lord Viscount *Bullery*, and *Bulkely*, Esq;.

Angola, a Kingdom S. of in *Africa*, contains eight Provi *Louanda*, *Sinso*, *Ilamba*, *Icoflo* *faca*, *Massingan*, *Cambamba*, and *bacea*. The Country by the *F* *gueze* is found fruitful. 'Twa merly govern'd by several L Subject to *Congo*, but now is one. The Traffick the *Portu* have, is for Slaves, transpla in 1799 Year 1799. for which

, Prefidial, Seneschallship, Shop's See, Suffragan to *Bour-*, one of the most ancient of the Kingdom. 'Tis Builte Top of a Mountain, betwixt *Cherone* and *Anguienne*, at one end of it meet together, 'tis inaccessible on all sides, which is well fortify'd as it is, though the Citadel is ruin'd. *K. Clovis* in 508. took the *Goths*. It suffer'd by the us, but more by the last Civil

massis, a Province of *Aquitaine*, between *Poitou*, *Xaintonge*, *St.* and *Limousin*, 25 Leagues high, 16 or 18 broad. Besides *St.*, its Capital, it has *Cognac*, *St. Roch-Foucault*, &c. Its chief is *Charente*. The People are *French*, and good Wits.

St., a City of the Island of *St.*, one of the *Azores*, a Bishop's See, under the Archbishoprick of *St.* Though small, yet 'tis well walled, the strong Castle of *St.* is the Capital of all the *St.* Islands.

St., *Angern* and *Encern*, a

Patrimony, subject to the Pope, on the Lake *Bracciano*, or *Sabbatinum*, or *Anquilaria*, whence Waters were convey'd to the *Vatican* at the charge of *Adrian I.* 'Tis 5 m. from *Bracciano*, and 8 from *Rome*.

Angus, a Country in the N. E. of *Scotland*, on the S. bounded by the River *Tay*, on the N. by *Norrib-Esk*. It has long given Title of Earl to the Family of *Douglas*, as it does now to the eldest Son of the Marquiss of *Douglas*.

Anhalt, a Principality in *Upper Saxony*, with a little City of the same Name almost ruin'd; on the E. 'tis bounded by *Saxony*, by *Halberstadt* on the W. and on the N. by *Magdeburgh*, and on the S. by *Mansfeldt* and County of *Hall*. The House of *Anhalt* is one of the most ancient Families of *Europe*, and *Brandenburgh* and *Saxony* derive themselves from it.

Anhalt, (*George*) a Prince of that House, Born *Aug.* 14. 1507. a great Civilian, Linguist, and Divine, was Privy-Counsellor to the Elector of *Mentz*, and Provost of *Magdeburgh*. He became a Protestant Minister,

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Anianus, an Abbot, Born at *Cassel* in *Flanders* about 450. who Writ a Chronicle from the beginning of the World to his time.

Anianus, a Monk of *Egypt*, his Chronological Tract sometimes agrees, sometimes differs from *Eusebius Casariensis*.

Anicetus, Bishop of *Rome*, Successor of, or Predecessor to *St. Pius*; he order'd the Clergy to wear short Hair, and was martyr'd in 178. after sitting Bishop 11 Years. In his time the *Gnosticks* came to *Rome*, and *St. Polycarp*, to confer about the keeping of *Easter*, in which, though disagreeing, they receiv'd the Sacrament together, and were good Friends.

Anicetus, a freed Man of *Nero's*, who was his Admiral and Tutor. He contriv'd the Ship for *Agrippina's* Death, and accus'd *Nero's* Wife, *Octavia*, of Adultery with himself, to deliver *Nero* from both his Mother

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Anileus and *Astineus*, two Brothers, that liv'd at *Nee Babylon*, who being ill us'd Master, took Arms, and in of the *Euphrates*, by the Co of the Youth of that Count formidable; beat the *Parthian* and maintain'd their Post; but *Anileus* was poison'd by the Widow of the *Parthian* nor, whom he had kill'd; *new* after many successful against *Mitridates*, was n in the Night by the *Babylon*

Anjou, a Province of *Fr* divided into *Higher* and *Lower* a County, but now a Dutch People were anciently call'd and *Andegavi*. The County is N. of it, *Britany* W. *Tou* and *Poitou* S. 'Tis in Lengt Breadth 20 Leagues. Its R the *Loire*, *Mayenne*, *Drive*, *E Angers*, its Capital, stand *Lower*. and *Samur* in the U

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Anna, Sister to *Pygmalion*, King of *Tyre*; she fled first with *Dido* to *Carthage*, after her Death to *Batum*, King of *Malta*, thence to *Italy*, where she was drown'd in the River *Numicus*, to avoid the Anger of *Levinia*. On the Ides of *March* the *Romans* worshipp'd her under the Name of *Anna Perennis*; with Drunkenness, believing every Glass they drank to her Honour, gave them a Year of Life.

Anna Comnena, Daughter of *Alexis*, Emperor of *Constantinople*, who, on her Mother's and Husband's Death, apply'd her self wholly to Study; she writ her Father's Reign in 15 Books, call'd *Alexiada*; and was a wonder in all sorts of Learning.

Anna Xinga, eldest Daughter of the King of *Angola*, on whose Death she seiz'd the Throne; to command the better, she assum'd Mens Cloaths and Name; she fought the *Portuguese*, beat the *Fago's*, and in 1645, sack'd all the Villages of *Ouda*, and bore off the Inhabitants Prisoners.

Ananias, a Luxurious King of *Babylon*, us'd to sit in Women's Cloaths all perform'd at Dinner, surrounded with 150 Musicians.

Ann, Mother of the Virgin *Mary*, Daughter to *Matthan*, the Priest of *Israhel*, of the Tribe of *Aaron*. She had *Mary* the 8th of *September*, by her Husband *Joachim* after 20 or 22 Years Barrenness. She had three Daughters either by him or several Husbands.

Ann, Wife of *Elkana*, a Levite, Mother to *Samuel*, whom she committed to *Eli*, having vow'd him to be Lord.

Ann, the Prophetess, Daughter of *Pennel*, she join'd with *Simeon* in publick Praise when *Christ* was first presented in the Temple, where she spent her Widow-hood in Fast and Prayer; and died in the first Year of our Lord.

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Anne, Dutches of *Britany*, Heiress to her Father *Francis II.* Born in 1476. first married *Charles VIII.* who dying in 1498. she married *Lewis XII.* She govern'd *France* wisely in the Absence of *Charles*, and bestow'd the Revenue of *Britany*, left to her disposal, among the most meritorious of her Husband's Soldiers.

Anne, Queen of *Hungary* and *Bohemia*, Daughter of *Ladislaus VI.* King of *Hungary*, &c. was married to *Ferdinand* of *Austria*, Brother to *Charles*, and succeeded her Father in both Kingdoms. *Ferdinand* was Crown'd at *Alba Regalis*. She died of her fifteenth Child, Anno 1547. having born patiently the Invasion of her Country by *Solyman*, invited by *John de Zapol*, who was declar'd King by some Malecontents.

Anne, Daughter of *Frederick II.* K. of *Demark*, married to *James VI.* of *Scotland*, and First of *England*, Anno 1589.

Anne of *Cleves*, Daughter of *John III.* Duke of *Cleves* and *Fuliers*, married to *Henry VIII.* King of *England*, and afterwards divorc'd from him.

Anne of *Austria*, eldest Daughter of *Philip III.* King of *Spain* and *Margaret* of *Austria*, was married to *Lewis XIII.* Novemb. 13. 1615. She had the Regency in the Minority of her Son.

Anneau, a Town of *Chartres* in *La Beaufe* in *France*, fam'd for being the place of the *Germans* defeat by the Duke of *Guise*, in 1517.

Annebaux, *Claude*, Baron of *Rets*, Commandant of the Order of *St. Michael*, Marshal and Admiral of *France*, defended *Mezieres*, in 1521. against Count *Nassau*; he was taken at the Battel of *Pavia*; defended *Turin* against the Imperialists; took *Quierac*, *Saluces*, &c. in *Piedmont*, was again taken near *Paronane*, in 1537. He was sent Ambassador to *Venice*,

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and two Years after beat the *English* thrice at Sea, and manag'd the Treaty of Peace betwixt *France*, *England*, and the Empire, being Chief Minister of *Francis I.*

Annecy, a pretty large Town of *Savoy*, at the foot of the *Montains* of *Saymon*, on a Lake of the same Name; seem'd the Capital of that Dutchy, and 6 Leagues South of *Geneva*, where the Titular Bishops of that See reside. The Lake is 4 Leagues long, and half a League over, whence rises the River *Tioud*.

Annesley, the Name of a Family in *England*, and particulary of the Earls of *Anglesey*.

Anrianus of *Campania*, Deacon of *Celedon*, *Amantius* to *Pelagius*, and a Defender of his Heresy, liv'd Anno 415. writ against *St. Jerome*, and translated *St. Chrysostom's* Homilies.

Anniceris, a Disciple of *Aristippus*; he ransom'd *Plato*, and was Author of one of the five *Cyrenaick* Sects.

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Annonciade, the Name (as several other) of an Order of Knights instituted by *Amadeus*, Count of *voys*, in 1225 under the Name of *of Loy*, chang'd by *Amadeus* and first Duke of *Savoie* into *Amadeus*. The Collar had *F. L. I.* engrav'd on it, i.e. *Fortitudo ejus dum tenuit*, his Valour maintain'd the Siege of *Rhodes* 1310.

Annunciation, a Feast kept by Church of *Rome*, in Memory of Virgin *Mary*. 'Twas first celebrated on the 25th of *March*. by the Order of the Council of *ledo*, in 659. on the 10th of *Deber*: now 'tis again restor'd to former time.

Anossi and *Carcassossi*, a Province of *Madagascar*, where the French have some Colonies.

Anot, a small City of *Provence*, France, that has a Vote in the Assembly at *Provence*, being the

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the Pope's Legate, in 1101. prepared to perform it. s, Archbishop of *Canterbury*, e end of the XIth, and be- of the XIIth Age. He was bbot of *Le Bec*, near six from *Rouen* in *Normandy*, in gn of *Will. Rufus* and *Henry I.* ber. He was a persecutor of ry'd Clergy, and a violent of the Pope's Right of In- of Bishops against the King, h he was Banish'd by *Rufus*, by *Henry I.* and after again. He confuted the *Greeks* at ancil of *Bari* in *Naples*, and w 1109, and 400 Years af- Canonized. He was Au- great many Books.

s, Deacon of *Laon*, in the *France*, a famous Learned his time, some of whose ere attributed to *Anselm* of y.

s, Abbot of *Gemblours* in, liv'd in the XIIth Century. ured the Chronicle of *Sigi-* Predecessor, from 1112 to

s, a *Benedictine* of *Rheims*, the XIth Century, and writ of Pope *Leo Xth's* Travels re, in 1049.

s, a favourite Poet of *Marc* who gave him a Country- *Falernum* for writing his Verse.

s, a People of the Upper N. of *Congo*, towards the

s, one of the most consider- of *Norway*, near the Sea, s Miles W. of *Stockholm*. convenient Port on a Streight he Name, a Sovereign Court, s See, Suffragan to the of *Drontheim*, near the of *Aggerhus* towards *Fre-*

s, a City of *Francia*, with on a small River of the same

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Name; call'd by some *Oustant*, six Leagues from *Nuremberg*. The Princes of *Auspath* of the House of *Brandenburg* derive their Title from hence.

Antaeus, a Giant of *Libya*, Son of *Neptune* and the *Earth*, who destroy'd all the Men he could, in order to Build a Temple to *Neptune* of Mens Skulls. He was assauled by *Hercules*; but gathering new force from his Mother Earth, each time *Hercules* beat him down, he was squeez'd to Death by *Hercules* in his Arms; from whose Wife and *Hercules*, *Juba*, King of *Mauritania*, would have deriv'd himself.

Antagoras, a Poet of *Rhodes*, much favour'd by *Antigonus*, King of *Macedon*.

Antsuares, a People of the South of *Madagascar*, between the Country of *Matane* to the S. and the *Pulimenes* to the N. There are some Mines of Gold in the Hills.

Antegoa, one of the *Caribby* Islands in the *West-Indies*, subject to *Eng-* land, Lat. 16. between *Barbadoes*, *Guadaloupe*, and *Pesfrée*, 6 or 7 Leagues long, and in some places as broad. 'Tis dangerous for the Access of Ships, being encompass'd with Rocks. Its subject to violent Heats and Hurricanes.

Anteim Publim, being accus'd of conspiring *Nero's* Death, he first took Poyson, and then cut his Veins to hasten Death.

Antenor, a *Trojan* Prince, accus'd of betraying his Country; with *Aeneas* he came into *Italy* with great numbers, drove out the *Engubians*, and built *Padua*.

Ameros or *Counter-Love*, ador'd by the *Athenians* as God, the Brother of *Cupid*.

Anterus, 19th Bishop of *Rome*. He liv'd in the Reign of *Maximino*, and late 11 Years, according to some; but to others, only one. He order'd the Acts of Martyrs to be carefully collected

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collected, and forbid Bishops to be Translated for Lucre.

Antevorta, worshipped by the *Romans* for things past, as *Postvorta* for things to come, as Counsellors of Providence.

Antbarius or *Antharius*, Son of *Clephus*, declar'd King of the *Lombards*, Anno 586. on their laying aside the 30 Dukes.

Antharius, King of the *Sicambrians*, Slain by the *Romans* after he had taken *Cuelders*, and plunder'd *Meyence*, a *Roman* Colony, 37 Y. before Christ.

Anthemius, a famous Architect, Statuary, and Mathematician. He frighted *Zeno* the Rhetorician, who liv'd next to him, out of his House by his Imitation of Thunder, Lightning, and Earthquakes.

Anthemus, (*Flavius*) married *Euphemia*, Daughter to the Emperor *Marcian*, and being sent to Italy by

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Antidiasporists, a Party of civil *Lutherans*, that disallow Shops and Ceremonies.

Antibes, a City and Sea-Port in *Provence* in *France*, once a Bishop See, under the Archbishop of *brun*, since translated to *Grasse* Colony of *Marseilles*. 'Tis defended by a Castle.

Anticatones, the Name of 4 Books against *Tully's Cato Major*.

Anticrist, believed by the *Papists* to be a certain Prince to appear at the end of the World to destroy Christianity. The Protestants divided about it.

Anticyre, an Island of *Thessaly*, famous for *Hellebore*, good to cure the Brain.

Anti-dicomariani Helvidian sects, who held the Virgin Mary had Children after Christ by *Joseph*.

Antigones, one of the Commanders of *Alexander the Great*.

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Tircamus, his Uncle; d *New Josephus*, He; but was defeated, ent by the *Romans* to in *Egypt*, where he

Son of *Demetrius* Po-King of *Macedon*; he d his Camp plunder'd and his *Gauls*; after expell'd his Kingdom recover'd it, and left *metrius*, having reign'd

A. King of *Macedon*, is from *Sparta* to *A-* d'd the *Illyrians*, &c. he 12th Year of his

or *Antigonius Carystius*, rian, in the time of he writ the Lives of *bo*, *Antipater*, &c. a als; of the manage- oice, &c.

n, a Mountain in *Sy-* banon, inhabited now call'd *Druses*.

ands that lie betwixt n Continent, and the *Porto-Rico*; there are discover'd by *Colum-* ate Climate and fruit- by *Canibals*, *French*, *Dutch*. *Desiderade*,

deloupe, *Marigalante*, *Croix*, *St. Alouze*, are *French*; *St. Chri-* and *Englisb*. *Angui-* *Barbadors*, *Bermudas*, *Mewis*, *Englisb*. *Saba*, and *Walkeren*, *Dutch*. *inique*, and *St. Vincem*, *omas*, the *Danes* pol- b and *La Margarita*,

Son of *Euridice* and *by Menmon* at the Siege

an *Ionian* Poet, wrote War, esteem'd next

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to *Homer*, but prefer'd to him by *Adrian* the Emperor.

Antimachus, a *Trojan* Commander, engag'd by *Paris* to dissuade the re- turning of *Helena*.

Antinoc, *Antios*, and *Antinopolis*, a City and Bishop's See under *Thebes*, now demolish'd. Its Ruins are not 10 Leagues from the *Nile*; 'Twas Built by *Adrian* in Honour to *Anti-* nom, his Favourite, to whom he built Altars, and from whom it took its Name; 'twas from its Founder too, call'd *Adrianople*.

Antinomians, Hereticks that hold the *Law* useless under the *Gospel*; that all Works are alike to the Godly, who cannot Sin, for *Christ* only works in them; and being once certain of Salvation they never doubt: Also that none are to be exhort'd to *Chri-* stian Duty; that Holiness makes not God love us; that Sanctification is no Sign of Justification, &c. *John Agricola*, was Author of them.

Antiochia, now *Antachis*, the Ca- pital of *Syria*, now Ruins; once Great, and a Patriarchate; divided by the River *Oromes*; part on a Hill, and part on a Plain. It was taken and retaken several times by the *Saracens* and *Christians*. A Council of the Apostles was held here; and it was the Seat of much Controversy be- twixt the *Orthodox* and *Arians*. Upon which, and other Heresies were at several times held here above ten Councils and Synods, factious or re- gular. There were more than ten other Cities of this Name, of which the most considerable now is on the River *Meander*, call'd *Tackiali*, one in *Cilicia*, call'd by the *Turks*, *Issenos*, and one on *Euphrates*, and one in *S. America*, 15 Leagues from *St. Foy*.

Antiochus I. King of *Syria*, only Son of *Seleucus Nicator*. He con- quer'd the *Galatians*; for which he was call'd *Soter*, or *Saviour*. He reign'd 19 Year, and died. A. M.

3793. to his desperate Love, his old Father surrendered his young Wife, *Stratonice*, to save his Life.

Antiochus II. whom for putting their Tyrant *Timarchus* to Death, the *Milesians* call'd *Theos*, succeeded *Soter*, he warr'd with *Ptolemy Philadelphus*, put away his Wife, *Laodice*, to marry *Brenice*, *Ptolemy's* Daughter; but was poyson'd for it by *Laodice*, though he had taken her again.

Antiochus Hierax, Brother to *Seleucus Callinicus*, Son of *Laodice*, first fought for his Brother, then was pursu'd by him; forsaken by his Brother-in-law, King of *Cappadocia*, order'd to be seiz'd by his Uncle, *Ptolemy Evergetes*, to whom he fled; whence escaping, he was Slain by Robbers, *A. Rom.* 527.

Antiochus III. the Great, vanquish'd great part of *Greece*, made War on *Ptolemy Epiphanes*, but was forbid by the *Romans* to pursue it; afterwards persuaded by *Hannibal*, he

At the Death of his Father Hostage in *Rome*, but made his thence.

Antiochus V. Eupator, son of his Father *Epiphanes*; having *Judea* with 100000 Foot, and Horse, he took *Bathsura*, at Peace with the *Jews*, to secure *Antioch* against *Phillip of Persia*, *Demetrius*, Son of *Seleucus*, the *Syrians* repairing to the Heir, soon got *Antiochus* into his Hands, and put to Death.

Antiochus VI. the Noble, Grandson to *Antiochus Epiphanes* on the Throne by *Tryphon*, discontented Soldiers, who dethron'd *Demetrius*; he was made a Puppet to raise himself.

Antiochus VII. Sidetes, Son of *Demetrius Soter*, by the help of the High-Priest of the *Jews*, vanquish'd *Tryphon*, and reascended the Throne. He then ungratefully besieged *Antioch*, High-Priest, in *Hier*

us X. (*Pius*) Son of *Antiochus*, married *Silena*, Widow both of her and Uncle; and Burnt I. at *Antiochia* in *Cilicia*, defended himself against *Demetrius*'s Son, and *Philip III.* II'd in the Queen of the Quarrel fighting against *Antiochus*.

us XI. Son of *Gryphus*, engaged to recover what his Brother was kill'd in Battle by *Antiochus*.

us XII. (*Dionysius*) in his Father's Absence, usurp'd the Crown, was kill'd fighting against *Antiochus*, *Ant. Reg. 1. A. M.* was the Son of *Gryphus*.

us XIII. nam'd *Antiochus*, of hiding himself in *Cilicia*, King of *Armenia* his Crown. The Son of *Pius* was restor'd by *Lutatius*, again depos'd by *Pompey*. The three other *Antiochus*'s, *Comagena*, a Province of the first vanquish'd and restor'd by *Pompey*, whom he sided with *Cesar*, and was beheaded for murdering his Brother. Of the 2d there is nothing. The 3d being depos'd by *Claudius*, and *Vespasian*, persecuted the first, was put to Death by the Emperor for entering into an Alliance with the *Parthians*.

us of *Ascalon* a Philosopher, heard by *Cicero*, and admired by *Brutus*.

us, Bishop of *Ptolemais* in *Phoenicia*, an Eloquent Prelate, but he was in Conjunction with other Bishops, a Persecutor of *Christians*, whom they call *Antiochians*. His See, a Persian Lord of *Holm*, by *Isidore*, to be *Gotheofusus* the Younger, and he admirably discharged

Antiope, Queen of the *Amazons*, invading *Attica*, was vanquish'd by *Theseus*. The Wife also of *Lycus*, King of *Thebes*, ravish'd by *Jupiter*, who brought forth *Amphion* and *Zethus*.

Antipater I. King of *Macedon*, *Cassander*'s Son. He slew his Mother, *Thessalonica*, fearing she favour'd his Brother *Alexander*; flying the Power of *Pyrrhus* of *Epire*, and *Demetrius*, Son of *Antigonus*, arm'd by *Alexander* against him, to *Lyfimachus* his Father-in-law, King of *Thrace*, he was by him, for his Crime, put to Death.

Antipater II. King of *Macedon*, was deposed after 45 Days Reign; and *Sosthenes* succeeded him.

Antipater, an *Idumean*, Father to *Herod*, continued Governor of *Judea* for his following *Cesar* in his *Egyptian Expedition*, but he was poison'd by his Favourite *Malthus*, because he was a Foreigner.

Antipater, the eldest Son of *Herod the Great*, by an *Idumean*, nam'd *Doris*, oppos'd by the Father to *Alexander* and *Aristobulus*, Sons of *Mariamne*, whom at *Rome* he accus'd of conspiring his Father's Death; who being Dead, he was himself convicted of such Designs before *Varius*, and put to Death, Anno 1.

Antipater, one of *Alexander the Great*'s Commanders, his Lieutenant in *Greece*, reduc'd revolted *Thrace*, drove the *Lacedaemonians* from the Siege of *Megalopolis*, *Ann. Rom. 430*. He poison'd *Alexander* for recalling him at his Mother *Olympias*'s Desire; he was beat by the *Athenians*, and vanquish'd the *Thessalians*, and was chosen Guardian to *Alexander*'s Children, and died *A.D. 433*.

Antipater, (*Caelius*) the Latin Historian; he wrote of the *Punic Wars*; he was abridg'd by *Brutus*, admird by *Tully*, and prefer'd by *Adrian*, Emperor, to *Salustius*.

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Antipater, of *Hieropolis*, was Secretary first to *Severus*, then Tutor to his Sons, *Caracalla* and *Geta*, and lastly Governor of *Hieropolis*, where he starv'd himself to Death for Grief that *Caracalla* had kill'd *Geta*.

Antipater, Son of *Seleucus Ceraunus*; he commanded the Horse under his Uncle *Antiochus the Great*, against *Ptolemy Philopater*, and made Peace betwixt them, and between the Romans and *Antiochus*.

Antipater of *Sydon*, a Poet, and Stoick Philosopher in the 17th Olympiad, celebrated by *Tully* and *Seneca*; some of his Epigrams are yet Extant. Also another Poet of *Theſſalonica* in the time of *Augustus*, his Remains are yet in the Greek Epigrams.

Antipatris, a Town of *Phanicia*, on the *Mediterranean*, 16 m. from *Foppa*. *St. Paul* was conveyed hither in his Passage to *Cæsarea*; 'twas well-seated for War or Trade, though inconsiderable till Rebuilt by *Herod*, and nam'd in Honour to his Father

a Catalogue of them since Age.

1. *Novatian* against *Cornelius*
2. *Ursicin* against *Damasc*
3. *Eulalius* against *Boniface*
4. *Laurence* against *Symmac*
5. *Dioscorus* against *Boniface*
6. *Peter* and *Theodorus*, rents, 686. till *Conon* was
7. *Theodorus* and *Paschal* set *Sergius*, 687. 8. *Theophila*
- Paul* I. 757. 9. *Constam*
- Paul* died, 767. 10. *Phi*
11. *Zinzime* against *Eugen*
12. *Anastasi* against *Be*
856. 13. *Sergius* against
891. 14. *Boniface* after
- died, 896. 15. *Leo* disp
- Papacy with *John* XII. and
- 955, and 964. 16. *Grego*
- Bennet* VIII. 1012. 17. *Syl*
- and *John* XX. yielded to *Gr*
1044. 18. *Mincius* nam
- against *Nickolas* II. 1059.
- norius* II. against *Alexander*
20. *Clement* III. against *Gr*

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arians, those that deny who are also call'd Uni-

a Town of *Dalmatia*, on Sea, 10 m. E. of *Dol-*
6 of *Sauteri*, once a Bi-
 en an Archbishop's, with
 t, now under the *Turks*.
 ow *Antio* *Rovinato*, once
 ditan of the *Volschi*, whi-
 as retir'd. In it was a
 ple to *Fortune*, &c.
 ose who live under the
 in, but in different Pa-
 Equally distant from

Daughter to *Claudius*,
 refusing to Marry *Nero*,
 accus'd of Conspiring a-
 tate, and forc'd to kill

Memeni Regio, part of
Is, discover'd by *Antibo-*
 Governor of the *Dutch*
 npany, in 1642. and lies
 it, not yet known whe-
 an Island or Continent,
 mid-way between *New*
New Zealand.

s *Pius*, Born A. D. 86.
 , and succeeded *Adrian*,
 earned and good Prince.
 has he had rather spare one
 kill 5000 *Enemies*; he
 Father of his Country,
 persecuted the *Christians*.
 Fever 74 Year old, and
 left Successors, *M. Au-*
 and *L. Aurelius Ve-*

ix Emperors had this
Ceminodus, *Caracalla*,
Geta, *Diadamenus*, and
Max.

the uncertain Author
Antony, that bears his

(*Marcus*) an Orator, that
 at any thing, and spoke
 ry to all Causes, as *Tully*

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Antonius, (*Marcus*) *M. Antony*,
 Grandson to the foregoing Orator,
 and a Partizan of *J. Caesar* in all his
 Attempts and Wars. One of the
Triumvirate which he form'd betwixt
Octavius, *Lepidus*, and himself; and
 on which he put off *Fulvia*, and
 took *Octavia*, Sister to *Augustus*,
 whom he forsook for *Cleopatra*, Q.
 of *Egypt*; on pretence of which,
Augustus attack'd and beat him at
Actium, and pursued him to *Alex-*
andria. He slew himself in the 56th
 Year of his Age.

Antonius Nebrissenfis, a *Spaniard*,
 Born in 1455. died at *Alcala*, in
 1522. 77 Years old. He Studied at
Bologna in *Italy*, Taught at *Salaman-*
cha, and lastly in *Ximenes's* new Uni-
 versity of *Alcala*. He was esteem'd
 the greatest Scholar of his time, and
 left many Works.

Antonius Augustinus, Archbishop of
Tarragon, one of the most Learned
 Men that ever *Spain* produc'd; he
 was Son of the Under Chancellor of
Araggon, and writ Civil-Law at 25,
 was at the Council of *Trent*, and
 died at his Archbishoprick, in 1586,
 leaving many Works.

Antonius Galatens, from *Galatina*,
 a Village in *Otranto* in *Italy*, was a
 Philosopher, Physician, Poet, and
 Geographer: Among various other
 things, he writ the Praise of the
Gout; and died near 1490.

Antonius de Godis, (*Henry*) of
Vicenza in *Italy*, a famous Lawyer of
Venice, in the 4th Century.

Antonius Primus Becco, a great
 Commander, who vanquish'd the
 Forces of *Visellius* for *Vespasian* near
Cremona. He had Elocution as well
 as Courage.

St. Anthony the Great, was born
 in 251. and died in 356. being 105
 Years old; having been the Found-
 er of Monastick Orders, in the De-
 sert of *Thebais* in *Egypt*.

St. Antony, a Monastick Order,
 whose principal Monastery is the

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Abbey of *St. Anthony* of *Viennois* in *Dauphine*. They observe *St. Augustine's* Rules.

St. Anthony's Knights, are a Military Order, instituted by *Albert*, Duke of *Bavaria*, *Holland*, and *Zeeland*, in 1382, when he design'd War on the *Turks*. They wore a Gold Collar, like a *Hermit's* Girdle, from which hung a Stick like a Crutch, and a little Bell.

Antony of *Bourbone*, King of *Nazarre*, Prince of *Bearn*, Duke of *Vendosme*, &c. declar'd Lieutenant-General of *France*, in the Minority of *Charles IX.* He took *Bruges*, and was wounded in the Shoulder at the Siege of *Rom*, of which he died. He was Father of *Henry IV.* of *France*, and Zealous for the Protestants.

Antony, Son of *Louis*, by a Concubine nam'd *Isabel*, born in 1500. was Prior of *Crati*. He took on him the Name of King, on the Death of *Sebastian*, King of *Portugal*, on the 24th of *June* 1578. but after

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Antony of *Lorraine*, Count of *demont*, &c. the Under-*usher*. *tus* of *Anjou*, King of *Sicily*, favour'd by the Emperor, by Assistance of *France*, he took *Tener*, fighting for *Lorraine* in *Rig Isabel*, eldest Daughter to *Charles* of *Lorraine*, and sending him to *London*, made him yield to severe Terms before he granted his Liberty. died in 1447.

Antony of *Messina*, an excellent Painter, about 1430.

Antrim, a Barony, County, Borough-Town of the Province of *Ulster*, in the North of *Ireland*. Town stands on the Lake of *Neah*, 4 m. S. of *Connor*, along N. E. Coast of the County; divided into nine Baronies, *Antrim* is one of them; on the E. 'tis bounded by *St. George's* Channel; V. the River *Bann*; N. by the *Devoe* Ocean; S. by the County of *Londonderry*. The Capital is *Carriekfergus*.

Antrim was a City of the

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City lies 18 Leagues from the Sea, between *Malines*, *Louvain*, *Brussels*, and *Bruges*; the Harbour is lovely, there are 8 Channels for Ships, 100 of which may Ride in the chiefeft of them, over which are 74 Bridges. It suffer'd by the Revolt of the *Low-Countries*. *Amsterdam* robs it of much Trade. It was taken by the Duke of *Portia* from the Confederates, &c. Long. 2°. 51. Lat. 41. 16.

Ambis, an *Egyptian* Deity, with a Dog's Head, a Palm in one Hand, a *Caduceus* in tother, fabled to be the Son of *Osiris*; his Temple in *Rome*, was destroy'd by *Tiberius* for *Menas* his Enjoyment of *Paulina*, under the Shap of the God, and his Priests crucify'd, &c.

Amfis, a Blind *Egyptian* Prince, Born in a Town of the same Name; he succeeded *Afyphis* in *Egypt*, and having been a while dethron'd by *Sabak*, King of *Aethiopia*; on his Retreat he reassum'd the Government, and dying, left it to *Sesbon*, Priest of *Vulcan*.

Amyas, an *Athenian* Rhetorician, whose Hate to *Socrates*, for exposing the Knavery of such as he, made him combine with *Melitus*, (after *Aristophanes* had expos'd him on the Stage) to take away his Life, which by false Allegations they did; but his Accusers were forc'd to fly soon after, and *Amyas* was ston'd to Death at *Eleusis*.

Amis, Inhabitants of the East of the Kingdom of *Loango*, govern'd by an Emperor, over many Kings. They are Cannibals, but Stout and valiant.

Amis, Son of *Neptune*, being exiled from *Apulia*, he fixt in *Boeotia*, calling it from himself.

Amis, the hilly part of *Boeotia*, Seat of the Muses, thence call'd *Amis*; hence also *Aonium Nemus*, *Amis*, &c.

Amis, a val high Rock in *India*, conquer'd in vain by *Hercules*, but

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taken by *Alexander*. Also a River of *Arcadia*, a contagious Lake of *Epirus*, and a Lake of *Italy*.

Aoste, a Duchy of *Savoy*, containing six large Vallies in the *Alps*, divided by the River *Doera*, now called *La Val d'Aosta* from its principal City, a Bishop's See, under the Archbishop of *Tarentaise*. *Anselm*, Bishop of *Canterbury*, was Born here. It was the Country of *Salassi*, and a Roman Colony.

Apaci, *Apaches*, Inhabitants of *N. America*, in *New Mexico*; their large Country consisting of Four Nations; S. of *Apaches de Parillo*; *Apaches de Xilla*, and *Apaches de Novaia*, N. and *Apaches Vaqueros*, E. They are Idolaters not under the *Spaniards*.

Apalachi or *Apalachives*, People near the Mountains of *Apalstai* in *Florida*, in *N. America*, they inhabit several small Provinces, some bounded by the *Apalstain* Mountains, N. and E. S. by the Province of *Togavesta*, W. by the River *Hittanackri*. *Bermarin* is the Chief Province, the next *Amana*, the third *Mariqua*. *Melitor* is the Capital, and the Seat of the King. They were converted to Christianity by the *French*.

Apamea, now *Hama* or *Aman*, a City of *Syria* on the *Orontes*, Built by *Seleucus Nicanor*, and nam'd from his Wife; it was the Rival then of *Antioch*, but since a Bishop's See, under the Archbishoprick of *Antioch*, tho now decay'd, still Populous next to *Aleppo*, Long. 70. Lat. 34. 45.

Apamea, *Apami*, an Archbishop's See of *Phrygia*, on the River *Idarsys*, where it falls into the *Meander*, 80 m. S. of *Synnada*, 100 W. of *Laodicea*, Long. 59. 50. Lat. 39. 50. Also a City in *Bithynia*, and an Archbishoprick, now call'd by the *Turks*, *Myrlea*, on the *Propontis*, near the Gulph of *Polmeure*, between *Bursa* and *Cizicum*, L. 56. 50. L. 49. 56.

Apamea or *Miana*, a T. of *Media*, bordering on *Parthia*. There are two other

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other Towns of the same Name in *Mesopotamia*, one on *Euphrates*, the other on *Tygris*.

Apana, a Province of the *S. American* Continent betwixt the Lake of *Parima*, and River of *Amazons*, extends to the W. of *Coropa*.

Apurta, a Province of *Peru*, near the River of *Amazons*, where it receives the *Curavaya*, N. of *Pocomoro*, on the other side bounded by *Camella*.

Apaturia, Festivals in *Athens*, in Honour of *Bacchus*. *Aethra* ordain'd that the *Troezenian* Virgins before Wedlock should offer their Girdles to *Pallas Apaturia*.

Apelles, born at *Cos*, liv'd in the 112 *Olymp.* about the 422d of *Rome*, and was the Prince of *Greek* Painters. None but he was permitted to Paint *Alexander*; his Master-piece was reckon'd *Venus* rising out of the Sea, &c. The Name likewise of an *Heretick*, Disciple of *Marcion*, who held two Gods, one Good, one Bad: the last

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and *Pernambuco*, stretching under Water 50 Leagues.

Aphek, a City of *Palestine*, fam'd for a Temple of *Venus* devoted to *Lasciviousness*, as the place where he embrac'd *Adonis*, but more remarkable for the overthrow of the *Israelites*, and the Victory of *Ahab* over *Benhadad*, King of *Assyria*.

Apheia, a City of *Magnesia*, in a Province of *Thessaly*, on the Gulph del *Vollo*: The *Argonauts* began thence their Voyage to *Colchos*.

Aphegasi, *Tartars* on the West-side of the *Volga* S. of *Astracan* on the *Caspian-Sea* to the River *Cupa*.

Aphrodisium, a fortify'd City of *Tunis*, on the Sea 20 Leagues distant from *Adrumetum* or *Makumeta*.

Aphrodisius, an *Aegyptian* Disciple of *St. Peter*, Bishop of *Bourges* in *France*.

Aphrodite, a Name of *Venus*, from *Aphros* Froath, arising poetically from the Sea-froath.

Apthekardite, a Sea-fortress in

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Apiola, an ancient City of *Italy*, taken by *Lucius Terquinius Antiquus*, with the Plunder of it he Built the *Capitol*.

Apis, King of the *Argives*, Son of *Jupiter* and *Niobe*, reign'd 35 Years in *Achaia*, leaving which to his Brother *Aegialeus*, he went into *Egypt*, and was known there under the Name of *Osiris*, and married *Isis*. He civiliz'd and govern'd the *Egyptians* prudently, for which he was made a God, and worshipp'd under the Shape of a Living Bull in the *Isthmus Delta*, which Bull being kill'd by the Priests in their Fountain, another was sought with Cries, and welcom'd with Joy, but was suffer'd to live long. There was another *Apis* of *Egypt*, the Inventer of Phytick. Others will have *Apis* a great Merchant of *Egypt*, that supply'd *Alexandria* in the time of Famine. His Temple there was destroy'd by *Theodosius I.* He had another at *Canopus*.

Apia, King of *Sicyon* in *Peloponessus*, succeeded his Father *Telechin*, and subdued the *Corinthian Isthmus*: from him Part of *Greece*, was call'd *Apia*. After 25 Years Reign, he died A.M. 1016.

Apodisia, or *Aphrodias*, once a Bishop's See under *Ssauropolis* in *Caria*, now almost ruin'd under the *Turks*. Fam'd for the Birth of *Alexander Aphrodisias*, and other Prelates and Hereticks of Name and Figure.

Apollinarius Ludi, the *Apollinarian Games*, instituted by *Augustus* in Honour of *Apollo*, in Memory of his *Asian* Victory obtained by his Father, the Days uncertain, till fix'd by *Lu. Varius* on the 4th of *July*.

Apollinarius, Bishop of *Laodicea*, and a great Rhetorician of the 4th Century, who at length turn'd Heretic, and held many Heterodox Opinions, all others added by

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and in the Oecumenical Council at *Constantinople*. He was Author of many Books, among which, one was part of the *Scriptures* in Verse, and others to instruct Youth instead of School-Masters, who had been prohibited by *Julian* the Apostate.

Apollinaris, (*Gaius Sulpicius*) a Learned *Carthaginian*, Grammarian of the II^d. Century. He is suppos'd Author of the Arguments in Verse before *Terence's* Comedies: As also of an extraordinary good Distick upon *Virgil's* having order'd his *Aeneids* to be burnt. The Emperor *Helvius Pertinax* and *Aulus Gellius*, were both his Scholars; the former having succeeded him in his Profession, whilst he led a private Life.

Apollo, (the *Sun*) the God of Wisdom, begot by *Jupiter* on *Latona* at *Delos*. His killing the Serpent *Python* was the *Sun's* drying up the Pestilential Vapours. His long Hair was to resemble its Rays; his Harp to denote the Harmony of the Spheres; his Buckler to shew his Defence of the Earth; and his Arrows the Power he has over Mankind. His feeding *Admetus's* Sheep, has relation to his nourishing Warmth, and his killing the *Cyclops* for making Thunderbolts for *Jupiter*, alludes to his dispersing Vapours that cause Alterations in the Air to the prejudice of Mens Health.

Apollodorus, the Name of divers learned Men, whereof first an *Epicurean* Philosopher was Author of 300 Tracts, and of *Epicurus's* Life. A Second taught *Augustus Caesar* Rhetorick and Logick. A third penn'd the History of the *Paniliens*. A fourth, a famous Grammarian, wrote an Account of the Origins of the Gods. A fifth was a famous Architect under *Augustus* and *Adrian*, who for affronting the latter before he

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he was Emperor, when he came to be advanc'd, he had him made away with, under pretence of being guilty of divers Crimes.

Another of this Name, was a celebrated Painter of *Athens*, 410 Years before *Christ*. He first refin'd upon Nature, and excell'd all his Predecessors in Colouring.

Apollonia, the Name of several Towns, but at present of none considerable.

Also the Name of a Promontory on the S. of *Guinea*.

Apollonius, Governor of *Samaria*, and General to *Antiochus Epiphanes*. This Commander going to oppose the Progress of *Judas Maccabeus*, was both defeated and kill'd by him.

Apollonius, another General to *Alexander Balas*, King of *Syria*. This Leader having dar'd the Jewish Prince, *Jonathan*, to a Battel, was entirely defeated by him, after which *Jonathan* burnt the Temple

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son, that 'twas the Scholar's Duty to attend his Master. He was afterwards exceedingly favour'd by *Marcus Aurelius*.

Apollonius, (*Lavinus*) a *Flandrian* Historian of the XVIth Century. He writ a Description of *Peru*, and the French Expedition into *Florida*.

Apollonius, a Learned Geometician of *Pamphilia*, A. U. C. 510. He was Author of divers Tracts, and was reputed the 7th of the greatest Wits to that time.

Apollophanes, a *Stoick*, who affirm'd that Prudence was the only Virtue.

Apollos, a Jew of *Alexandria*, who becoming a Christian Convert, did the Church great Service at *Ephesus* in 51. by his admirable Eloquence and Knowledge in the Old Testament.

Aponus, now *Abano*, a Hot Bath near *Padua*, famous for curing divers Diseases.

Apostolicks, or *Apotasticks*, Here-

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5 Stories being rais'd richly the *Pontifex Maximus* plac'd on the second Story, which exceedingly perfum'd. Then

Emperor, after several had been made round the the Knights and Soldiers, to it, soon after which an s let loose from the Top, credulous People believ'd e dead Emperor's Soul. i Empress was thus burnt, k was let fly. Among the ings, *Romulus* had only this ay. During the Republick, *creatus*; and *Julius Cæsar*, ng the Emperors.

Apud, a large populous Village *Apud*, equal to a City, the last of the Cantons has e, having been admitted them, Anno 1513. This s on the River *Snirta*, four off *St. Gaul*, and six from . This Canton is mountai- ards *Rhetia*, and had for- veral Sovereign Lords or which were united under ts of *St. Gaul*, who at length them when they became a k with the Emperor *Rom- sent*, Anno 1408. Not r, upon the Abbot's recei-

Claim, they join'd with r Cantons against him, m he got them both Pro- d Excommunicated. The ry baffled, and banish'd his , and from the Emperor cored themselves by their ins. But the College of Ele- claring against them, they Battels, yet at lenght ob- lignal Victory; they alter- t the Proscription taken off, mpon were again receiv'd *Helvetic* Body. Six parts *Swiss* & call'd the *Inner Ap- ne* Papists; and the other ill the *Omer Appenzel*, are sh, which last partly free, ty subject to Noblemen.

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Appiades, five Pagan Deities, which were worshipped under that general Name; viz. *Venus*, *Pallas*, *Vesta*, *Concordia*, and *Pax*, whose Temples were all near *Cæsar's Forum* at *Rome*, where was the Fountain of *Appius*, whence they had this Name.

Appian, a Greek Historian of *Alex- andria*, famous for pleading. His History begins with the Destruction of *Troy*, and reaches to the Reign of *Trajan*, whereof we have only an Account of some few Wars left com- plete, and a Fragment of the *Galick* War.

Appian, (*James*) Prince of *Piom- bino*, and Nephew to Pope *Mor- tin V.* who having invited the *Flo- rentines* and *Siennon*, to stand God- fathers to a Bastard-Child of his; the Deputies were surpriz'd to find it Black when 'twas Born, which oc- casion'd the setting aside of the Ce- remony; and the Prince to suspect a *Moorish* Servant of his to have been before him, which he had undoubted Reason for.

Appian-way (The) reaching from *Rome* to *Brundisium*, and so nam'd from *Appius Claudius*, who carried it as far as *Capua*. It was continued farther by others. Some of the Pa- ving still remains.

Appion, a Learned *Alexandrian* Grammarian, who being us'd to boast, that his Books would make their Patrons Immortal. *Tiberius* call'd him *Cymbulum Mundi*. His Heathen Countrymen having sent him to oppose *Philo* the Jew before *Caligula*, it gave occasion after- wards to *Josephus* to write against him.

Appius Claudius, a *Sabine*, who ha- ving disobligh'd his Countrymen by dissuading them from a War with the *Romans*, was forc'd to retire to *Rome*, where being made a Senator, he chang'd his Name to *Claudius*, and became Head of that famous Family. He was afterwards made

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Consul, when he defeated the *Volsci* that had been perfidious and slew their Hostages. But through his Rigour to the Plebeians and Soldiers, he offended both, which they were always Plotting to Revenge. He died regretted by none but the Nobility.

Appius Claudius, Son to the former, from whom he degenerated. While he was one of the *Decemviri*, falling in Love with *Virginia*, he suborn'd one *Claudius* to demand her as his Fugitive Slave, which he doing, and the Cause coming before him, he adjudg'd her to the Plaintiff. When her Father perceiv'd her like to be forc'd away, he snatch'd a Knife from a Butcher's Stall, and stabb'd her. This single Act occasion'd the deposing of the *Decemviri*, and the Restoration of the Consuls. *Appius* was hereupon imprison'd, when out of meer fear he poison'd himself.

Appius Claudius, a Dictator, who by vanquishing the *Hernici* restor'd

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Appleby, and ancient Market Borough Town of *Westmore* where the Assizes are now kept present Members of Parliament *Gervas Pierpoint*, Esq; and *W^m Dunch* Esq;.

Appleby, (Sir Edmund) of *Appleby* in *Leicestershire*, whence the Family had their Name. He behav'd himself valiantly at the batel of *Cressy* in *France*, and accompanied *John* of *Gaunt*, Duke of *Lancaster*, to take Possession of the Kingdom of *Castile*, in right of his Lady.

Appries succeeded his Father in the Kingdom of *Aegyptus*. *Apromis* prophesied against him whom he is said to have put to Death. He thought neither God nor Man could deprive him of his Dominions, but therein he was mistaken, for he was defeated by *Psammetichus*, and strangled by the *Aegyptians* who bore him mortal hatred.

Aproso, (*Angelico*) a Learned Priest. Born at *Venice*

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the Poets, the Muses having conquer'd the *Syrens*, the latter lost their Wings and dropt into the Sea. It was also an Emblem of Victory with the *Greeks*.

Apua, a large Town of *Liguria*, formerly a Fief of the Dukedom of *Milan*, but within these few Years redeem'd from the *Spaniards* by the Dukes of *Tuscany*.

Apuleius, (*Lucius*) an *African* Philosopher, whose Mother was *Plutarch's* Kinswoman. He studied *Platonic* Philosophy at *Athens*, and became an Excellent Law-Pleader at *Rome*, where he learnt *Latin* without any Instruction, but at length he quitted the Profession of the Law for Philosophy. He was accus'd of Murdering the Son of a rich Widow he had married, and of forcing her Affections by Magick, which he clear'd himself of, and penn'd his Apology yet extant. He was Author of divers other Works, both in Verse and Prose, whereof the greatest part are lost.

Apuleius Pansa, Consul of *Rome*, A. U. C. 454. In his time the Commons began first to share in the Government with the Nobility.

Apulia, (*Puglia*) once a Kingdom, but now only a Province belonging to *Naples*. It has *Abruzzo* on the E. *Terra di Otranto* and the Gulph of *Venice* on the N. and *Calabria* on the S. It's divided into *Apulia Daunia*, (*Capitanata*) and *Apulia Pucizia* (*Terra di Bari*.) This Province has much Corn, but sometimes quite burnt up. The Jesuits have above half of it, and they use their Vassals exceeding rigorously. *Vide Puglia*, &c.

Apus-Pendente, a City in the Lands of the Church, abounding with Water, whence it has its Name.

Aquarii, Hereticks that us'd Water only in the Sacrament.

Aqua-Sparta, a little City of *Italy*, which gives the Title of Duke to the Family of the *Cestis*.

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Aquatulco; a *Spanish* Sea-port of *N. America*, and a strong Castle.

Aquaviva, a Town in the Province of *Bari* in the Kingdom of *Naples*, whence an ancient and famous Family have had their Name. The chief of these were *Julius Aquaviva*, a great Commander, who was kill'd at the Siege of *Otranto* by the *Turks*, in 1480. and his Son *Andrew Matibew*, Duke of *Attri*, in the Kingdom of *Naples*, who towards the end of the XVth, and beginning of the XVIth Century, became famous for his great Learning, and was Author of divers Tracts, as was also his Brother *Belisarius*, who wrot two Treatises of Hunting and Mourning.

Aquila, an Episcopal City of *Abruzzo*, in the Kingdom of *Naples*, whose Bishoprick was translated thither by Pope *Alexander IV*.

Aquila, Native of *Synope* in *Pontus*, who being by *Adrian* made Surveyor of his Rebuilding of *Jerusalem*, became a Christian, and afterwards being excommunicated, turned *Jew*. He translated the Old Testament into *Greek*; which, tho' exceeding faulty, was approv'd and us'd by the *Jews*, and a Second Translation of his was held yet better for having divers *Jewish* Traditions in it; however it was held dangerous, and forbid even to the *Jews*, by the Emperor *Justinian*.

Aquila, (*Henry*) a *German* Carmelite of the XIVth Century. Author of divers Books.

Aquileia, a City of *Friuli*, dignified with the Title of Patriarchate, Its Rise was from a *Roman* Colony. *Augustus* both beautify'd, augmented, and often resided in it. *Tiberius* also liv'd here, and *Vespasian* was here first proclaim'd. The Inhabitants are fam'd to have made Bow-Strings of their Wives Hair, when they once wanted them in a

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Siege, which occasion'd them to have a Temple dedicated to *Venus the Bald*. This City was formerly 12 Miles in Compass, and a Bullwark against the Incurfions of the *Barbarians*; yet *Attila* with the loss of a world of Men took it in 3 Years, in 452. and the *Lombards* destroy'd it in 590. It reviv'd something under *Charlemaine*, and has since belong'd to divers, but at present for its ill Air none but Fisher-men will Inhabit it. The Papists report that *St. Marberr* penn'd his Gospel, and founded a Church here. It had a Council held in it against the *Arians*, in 381. and a Synod conven'd by Pope *Gregory XIIth*, to get himself restor'd.

Aquilus Manius, down whose Throat *Mitridates* pour'd melted Gold for having been sent Ambassador to him.

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Aquinas, (*Philip*) Inhabitant of the aforesaid City, but Born at *Avonnon*. He was a great *Hebreicia* which Language he taught at *Paris* in the Reign of *Lewis XIIIth*. He also writ divers Books concerning that Tongue. Either his Brother or Son, *Lewis-Henry Aquinas*, was also well vers'd in the Oriental Languages.

Aquitain, formerly a Province of *France*, which has its Name from its abundance of Water. It was Third of the ancient *Gallia*, which *Caesar* bounded with the *Garonne*, the *Pyrenees*, and the Ocean. Its modern Bounds are properly the River *Loire*, the Ocean, and the *Pyrenees*. *Pompey* subdu'd Part of this, and *Craffus* the rest. No *Aquitain* came to the *Goths*, in 460 which was regain'd, in 507. *Charlemaine* made a King of it.

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Arabia Felix (*Hyaman*). has its Name from its *ra*, being Built among the *Red-Sea* and *Egypt* *Arabia Deserta* on the E. *Sine* on the N. and a on the S. which part *a Felix*. Near the *Alabaster*, *Coral*, and it is exceeding Barren, bode of the *Israelites*

Here are the Mountain *Horeb*, frequent in Scripture. *Arabia*

Q. and is more flat abounding with Sands

It is fertil only to Travellers are faint themselves through the *lainers* *Compass*, and later along with them Journey. Some give us, and others say it

Arabia Felix is the the other three, and ds the S. and E. It rapture *Saba*. It has fides, except towards it is bounded by the *abia's*. It has many d great Cities, the re *Medina* and *Mecca*.

g fertil, and affords, *Frankincense*, *Cassia*, her Drugs and Spices. Cities observe *Demoir* of all the *Arabia's* good, but very hot. ws supply the want happens but rarely. is abounds with *Ani*ses and *Camels* are

The Inhabitants of s call themselves *De-Ishmael*; they are a k'd, swarthy sort of wear their Beards not a little Superstitious things; they are thoughtful, and So-icied with mean Diet.

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The Citizens are either Students in *Astrology*, *Physick*, and *Mathematicks*, or *Tradesmen*. The Country People live in *Clans*, (*Tribes*) under their respective Chiefs, and often remove their Tents. Their Employment is *Robbery*, but they seldom Kill. They generally are on *Horse-back*, and always well arm'd. Ten of them with their *Bows* and *Half-Pikes* will drive 30 *Turkish* *Musqueteers*. They keep their *Horses* *Pedigrees*, but don't value their own. They sit round in their *Entertainments*, often combing their *Beards*, which they reckon *Sacred*, and therefore often *Swear* by them. Their *Clans* of Tents have two *Passages* which they fence in the *Night* against *Beasts* of *Prey*. They are *Poor*, *Lazy*, and *Miserable* and unlike their *Ancestors*, who made many *Conquests*. Their *Language* is delicate and ancient, and their *Letters* are join'd together by *Points*. It is so well understood among the *Abissines*, that those that speak it, may easily *Trade* and *Travel* there. Their *Date* is the *Hegyra*, us'd by the *Turks*, &c. The old *Inhabitants* of *Arabia Felix*, made one *Wife* serve all their *Kindred*. There is a pleasant *Story* concerning this, related by *Strabo* in his *Sixth Book*; which I am forc'd to omit for *Brevity* sake. They were wont to *Circumcise* at 13. by reason that *Ishmael* was so at that *Age*. These People never *Match* with *Foreigners*, because they think themselves better than they. They were never *conquer'd* by any *Nation*. And *Morden* says, The *Grand Signior* pays them *Tribute*. In former *Ages* they were *Idolaters*, but now zealous *Mahometans*. They are said to have had *Christianity* preach'd to them by the *Magi*, as they came from *visiting Christ*, and also by *St. Jude*. There are still some *Greek Christians* remaining among this People.

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Arabicus Sinus: See the *Red-Sea*.

Arabinus, a Judge, whom the Emperor *Alexander Severus* reprimanded for taking Bribes after this manner: *O Deities! O Jupiter! O Immortal Gods!* (says he) *What does Arabinus not only Live, but has the Impudence to come into the Senate-House.*

Arach, the Modern Name of the City *Petra* in *Arabia Petraea*, where *Og*, King of *Bashan*, anciently resided. It was in vain besieg'd by *Trajan* and *Severus*, the former of which threw away his Imperial Robes, and fled from before it for his Life. The *Soldans* of *Egypt* kept their Treasure in it, because of its Strenght. It was formerly an Archbishop's See, under the Patriarch of *Alexandria*.

Arachne, the Virgin that contend-
ed with *Minerva* at her Needle, which offending the Goddess, she tore her Work, which made the Virgin hang her self when *Minerva*

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Navarre and *France* to the N. separated by the *Pyrrenes*, *Catalonia*, to the E. *New and Old Castile* to the W. and *Valencia* to the S. It was united to *Castile*, in 1474. Its chief City *Saragossa* on the River *Ebro*. Its Kings from *Ramirez I.* to *Ferdinand IIId.* and *Vth* of *Castile*, were XXI.

Arabil-vanc, a Village and Monastery at the foot of Mount *Ararat* in *Armenia*, where the Inhabitants believe *Noah* sacrific'd to God after the Deluge.

Aram, *Sem's* Son, and suppos'd Ancestor of the *Syrians*, then call'd *Aramites*.

Ararat, a Mountain in *Armenia*, where the *Ark* rested after the Deluge. A *Dutch Traveller* says he was seven Days going up it at five Leagues a-day. He says it is higher than either *Caucasus* or *Taurus*. Every Night he came to a Hermit's Cell, who always directed him in his Journey. The uppermost Her-

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Ar, a Valley, C. and R. of *Arca*, whose Inhabitants were at first with the *Spaniards* for above 100 Years, however accepted a Peace

Arax, an exceeding rapid River out of the Mountains of *Armenia*, which will suffer no Bridge to be built, nor Mole, nor Dam, to stop its Course; yet it is somewhat fordable on Camels, when it flows low from the Hills is all

Arctus, a famous Cape in *S. America*, extending in a sharp Point from the E. It has the finest Salt in the World, suppos'd to come from the bottom of the Sea never over-flows because the *Dutch* had free access to Salt, at length the *Spaniards* arriv'd with them, and sunk their ships, and afterwards built a Fort to secure that Commodity for ever.

Arche, a City of *Palestine*, by name'd *Hebron* and *Mamré*, it is suppos'd *Adam*, *Abraham*, and *Jacob*, were buried.

Ardes, Governor to *Sardanapalus*, who, when he saw the King's Effeminacy, revolted against him, and began the Motion of the *Medes*, which continued 120 Years, till *Astyages* was kill'd by *Cyrus*. *Arbaces* reign'd

Ardea, a City in *Sicily*, which is full of Inhabitants, that it is said this Proverb, *Quid non facit profectus?*

Arde, an *Assyrian* Town, near *Alexander*, by gaining the Battel against *Darius*, obtaining the *Persian* Empire. This Battle was fought in a large fruitful

Armenia, *Nimrod's* Son, being the first man that was deify'd.

Armenia, a well water'd City in the East of *Tunis*, situate in a Plain,

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and abounding with many *Roman* Antiquities.

Arbogastus, a *Gaul*, who defeated and slew *Vitor*, a Usurper, being sent against him by *Valentinian Junior*, and *Theodosius*; but afterwards engaging likewise against *Summus* and *Marcomir*, he was unsuccessful, which occasion'd him to be depriv'd of his Employ, whereupon he plotted against *Valentinian*, and got him strangled, which however *Theodosius* reveng'd, for pursuing him close, he slew himself to prevent being taken.

Arcadia, (now *Fragonia*) has *Argos* on the E. *Eli* on the W. *Acbaia Propia* on the N. and *Messenia* on the S. It had its Name from *Arcas*, Son of *Jupiter* and *Calisto*. Its chief Towns are *Magalopolis* and *Mantenia*, near which last a famous Battel was fought between the *Thebans*, under Command of *Epaminondas*, and the *Lacedemonians*. This Country, though 286 Years under the *Turks*, was lately recover'd by the *Venetians*, with the rest of the *Morrea*. It was formerly govern'd by Kings. Its People are warlike, and Soil fertile, tho' in some parts Mountainous and Woods. The Gulph of *Arcadia* was anciently call'd *Caparsifus Sinus*.

Arcadius, Son to *Theodosius the Great*, who having disoblig'd his Tutor *Ruffinus*, by not Marrying his Daughter, he set the *Goths* against him, thinking thereby to make him receive him for his Copartner in the Empire; but this was so resent-ed by the Army, that they slew *Ruffinus*. Next, a *Gothick* Captain, one *Gainas*, an *Arian*, forc'd the Emperor to deliver up his best Friends to be murder'd; however, at last that Person was subdu'd and be-headed. This done, *Arcadius* made the Laws against Hereticks and *Arians* be put in Execution; and had reign'd happily for the future, had he

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he not been seduc'd by his Wife and her Eunuchs, who made him banish St. *Ckrylostom*. He died in 408.

Arcadius, a Bishop, sent Legate by Pope *Celestine* to the Council at *Ephesus*; notwithstanding which, he had not Precedency afforded him.

Arcadius, a learned *African* Bishop of the Vth Century, who greatly oppos'd the *Arians*, and was put to Death for it by *Genfericus*, King of the *Vandals*, who was an *Arian*.

Arcandam, a famous *Arabian* Astrologer, whose Book was printed at *Paris*, in 1542.

Arcesilaus, an *Æolian*, first studied under *Antolycus* the Mathematician, and afterwards under *Xanthus* the Musician, and *Theophrastus*. At *Athens* he stuck wholly to *Crantor*, and was Founder of the Second or Middle Academy. He was a great

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which soon rais'd *Archangel* from a poor Village to a rich and populous City.

Archelaus succeeded his Father *Herod the Great* in the Kingdom of *Judea*. He was very Cruel, which occasion'd the *Jews* to side with his Brother *Antipas*, for whom they procured half of his Kingdom of *Augustus*, under the Title of *Etismarch*. At length *Archelaus*, upon Complaints made against him by the *Jews*, was banish'd by *Augustus* to *Vienne* in *Dauphiny*.

Archelaus I. succeeded his Father *Perdiccas II.* in *Macedon*. He made away with his nearest Relations to secure his Kingdom, which having exceedingly beautify'd and fortify'd both by Sea and Land, he was kill'd by a Favourite for refusing him his Daughter.

Archelaus II. succeeded his Father

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was Built. He chose Riches before Health, upon a Proposal of the Oracle.

Archias, a Greek Poet, who Tully pleaded for. He wrote the *Librian War*, and began the *Comitatus* of *Cicero*; but we have only now some few Remains of him.

Archidamia, Daughter of a King of *Sparta*, who being inform'd that all Women were order'd to depart the City before *Pyrrhus* besieg'd it, she went with a drawn Sword, and told the Senate, *That the Mothers of so many Warriors had no less Courage than they in the Defence of their Country*: Whereupon the Decree was revok'd.

Archidamus succeeded his Father *Agefilaus* the Great in *Sparta*, A. U. C. 392. He kill'd 10000 *Arcadians*, with the loss of but one Man; assisted the *Phocians* to Plunder the Temple of *Delfos*, but was kill'd himself in his Expedition into *Italy*, to assist the *Lucanians* and *Brutians*. Upon seeing the Engines to sling Stones, he said, *He found true Courage was forsaking the World, since Men had found out ways to fight at a distance*.

Archidamus II. succeeded his Father *Endamidas* in *Sparta*, and lost two Battels to *Demetrius Poliorcetes*, who took *Athens*, A. U. C. 455.

Arch-Deacon, an Office which at first was conferr'd only on Deacons, but in 877. it began to be given to Priests. He is, as it were, the Bishop's Vicar, and Visits for him in his Diocess.

Arch-Duke, whose Privilege it is to receive Investiture on Horseback from the Emperor, or his Ambassador, and that in his own Dominions. He cannot be Proscrib'd, and Crimes against him are no less than Treason. There is no Appeal from his Courts.

Archigallus, or of Eunuchs,

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Archilochus, an *Iambic* (Satyrical) Greek Poet. He was so severe upon *Lycambes* for refusing him his Daughter, after he promised her, that he made him hang himself. He had such *Indecorums*, that the *Spartans* were prohibited reading what he wrote.

Archimedes, a famous Mathematician of *Syracuse*, who was fain to be forc'd from his Study to eat. He was Author of many fine Inventions. He made a Glass-Sphere with all its true Movements. When he had discover'd how much the Goldsmith had cheated the King in mixing his Gold, he ran naked about the Streets crying like a Madman, *I've found it, I've found it!* He burnt the Roman Ships with Burning-Glasses, when *Marcellus* besieg'd *Syracuse*; but upon the taking it, a Soldier finding him poring on a Scheme, and being desir'd by him to withdraw, kill'd him. This *Marcellus* was exceedingly offended at, having given express Orders that no harm should be done to him. There are several Tracts of his yet Extant.

Archinnus, a Citizen of *Argos*, who being commanded to new Arm the Inhabitants, made use of the Opportunity to Seize the City.

Archi-Pelago, the *Aegean-Sea*, which Sea-men vulgarly call *The Archipelus*.

Archipheracites, a Title the Jews bestow'd on the Readers and Expounders of the Law.

Archipolis, a Conspirator against *Alexander the Great*, whose Plots were detected.

Architecture, or the Art of Building. This was neither lasting nor handsome, till our Forefathers left wandering, when they built more Solid and Magnificent. Of this Art there are two sorts, Civil and Military, the latter of which is exceedingly alter'd since Cannons and Powder

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der came to be known. There are five Orders of Architecture with proportionable Ornaments, viz.

1. The *Tuscan*. 2. *Dorique*. 3. *Ionique*. 4. *Corinthian*. And 5. *Composite*. Of this see more in other Books.

Archontes, the Nine chief Magistrates of *Athens*, whereof the first was K. The 2d *Archon* who was to see Justice done: The 3d *Polemarche* or *Generalissimo*; the rest *Thesmothetes* or *Legislators*. All these before *Solon* were elected by Votes, but he order'd them to be chosen by Lots, which was however to be confirm'd by a General Meeting of the People.

Archonicks, Hereticks that attributed the Creation of the World to Archangels, that denied Resurrection, and had an odd Notion of Redemption. They had other Extravagant Tenets, all which they defended by several Books.

Arch-Triest, an Obsolete Ecclesi-

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much valu'd by Pope *Clement V*. He died in 1621. and had 1 Author of several Books.

Arcueville, a Village near *P.* famous for an Aqueduct of *Justin the Apostle*.

Arculus, a God that oppos'd *T*ving, whereas the Goddess *Lava* encourag'd it.

Ardaleon, an *Alexandrian* *Codian* who ridicul'd Christianity the Stage so long, that at last became a Martyr for it.

Ardaschal, formerly *Artaxal*, a ruin'd City of *Armenia*, w^h some Remains of the magnifi Palace of *Tiridates*, are yet to seen.

Ardea, Metropolis of the *Ru* and Residence of *Turnus*, now Ruins.

Ardebel, a City formerly Metropolis of *Persia*. It lies in an C Valley, encompassed with vast Hills. It's large, but Built stiling. It has natural Baths,

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them. The King's Palace is large and neat, into which none have Admittance, except the Grand *Marsbaw*, unless sent for. All prostrate themselves before the King, but this chief Minister, who has an inappealable Authority as well in Matters of Religion as State. In 1670. this King sent an Embassy to the King of *France*, to assure him of his Commerce within his Dominions.

Ardes, a well fortified City on a Hill in the *Upper-Boulonnois* in *Picardy*, near which, *Henry VIII.* and *Francis I.* had an Interview, in 1520. when both Courts were so splendidly cloath'd, that from thence the Place had the Name of *The Field of Cloth of Gold*.

Arre, a River in *Yorkshire*, which empties it self into the *Ouse* below *York*.

Arzberg, a City and Principality of the Empire, between *Fuliers* and *Trier*. *Maximilian II.* rais'd it from an Earldom to this Dignity in favour of the Counts of *Areschot*. The City lies 7 Leagues S. of *Fuliers*, and 4 W. of the *Rhine*.

Areopagus, and *Areopagites*, the Senate-House and Senators of *Athen*. The House stands on a Hill, near the City, and had its Name from the God *Mars*, his being senten'd there upon *Neptune's* Accusation, for killing his Son; the *Areopagites* always heard Causes in the Night that they might be more Sedate. *St. Paul* was accus'd before them, and converted one of them.

Arequipa, one of the chief Cities of *Peru*, near which are Silver Mines, and a Burning Mountain.

Areaphile, Wife to the Tyrant *Nomaxus* of *Cyrene*, who to revenge her first Husband, would have poyson'd this that kill'd him, and being discover'd, escap'd by pretending it was a *Philire* she would have given him. Some time after

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she got his Brother *Lyfander* to Murder and Succeed him; but he proving no less Cruel, she had him sew'd in a Sack, and cast into the Sea. Hereupon the People offer'd her the Sovereignty, but which she refus'd for a private Life.

Aretas, King of *Lower-Arabia*. He invaded and defeated the *Jews*, but at length made Peace with them. He protected and promis'd to restore *Hircanus*, and thereupon besieg'd *Aristobulus* in *Jerusalem*, but for fear of *Pompey's* Lieutenant, *Scaurus*, he was forc'd to raise it. At last *Aristobulus* vanquish'd him, and would have proceeded, had not he prevented the Storm by a great Present.

Aretas, another King of *Arabia*, whom *Augustus* at length confirm'd in his Title through *Herod's* Mediation; yet upon this latter's divorcing his Sister, he war'd upon him, which so incens'd the Emperor *Tiberius*, that he sent *Vitellius* against him, which was however disappointed by the Emperor's Death.

Areticus, a *Cappadocian* Physician, who was Author of divers Works in the *Ionick* Dialect, which have been since Translated and Printed at *Basil*.

Arethusa, Companion to *Diana*, who chang'd her into a Fountain, to make her escape her Lover *Alpheus*. This Fable was grounded on an Opinion of the Ancients, that the River *Alpheus* in the *Morea*, crost the Sea to join the Fountain *Arethusa* in *Sicily*. Of this Name there is also a Lake in *Armenia*, wherein the heaviest things would swim, and Fish die.

Aretia, Daughter of *Aristippus* the Philosopher, who kept up his Sect and School after his Death.

Aretin, (*Charles*) a learned *Florentine* of the XVth Century. He was a good Poet, and Translated divers things out of *Greek*.

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Arctin, (*French*) another Learned Translator of the XVth Century.

Arctin, (*Guy*) a *Benedictine*, famous for having invented the Six Musick Notes; viz. *Ut, Re, Mi, Fa, Sol, La*. He wrote some Treatises on this Subject, and liv'd in the XIIIth Century.

Arctin, (*Joh*) one of the learnedst Men of the XVth Century. He was an excellent Grammarian, and wrote a Book *De Potestate Literarum*. He was Author of other Works.

Arctin, (*Leonard*) another Learned Person of the XVth Century. He was Author of several Books, both in *Latin* and *Italian*.

Arctin, (*Peter*) a famous *Italian* of the XVIth Century, whom *Moreri* has very immodestly rang'd under the Article *Pares*, which *Vile*.

Arctin, a *Swiss-Galvanist* Minister, Author of divers Works. He

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though *Pliny* says 120, and *Silius Italicus* 300.

Arges, a Boy that *Hercules* had forc'd from his Parents, whom when he died, he burnt, which gave beginning to that Custom.

Argentiere, the Name of one of the *Alps* towards *France*.

Argentia, or *La Plata*, one of the chief Cities of *Peru*, so nam'd from the exceeding rich Silver-Mines hard by.

Argentius, a Deity of Silver-Coin, as *Aesculapius* was of Copper.

Argia, (*Parva Romania della Morea*) a Province of *Peloponnesus*, anciently inhabited by the *Argives*, and since by the *Danai*. The Kingdom of the former was erected by *Jupiter*, in the time of *Moses*, 300 Years before that of *Athens* by *Cecrops*. It was also the first Republick in *Greece*. The chief City *Argos*

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Argo, the 25 brave Greeks accompanied *Jeson* to *Calchis* to the *Golden Fleece*. This, by look'd upon as a Fable, several Morals have been so long here to enumerate. *Argo* was the first of any that was known in *Greece*.

Argo, a Knot of Islands on the Coast of *Africa*, first discovered 1443.

Argo, the Builder of the *Argo*, in *Minerva's* Direction.

Argo, the Name of the 4th *Argo*, who 'tis possible left no that City.

Argo, he that had an 100 Eyes, of which he slept, and with *Id*. He kept *Id* from *Jupiter's* Order, which occasioned to kill him by his *Id*'s Command. To make ends, *Juno* tur'd him into a *Id*, and plac'd his Eyes in its

Argo, an Highland County of *Id*, which comprehends not small Countries, but also some

It has for a long while been the *Campbells*, to whom it the Title of Earl. They are of that Title in this Kingdom they are also Barons of other among which the Title of *Id* goes to the eldest Son. *Id* is very considerable on of its *Id*, which is extensive, and the Hereditary Offices which it enjoys. The Justice-Generals of the Kingdom, till the Marquiss resign'd it to *Charles I.* in for the same Title over of *Argyle* only. The *Id*, in 1308. engaged himself in an Indenture, yet *Id*, to defend his King to which he perform'd. *Id* gave him his Si for *Id*. His Son a the *Id*, a King.

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David rewarded him, and made his Cousin Earl of *Arbol*. Another of this Family prevail'd with the Governor of *Scotland* to Ransom King *James I.* then a Prisoner in *England*. *Colin*, Earl of *Argyle*, settled *James II.* in the Throne, after he had been conspir'd against, for which he was made Lord High-Chancellor of *Scotland*, and was further rewarded besides. Another Earl of this Family was kill'd at *Flodden-field*, fighting for *James IV.* Another Earl was one of the Governors of the Kingdom in *James Vth's* Minority, and was the chief Opposer of the *Douglisses*. He that was Lord High-Chancellor in Queen *Mary's* Time, not a little forward'd the Reformation, and oppos'd the *French*. His Son was Lord Chancellor in *James Vth's* Reign. Earl *Archibald*, in 1641. was created Marquiss, stuck to the Presbyterian Government, was a great Statesman, and Crown'd King *Charles II.* yet upon the Restoration was Beheaded for having been to complying with *Oliver*, which however he denied at his Death. His Son, when Lord *Lorn*, signalized himself against *Oliver* with the King's Foot-Guards, yet was out of Favour, but soon restor'd, yet at length he was condemn'd for putting too free an Explanation upon the *Test*; but though he escap'd for a while, yet invading *Scotland* in the behalf of the Duke of *Monmouth*, was Defeated, Taken, and Beheaded, *June* 30th, 1683. on the before-mention'd Sentence. His Zeal for his Religion against Popery, was the reputed Cause of his Fall. His Son, the present Earl, accompany'd the Prince of *Orange* in his Expedition, and was one chief Instrument of the happy Revolution in *Scotland*. He with other Nobility had the Honour to offer the Crown to *K. William* and *Qu. Mary*; and rais'd a Regiment almost

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almost all of his own Name and Family, for their Majesties Service. His eldest Son, the present Lord Zorn, Jump'd from a Window three Stories high without receiving any hurt, which happen'd much about the time his Grandfather suffer'd.

Aggræpides, part of *Alexander's* Army, which had Silver Targets, who were commanded by that King only. *Alexander Severus* had also Soldiers of this kind.

Arit, (now *Corasans*) a Country of *Perſia*, whole chief City formerly *Aria*, now *Heras* or *Serkeri*, is large and wealthy, and famous for Roles that grow near it.

Aria, Wife to *Petrus Cecinna*, who when her Husband was commanded to Die for conspiring againſt *Claudius*, stab'd her ſelf next, and then bid him to do the like, for that she felt no Pain, which he accordingly

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Ariannus, a rich Gaul, ſo derfully Liberal, that he gave his Countrymen ſettled in Gaul a whole Years Entertainment.

Arian, a Philoſopher, Hiſtorian and Geographer, of *Bithynia*, writ the Hiſtory of *Alexander Great*, &c. *Adrian* rais'd him to be Conſul, and afterwards vernoꝛ of *Cappadocia*.

Arian, an *Athenian* Author, wrot *De Venatione & curâ Canum*.

Arimo, a *Neopolitan* City, Dukedom. Alſo a City on the ſea.

Ariarathes II. King of *Cappadocia*, having ſecur'd himſelf during *Alexander's* Reign by his Neutrality after his Death, oppos'd *Perſus* with a great Army, but being quib'd, was taken and crucified. *Juſtin* ſays, That the *Cappadocians* upon this Deſeat, ſacrificed themſelves, their Wives and

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ging that Prince, he resolv'd to At-
tack him, which *Arimateas* observing
to be begun, he came down with
his Family and surrender'd, which
hoever did not serve his turn, for
Alexander had both him and his, first
scourg'd, and then crucified at the
foot of the Rock.

Arimbins, Consul under *Valens*
and *Valentinian*. He was *St. Basil's*
great Friend, and greatly oppos'd
the *Arians*.

Ariobarzanes, King of *Cappadocia*,
who was forc'd to retire to *Rome* for
fear of *Tigranes*, King of *Armenia*;
but upon *Sylla's* having subdu'd that
Prince, he was restor'd. After this
he defeated *Mitbridates*, and by
help of the *Romans* made some Ac-
quisitions to his Territories.

Arion, a Poet and Musician of
Lesbos, who invented *Dithyrambicks*
in Praise of Wine and *Bacchus*. Ha-
ving got a great deal of Money,
and returning homewards by Sea,
the Sailors robb'd him, and threw
him over-board, when the Dolphin
being charm'd with his Musick, con-
vey'd him safe to the *Morea*, where
he procur'd *Periander* to put the
Sailors to Death. Some will have
this to be the Story of *Jonas*.

Aristo, (*Ludovico*) a *Ferrarese*
Poet, who was Author of many fa-
mous Works, which he chiefly com-
pos'd while a Domestick to *Alphon-*
so I. Duke of *Ferrara*. He is said
to have spoke well, but thought
amiss.

Ariovistus, a *German* King, who
forfeited the *Romans* Friendship, and
was routed by *Caesar*.

Aripert I. King of the *Lombards*.
His Sons disputed his Succession so
long, that they both lost it.

Aripert II. a Usurper, who gave
the *Comian Alps* to Pope *John VI.*
and sent him a Letter in Gold.
Afterwards flying from a Rebel to-
wards *France*, he was drown'd.

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Aristagoras, Kinsman and Son-in-law to *Hestiacus*, Tyrant of *Miletum*. He caus'd the *Greeks* to take up Arms against the *Persians*, and afterwards with twenty Ships sack'd and burnt *Sardis*, which so enrag'd *Darius*, that he had himself frequently put in mind to Revenge it.

Aristander, chief Soothsayer to King *Philip*, and his Son *Alexander*. He accompanied the latter into *Persia*, and had a great Ascendant over him. He foretold many things that came to pass, and over-liv'd his Master.

Aristarchus, a great Critick and Grammarian, Contemporary with *Crates*. He was Author of divers Books.

Aristeus, a Jew, much in favour with *Ptolemy Philadelphus*, who releas'd 6000 Jewish Slaves on his Account, and afterwards sent him to *Jerusalem* to fetch Translators for the Jewish Laws, which he affected,

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Aristides, a Theban Painter, contemporary with *Apelles*. He first painted Passions.

Aristion, an Athenian, whom *Phidias* sent to persuade his Country-men to throw off the Roman Yoke, which having effected, when he took *Athens*, had him murder'd.

Aristippus Senior of *Cyrene*, Founder of a Sect of Philosophers, call'd the *Cyrenians*. He is accus'd for being the first that took Money of Pupils. He kept Company with the best, kept Mistresses, and was well. He was exceeding quick in Repartees. He writ the History of *Libya*, &c.

Aristippus Junior, Grandson of the former, who kept up his Philosophy. He had been taught by his Mother *Arenia*.

Aristobulus I. King of the *Jews*, succeeded his Father *J. Hircanus* and joyn'd the Crown to the *Priests*.

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to prostitute their Wives and Daugh-
ters to repeople their Country,
whence came the *Parthenians*. This
King having sacrific'd his Daughter
by the Oracle's Command, kill'd
himself on her Tomb.

Aristodemus I. being put by suc-
ceeding his Father in *Arcadia*, went
and serv'd the *Romans* against *Tar-*
quinus, but tho' he at last obtain'd
his Father's Throne, yet was he
stabb'd for his Pride and Luxury.

Aristidemus II. tho' he vanquish'd
the *Lacedemonians*, yet was he put by
and murder'd by his own Subjects;
who would not endure any King af-
ter *Aristocrates* II.

Aristodemus, a *Spartan*, that escap'd
at the Battel of *Thermopyla*, by rea-
son he all of a sudden became Blind,
and could not engage. But being
tax'd of Cowardice, he to redeem
his Credit, sacrific'd himself at the
Battel of *Plataea*.

Aristogiton, an *Athenian*, one of
those that kill'd *Hipparibus*, whose
Brother *Hippius* torturing several for
a Discovery, a Courtelan, bit out
her Tongue to prevent making any
This *Aristogiton* had afterwards a
Statue erected to him for what he
had done.

Aristolaus, Commander of a Le-
gion under *Theodosius Junior*. He re-
concil'd *St. Cyril* and *John of Anti-*
och, and brought the latter over to
the Orthodox Party.

Aristomenes, a *Messenian* Leader,
who exhorted that People to revolt
from the *Spartans*, which Revolt was
attended with success in several Bat-
tels, till *Lacedemon*, in Obedience to
the Oracle, took a General from
Athens, who overcame them; and
Aristomenes being taken, the Vir-
gins sav'd by him from his Soldiers,
would not return to *Sparta* till he
had his Liberty; but after various
Escapes, and noble Actions, he
was Slain; and when he was open'd,
his Heart prov'd Hairry.

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Ariston,

Ariston, a Disciple of *Zeno* the *Stoick*, whose Additions to his Master's Doctrines, made him seem Author of a new Sect; *Physicks* and *Ethicks*, as well as *Logick*, he despis'd, as *Spiders Webs* full of Artifice; *Morals* alone were all his Study.

Ariston, King of *Sparta*, whose Valour was equal to his Wisdom. He said, *A Prince should gain his Enemies, as well as preserve his Friends*, &c.

Aristonicus of *Pergamus*, disdain- ing the Surrender of that Kingdom by King *Atalus*, defeated *Lucinius Crassus*, Consul, *A. U. 623*. but the Year following was taken by *Perper- na*, and strangl'd by the Senates Or- der in *Rome*.

Aristophanes, the Master of the old *Athenian Comedy*, an Enemy to *Socrates*, and to *Euripides*, for his Friendship to that great Man. His Reflections on both prove this: his

such Application, that he borro- from his Hours of natural Repo- for the Study of Philosophy; but in the 15th Year of his Study began to dissent from his Master *Plato*, to his no small disgust; travell'd not like *Pythagoras*, &c. to *Agypt* to know their Sciences; Religion, both which he learnt from *Few* at *Athens*. The Remainder of Fortune being spent, he subsist- by selling Powder and *Pulveris*'s, But on the Death of *Plato*, leav- *Athens*, he made *Atanya* in *Ma- cedonia* his Retreat, of which City *E- myas*, his old Friend, was chief Ma- gistrate, whose Sister *Pythias* marry'd; and lov'd almost to Idi- try. Whence retiring to *Mytel*, he was thence sent for by King *Philip* to be his Son *Alexander's* Tutor who was now 14 Years old; w^{ch} Office he discharg'd so well, t

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and his Philosophy has been both condemn'd and approv'd by Popes and Synods, in Spight of Infallibility.

Aristotle, *Barus*, first King of *Thera*, an Island in the *Aegean* Sea, the Founder of *Syrene* in *Liby*, which he having built, he reign'd there 50 Years.

Aristexenus, though a Disciple of *Aristotle*'s, spoke contemptibly of him, when he had disappointed his hopes of being left Master of the *Lycium*. He wrote in Philosophy, History, and Musick, 453 Books.

Arius or *Thuras*, King of the *Assyrians*, succeeding *Ninus*, A. M. 2039. He reign'd 30 Years, and conquer'd the *Babryans*.

Arklow, a Port of *Leinster* in *Ireland*, South of *Wicklow* 12 m. and of which the Duke of *Ormond* is Baron.

Aries, one of the most ancient Cities of *Provence*, and an Archbp. under which are the Bishops of *Marseilles*, *Toulon*, *St. Paul*, *Trois Châteaux*, and *Orange*; 'tis large and populous, and noted for its Academy of Sciences, and *Roman Obelisk*, 5 Foot high, and 7 Foot Diameter at the Bottom of Oriental Granite. It has 2 Parish Churches. Here are the Ruins of Aqueducts, Statues, Pillars, and an Amphitheatre. And has been subject to various Changes, both of Masters and Forms of Government successively; taken by *Franks*, *Saracens*, and *Burgundians*. Has given the Title of Count and King. And been the Place of several Councils, particularly one in 354, under the Emp. *Constantius*, where *St. Athanasius* was condemn'd.

Arlington, a Village, only remarkable for the Birth and Title of *Henry Bennet*, Earl of *Arlington*, Father of the present Dutchess of *Grafton*, Secretary of State to King *Charles II.* &c.

Armasabat, the capital City of the Kingdom of *Guzarat*, in the *Indies*, and one of as great Consideration for

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Riches and Greatness, as any subject to the *Mogul*, 45 League N. of *Surat*.

L'Armado, the Guard of the King of *Portugal*'s Palace, and the only Regiment of Soldiers that are permitted to enter the City, and lodge there.

Armagh, a Town, Barony, and County of the Province of *Ulster* in *Ireland*. The Town ruin'd by *Tironen's* Rebellion, is now scarce any thing to shew that it was an ancient City, though the Seat of the Primate of all *Ireland*; which it was made, as some say, because founded by *St. Patrick*, in 445. the County is one of the most fertile in that Kingdom, and divided into four Baronies, besides that of *Armagh*.

Armagnac, a County of the Province of *Cascoigny* in *France*, bound'd by *Digorre*, *La Pais de Cominges*, *Bern*, *Guienne*, and *Langue doc*. As Fertile as Populous, containing 14 Cities, 1800 Fiefs of the *Bar* and *Arriurban*; is water'd by various Rivers, all falling into the *Garonne*; And had of old, Counts of its own, of great Name in the *French* History.

Armutis, or *Armeses*, K. of *Aegypt*, succeeded his Father *Amenches* XI. He Built a Bason or Reservoir of Water in a great Drought, 3600 Furlongs in circumference, and 40 Cubits deep; in the middle of it was a Tomb, supported with two Pillars, to himself and Wife, and two Statues on Thrones. The Profits of the Fish of this Pond were allow'd his Queen to buy *Pomina* and Washes.

Armand of *Bourbon*, Prince of *Orléans*, quitted four considerable Civil Preferments, procur'd by his Father, for the Army. He was Governor first of *Guienne*, then of *Langue doc*; and being made General in *Catalonia*, in 1655. he took *Villa Franca*, *Puyceila*, and *Charillon*; for which,

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being made Steward of the Household, he was sent to Command with the Duke of *Modena*, the Army in *Italy*, in 1662. He was made Knight of the King's Order; and in 1666. died.

Armelino was dignified with a Cardinal's Cap for his Money-Projects, which made him as invidious to the People, as gracious with the Popes. He died of Grief, besieg'd in the Castle of *St. Angelo*, for being plunder'd of his ill Gains by the *Geonians*.

Armenia, a large *Asiatick* Country, is generally divided into the *Less*, now call'd *Aladuli*, or *Pegis*, and the *Greater*, now call'd *Cardistan*, or *Turcomania*; 'tis divided N. by the *Misissian* Mountains from *Iberia*, *Colchia*, and *Georgia*, from *Mesopotamia* and *Alyria*, or *Diarbeck* S. by the Mountains *Taurus* and *Niphates*, from *Asia the Less* by *Euphrates* W. and E. the *Caspian*

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Resides at the Monastery of *Euchimiazin*, near *Ervan*; of the *Less* at *Tarsis*; their Clergy, both Regular and Secular, profess Celibacy, and teach Prayers for the Dead, though no Purgatory; that the Punishments of Hell, and Rewards of Heaven, are not till after the General Judgment, and that Damnation is only a Privation of the beatifical Vision, &c. They have often made and broken their Union with the *Romanists*.

Armentiers, a City of *Flanders* on the *Lys*, 3 Leagues from *Ipres* and *Lille*; considerable for its Linnen Manufacture.

Arminius, General of the *German Cherusci*, who revolting from the *Romans*, cut of *Varus* with three Legions, near *Paderborn* in *Westphalia*; but being beaten by *Germanicus*, he was kill'd by his own People, under Pretence of his Affectation of Royal Power; a Man as Generous as Brave.

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Armeleder, a Ringleader of the German Peasants, that to revenge the Host, stab'd by a few, massacred the Jews, and plunder'd them, and then proceeded to the Christians, till seiz'd by the Emperor, he was executed, and the Rabble dispers'd, in 1338.

Armorica, the ancient Name of *Bretagne* in France; it signifies in the old Gallick Tongue, *Bordering on the Sea*.

Arms, or *Coats of Arms*. Their Antiquity is not thought by some to be great, as arising in the *Croisades* about the Holy Land, though others run the use of them up to *Seth*. as falsely; but amidst the uncertainty, 'tis reasonable to believe, that they answer the *Images* of the *Romans*, which were the Honour and Distinctions of Families, as these are, but much more reasonable, being of greater Influence, as the Monitors of the great Deeds of their Fore-fathers. 'Tis not improbable that they first came from the Standards of Leaders and Kings. *Hengist* bore a Horse in his. Tho' several Coats of Arms came from Trades and Offices.

Armstronger, (Sir Robert) was as Skilful in War as Antiquity, liv'd in the time of *Charles I.* Retreated without the loss of a Man, with 500 English from 6000 Spaniards, over a Plain for 3 Leagues together. He and Sir *Henry Wotton* brought the Art of making Tapistry into England.

Arnheim, the chief City of one Quarter of *Guelderland*, and the Seat of the Governor of that Province, subject to the Republick of *Holland*. First fortified by *Osbo IV.* Duke of *Guelderland*, taken by the *Hollanders*, in 1585. and is two Leagues from *Nimeguen*. L. 27. 20. L. 32. 2.

Arnheim, (i' Land van) part of *Nova Australis*, on the Coast of *Amboina*, S. of *New Guinea*, lately Govern'd by the Dutch.

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Arnobius the Elder, Born in *Africa* in the III^d Century, became a Christian in the time of *Dioclesian*, and before his Baptism, wrote 7 Books against the *Gentiles*.

Arnobius the Younger, he flourished in the Vth Century, and in his Writings asserts, That *St. Austin's* Works were of equal Authority with the Writings of the *Apostles*.

Arnold, (Robert) Lord of *Anlilli*, was Born at *Paris*, in 1589. after a long Attendance at Court, and Honours pass'd through there at 55 Years of Age retir'd to the Monastery of *Port Royal des Champs*. He died in 1674. and 86 Years old. Having wrote several considerable Books.

Arnold, (Anthony) a Doctor of the *Sorbonne*, and a great Opposer of the Jesuits in favour of the *Jansenists*, for which he was excluded the Faculty, and thereupon retir'd for 25 Years. At length he return'd and was reconcil'd. At last, he voluntarily retir'd again out of the Seminary, where he continued his attacks against the Jesuits. He was Author of divers other Books besides Controversy.

Arnold de Meckel, a *Smitz* of the Canton of *Unterwald*, who provok'd by the Imperial Governor of *Switzerland* *Lundenburg's* putting out his Father's Eyes, stir'd up *Eustius* and *Straussacher*, and fixt the Liberty of each Canton, by throwing off the Yoke of the Empire.

Arnold de Villa Nova, Born in *Catalonia*, and an Eminent Physician: He was condemn'd by Pope *Clement V.* for an Heretick, because he had writ against that Church. He died in 1399.

Arnold de Bressia, deny'd that the Clergy should have any Lands or Estates; preach'd up the setting Rome at Liberty, by the Expulsion of the Pope and Cardinals; but finding too few to undertake so generous a Design.

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Design. He was taken and executed in 1155.

Arnon, a River that rising in the Hills of *Arabia*, passing through *Arabia Deserta*, and dividing the *Mozabites* and *Amorites*, falls into the *Asphaltick Lake*. 'Tis noted in the *Holy Scriptures*.

Arnois, a Vagabond People of the *European Albany*, on the E. Coast of the Gulph of *Venice*. And the Islands of *Nio* in the *Archipelago*.

Arnolph, King of *Bavaria*, and Emperor of the *West*, in 888. His Mother *Litovinda* was Concubine to *Carloman*, who rooted out the *Sclavonians*, for infringing the Treaty, by which he had assign'd them *Moravia*: He expell'd the *Normans* coming into *Italy* to support Pope *Formosus* against the Duke of *Apulia*, took *Bergamo* and *Rome*, and was there Crown'd by the Pope, in

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Arnolph, Bishop of *Lixieux* in XIIth Century. His espousing Party, made him dear to Pope *Alexander III.* and his Address in Mediation betwixt *Thomas Becket* King *Henry II.* of *England*, won his Esteem, till that Prelate's Death provok'd *Arnolph* to things disgustful to that Prince. died in 1182. at the Abby of *St. Flor.*

Arnolph, an *Egyptian*, rep a Magician, to whom many Wonders were attributed, the Rain that gave the *Roman* Victory over the *Germans*, in is said not to be by his Act, but Prayers of the Christian Legion

Arnolph of *Bern* at *Wesel* in *Ch* a Doctor of Divinity, and Canon of *Cologne*, in the XVIth Century. Books shew him a Man of Learning. And he died in 1521.

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om the River *Aur*, on ds; 'tis a free City, and the Assembly of the Diet tant Cantons.

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1661. and lie at the Mouth of the Bay of *Galloway* in the *Irish* Sea.

Arran an Island in the W. of *Scot-* land, 24 m. long, and 16 broad, full of uninhabited Mountains, and noted for a calm Harbour full of Fish, and for giving Title of Earl to the Duke of *Hamilton's* eldest Son.

Arras, the Capital of *Artois* in the *Netherlands*, a Bishoprick under the Archbishop of *Cambray*, taken last by the *French*, in 1640. who yet retain it; 'tis well fortified, rich, and of good Trade.

Arrians, Hereticks of the IVth Century, from *Arina*, their Founder; they denied the Divinity of *Christ*, made him the first of Creatures, and the Former of the World; in the framing which, the Holy Ghost, first made by him, assisted him. These are said to be their chief principles. Several Princes, Councils, Bishops declar'd for them, and against them, and against *Athanasius*, who more than once was banish'd by them. The Princes and Nations were *Constantine the Great*, *Constantinus*, &c. The *Goths*, *Lombards*, &c. The Councils of *Antioch*, *Philippopolis*, *Milan*, &c. Bishops of *Nicomedia*, *Nicea*, *Chalcedon*, *Prolemais*, &c. And *Theodosius* was the first Emperor that made Laws against them, being then subdivided into various Denominations of *Anomians*, *Semi-Arians*, *Acacians*, *Pure Arians*, &c.

Arrierman, an Assembly of Gentlemen of *France*, that serve the King in the War at their own Charge, on account of Fiefs held of the Crown. See *Ban*.

Arrius, a Philosopher of *Alexandria*, who was so much valued by *Augustus*, that he spar'd that City for it Beauty, the love he bore this Person, and the Memory of *Alexander*, who gave it its Name.

Arina, a Priest of *Alexandria*, and Founder of the *Arrian* Heresy, which

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which spread in a wonderful manner through all degrees of the Empire: He was first excommunicated, and banish'd by the Council of *Nice*, then recall'd by *Constantine*, re-heard, and his Confession allow'd. They tell us, that at the Prayer of *Alexander*, Bishop of *Alexandria*, his Bowels in horrid griping Tortures came from him with his Excrement. *Tantane animis Cœlestibus Iræ?* See *Arians* for his Opinions, &c.

Asiæ's, the first of the *Arfacidæ* or *Parthian* Kings, was elected by the People on their Revolt from the *Seleucide*, or the House of *Macedon*, A. M. 3508. after his Reign of 38 Years, succeeded two inglorious Kings of the same Name.

Also the Name of a King of *Armenia*, Confederate with *Julian* the Apostate against the *Persians*, and to whom he wrote many Letters against *Christ*. But *Julian* dying, and the *Romans* making Peace with *Sapor*, without including him, he

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Arcadius, and *Honorius*, and their Tutor; but forc'd after the Death of their Father to the Deserts of *Sethe* in *Egypt*, for fear of Death from his Pupil *Arcadius*, who very ridiculously and meanly resented those Corrections he gave him, as a Boy by his Father's Order.

Arsenius, Bishop of *Hypsele*, St. *Atanasius* being accus'd by the *Arians* of his Murder, he appear'd at the Council of *Tyre*, in 335. and gave his Vote for that Saint.

Also a *Macedonian* Monk of Mount *Athos*, and being chose Patriarch of *Constantinople*, he writ a *Nomo-Canon*, or a sort of Harmony or Order betwixt the Imperial and Patriarchal Decrees.

Arsenius, Archbishop of *Maloasia* in the *Morea*, became a Convert from the *Greek* Church to that of *Rome*, for which he was excommunicated by the Patriarch of *Constantinople*. He was Author of some

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15 m. from the Sea, contains not above 2000 People, most *Greeks*, and has now but four Suffragans: Its Cathedral is magnificent, Built by *Michael Comnenus* Emp. the Doors and Windows equalling the Days of the Year.

Artabanus I. King of *Parthia*, died of a Wound receiv'd in the *Trogarian* War.

Artabanus II. from King of *Miles*, advanc'd to the Throne of *Parthia*, for his being of the Blood of the *Arfacide*, after his Conquest over his Competitor *Vendaces*, when he put all the *Arfacide* that could pretend to the Crown to Death, he won *Armenia* from the *Romans*, and made his Son King of it. But being by *Vitellius* and the *Romans* twice compell'd to quit the Throne, he was re-establish'd, and died about A. C. 48.

Artabanus III. only remarkable in his short Reign, for having sided with the counterfeit *Nero*.

Artabanus IV. the last of the *Arfacide* and *Parthian* Kings, after his Wars with *Caracalla*, *Artaxerxes*, a common *Persian* Soldier depos'd him, and carried the Empire of the *Parthians* to the *Persians*, A. C. 229.

Artabanus of *Hyrcania*, having murder'd *Xerxes* in his Return from *Greece*, perswaded *Artaxerxes* that his Brother *Darius* had done it, and by this means destroyed him too. He was made Copartner of the Throne by *Artaxerxes*, but kill'd by him when the Villany was discovered.

Artabastus was taken by *Constantine Copronymus* after a short Usurpation of his Throne, and with his Hands had his Eyes put out, and was led through the Streets of *Constantinople*.

Artabastes, one of *Xerxes*'s Generals, whose Advice being rejected by that of *Megasthenes*, at the Battel of *Plataea*, run to support him,

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and withdrew with 40000 Men in the LXXIIId Olympiad.

Artabazanes was put by the Throne of *Persia*, though the eldest Son, because Born before *Darius* was King, for *Xerxes*, who was Born after, in the LXXIIId Olympiad.

Artabazus, Grandson of *Artaxerxes Mnemon*, having been forc'd to fly from his Government of *Mysia*, *Phrygia*, and *Bistynia*, on his Defeat in his Rebellion against *Oculus*, to *Philip* of *Macedon*; where getting his Pardon, he return'd to *Persia*, and having serv'd *Darius* faithfully against *Alexander*, was by him made Governor of *Bactriana*, for his Fidelity to his unhappy Master.

Artaphernes, one of the 7 Candidates for the *Persian* Crown, when *Darius* carried it, on whose Death he voted for *Xerxes* against *Artabazanes*.

Artavasdes, King of *Media*, who after an obstinate War with *Marc. Antony*, made Peace and Alliance with him.

Artavasdes I. King of *Armenia*, who not satisfied with his Treachery to *Crassus*, repeating it to *Marc. Antony*, was by him taken, and being carried in Chains to *Alexandria*, Beheaded, and his Head sent to the foresaid *Artavasdes*, King of the *Medes*.

Artavasdes II. King of *Armenia*, succeeded the Children of *Tigranes*, by *Augustus*'s Order; the Crown soon after was given to *Ariobarzanes*, on *Caius*'s Arrival there to quiet the Disorders of that Kingdom.

Artaxerxes Longimanus in the LXXVIIIth Olympiad, succeeded his Father *Xerxes*, had War with the *Egyptians* and *Greeks*, and permitted *Nebemias* and *Ezra* to Rebuild the Temple and City of *Jerusalem*. He reign'd 40 Years, dying A. M. 3629.

Artaxerxes Mnemon, succeeded his Father *Darius*, A. R. 349. put to Death

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Death his Brother and Son, for their attempting the Crown. He reign'd peaceably more than 40 Years; had 15 Sons, and died *A. M.* 3689.

Artaxerxes Ochus, was Son of the former, and confirm'd himself in his Throne, by murdering 80 of his Brothers, and near Kindred; he reduc'd *Agypt*, destroy'd *Sidon*; and in the midst of his Tyrannick Cruelties, was poyson'd by *Bagoas*, *A. R.* 414. after a Reign of 25 Years.

Artaxerxes, from a Common Soldier took the Kingdom from the *Parthians*, and restor'd it to the *Persians*. He sent Ambassadors to *Severus* to demand the restoring *Syria*, &c. which attempting with a great Army, he was defeated, and driven back into *Persia* by the *Romans*; and died *A. C.* 242. having reign'd 15 years.

Artaxerxes, King of *Parthia*, succeeding his Brother *Sapor II.* in 528. had a considerable Reign of a

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one of the Surnames of *Arphanes*.

Also a Philosopher of *Cnidus*, City of *Caria*, Son of *Theopompus* taught *Greek* at *Rome*, and gave *Julius Caesar* an Account of the Conspiracy of *Brutus*, as he went to *Capitol* on the *Iles* of *Maris*, he not reading it, was there kill'd.

Artemisia, Queen of *Halicaeus*, in the *LXXIVth Olympiad*, Daughter of *Lygdamis*, and married *Xerxes* in his *Greek Expedition*, gave him the most prudent Councils to all his Followers.

Also the Name of the Wife of *Manfalus*, King of *Caria*; she died of his Ashes in her Liquor. I have seen a wonderful Monument to his memory. Propos'd a Prize of Poetry in his Praise, won by *Theopompus* and was finally buried in the *Musaeum*.

Artemon, a mean *Syrian*, was likened to *Antiochus Theos*, was so great that the *Romans* believed

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for endeavouring the Establishing the King's Son, *John of Ghent*, Count of *Flanders*, in prejudice of the true Line. His Son *Philip* was Slain in a Battel against the Count, in 1332.

Artemius, a *Roman* General, put to Death by *Julian*, Emperor, for defending the Innocence of the *Christians*.

Arthur, a Fictitious King of *Britain*, conjur'd up by *Nennius* and *Gosy* of *Monmouth*, to do monstrous and incredible Wonders, and make Chymical Conquests, when the most he was, if ever he was at all, was a General, or a petty Prince of the *Britains* in *Somersetshire*, &c.

Arthur I. Count of *Britany* in *France*, was Born at *Nantes* in 1157. *Graton* to *Henry III.* of *England*, suppos'd to be assassinated by King *John* at *Ream*, after he had taken him Prisoner at the Siege of *Mirebeau*.

Arthur III. Duke of *Britany*, Born in 1373, returning from his Imprisonment into *England*, in 1420, having been taken at *Agincourt*. He first sided with the Duke of *Burgundy*, then with *France*, and won many Places from the *English* in *Normandy* and *Poitou*. Had 3 Wives, yet died without Issue.

Artillery, all sorts of warlike Engines, as *Cannons* great and small, *Mortar-pieces*, &c. The Invention I take to be *Chinese*, however brought to us; and though *Fryer* *Shwartz* have the Name of finding out *Powder*, I am apt to think it had the same Original.

Artois, a Province and Earldom of the *Netherlands*, Subject to *France*. It is adorn'd with the Cities of *Arras*, *Aire*, *St. Omer*, *Bethune*, *Bazenne*, *Heslene*, *Renti*, &c. and the Rivers of *Lys*, *Scarp*, &c. which make it extremely Fertile. It has chang'd often its Masters from *Romans*, *Austrasian Kings*, *French*, *Dur-*

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gunnians, *Spaniards*, to *France* at present, who by the *Pyrenean Treaty* holds it all.

Aron, a River of *Savoy*, whose Fountain is in the inaccessible Hills, where *Chrystal* is found, falling into the *Rhone* with a more rapid Course near *Geneva*; on the Snows melting it rises so, that it drives the *Rhone* back to the Lake. It overflow'd almost to a Deluge before the *Persian* Massacre.

Arvales, Twelve Noble *Romans*, that in Imitation of *Asca Laurentis*, the Nurse of *Romulus*, and her 12 Sons, Sacrifice yearly for the Fruits of the Earth, call'd *Arvales* from *Arvum*, a Field.

Arundel, (*Henry*) present Lord *Arundel* of *Wardeur*, whose Grandfather *Thomas* had that Dignity from King *James I.* after his Valour had gain'd the Title of Count of the Empire, whose Family has been Eminent in the West, ever since *William I.* of *England*.

Also the Name of the Lord *Arundel* of *Treize*, made a Baron by King *Charles II.* in 1664. for his and his Father's Loyalty in the Wars, who is of the same Family, and gives the same Arms with that of *Wardeur*.

Sir *John Arundel* of this Family, was kill'd in a Skirmish against the Lord *Oxford*, for *St. Michael's Mount* for King *Edward IV.*

Arundel, a small Town in *Suffex*, remarkable for nothing but giving Title of Earl to the Illustrious Family of *Howard*, among whom the Learned World is oblig'd to *Thomas* Earl of *Arundel* and *Surrey*, Lord Marshal of *England*, who by *William Petty* got from *Asia*, the *Marmora Arundeliana*, of which Mr. *Selden* wrote a Book in 1629. which has given great Light to the Learned Enquiries. They are now fix'd up about the Theatre of *Oxford*. Whoever is in Possession of this Manner

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and Castle, is an Earl without Creation.

Aruntius: Vide *Aruns*.

Aruntius, *Tarquin the Proud*, and *Tullus the Cruel's Son*, and with them expell'd, at a Battel against *Brutus*, viewing and praying for Revenge, spurring his Horse at *Brutus*, he bravely receiv'd, kill'd him, and was kill'd by him at the same instant.

Aruntius Nepos, (*Lucius*) Author of the History of the *Punick War* in *Augustus's* time. He was Consul with *M. C. Marcellus Afernius*, and died in the Reign of *Tiberius*.

Aruspices, *ab Aris inspicendis*, from inspecting the Altars, Soothsayers, predicting from the Entrails of Beasts, from the several Circumstances of which they divin'd the Will of their Gods, and what was to be expected. *Tullius* instituted a College of them; but the *Utriusque* was the best Interpreters of the Superstition.

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which provok'd the Pope to a Crusade against him in favour of the King of *Hungary*, who on it declar'd War against him. There were also three Kings of *Barbary* and of this Name.

Asan Calassatt, a *Greek* Reneg, and after that a notorious Pirate of *Algiers*, who after a thousand predations on the *Candians*, other Christians, had his Squadron defeated and taken in his Voyage home, and his rich Booty brought by the Christians.

Asander being King *Pharnaces* Governor of the *Bosphorus*, seized Master on his Flight to him, defeated by *Julius Caesar*, and his Head to the Conqueror, who on Return gave him *Pharnaces's* Daughter, *Dynamis*, and the Kingdoms of *Pontus* and *Bosphorus*, but in 8-th Year of his Age expelled *Scythians*, he died of Vexation.

Asaph, *Isaiah* was of an holy Family, in the VII-th Century.

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Baldwin, Earl of Flanders, by conquering a *Turkish* Gainst the bordering *Arabs*, out sixty *Moorish* Families. *Terad the Great* was Born.

Antius, Son of *Aeneas* and succeeded his Father in the Kingdom of the *Latins*, having d *Mercurius* of *Tuscany*. He *Iba Longa* his Capital. Reign'd rs, and died in the 291st of rld.

Asius, a *Gallick* Prince, who beaten by *Constantine*, was with *Asius*, his Confederate, in ng the Truce with the *Romans*, d by Dogs.

Asius, a Feast celebrated in ry of the Ascension of *Christ*.

Asius, an Island in *St. Lawrence's N. America*, 50 Leagues N. *Cape Briton*, a fine open ry, noted for its Rocks of *Asius*: Its Shoar is cover'd with

Asius, another Island with the : of *Ascension*, on the Coast of *Africa*, an unwholesome and Country, discover'd by the *Asius*, 100 Leagues from *Era-*

Asius, Primitive *Christians* of able Austerities, and peculiar, of which *Tertullian* is d to be: this Name, was since the Monks, though with little

Asiusburg, a City of *Franconia*, e River *Maine*, the Seat of *lector of Mentz*, now divided upper and Lower, and adorn'd t fine Palace.

Asius Roger, *Kirby-Wilk* in *York-* gave him Birth, and *St. John's* s in *Cambridge*, Education. night Queen *Elizabeth Latin*, *Princess*; and made by her, Queen, Secretary for that age. He was University Ora- *Cambridge*, a Man of great ing and Honesty, had a per-

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fect Friendship with *Smith*, lov'd Shooting in his Youth, and Cock-fighting in his Age, and wrote two Books yet Extant.

Asciates, *Arabian* Robbers, that to pass Rivers, tied Bladders together, and thence their Name.

Asclepias, an Orthodox Bishop of *Gaza* in *Palestine*, twice depos'd and driven from his See by the *Arians*, having sate in the Council of *Nice*. He fled to Pope *Julian*, and was justified in the Church of *Rome*, in 331. and restor'd by the Council of *Sardica*.

Asclepiades wrote the Life of *Alexander the Great*, and the History of *Bithynia* in *Greek*.

Also a Celebrated Physician in *Rome*, in the time of *Pompey the Great*; indulging a freer Course to his Patients than *Hippocrates*. He got great Esteem; and broke his Neck down Stairs on purpose, to avoid the Imputation of dying of a Disease, when very old.

Asclepiodorus of *Alexandria*, a great Master of the *Mathematicks*, *Botanicks*, and *Lapidary*, in his Travels over *Syria*, said he could find but three Men in their Wits.

Also a Painter of the first Rank, who sold the Pictures of 12 Gods to *Anaxion* for 432 col.

Asclepiodorus, Tribune of the *Prætorian* Band under *Constantius Chlorus*. He kill'd *Carausius*, proclaim'd Emp. in *Britain*; and is the suppos'd Author of the Life of *Dioclesian*.

Asclepiodorus, an Astrologer, that having foretold *Domitian's* Death, and being brought before him for it, *Domitian* asking him, If he knew his own Death? He replied, That he should that Day be tore to Pieces by Dogs. The Emperor resolving to disappoint the Event foretold, commanded him to be immediately burnt: but great Rains falling, extinguish'd the Fire, and the Dogs tore his Body to pieces, which gave *Domitian*

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Domitian no little Cause of fear of his succeeding Fate.

Ascodrogiles, or *Ascleis*, a Jovial Drunken sort of Hereticks, that pretending to be full of the *Holy Ghost*, brought Vessels of Wine into the Church, and making Procession round it, cried, This is the new Wine of the Gospel, &c.

Ascolia, Festivals of the Attick Peasants to *Bacchus*, in which they sacrific'd to him a Buck, as the destroyer of the Vine, &c.

Ascolis sur Trenti, a Bishoprick and City of the Pope's Patrimony, the ancient *Asulum*, where the Proconsul's Legate, *Fontcius*, on the Discovery of their Plot on the Consuls, was murder'd, and all the Roman Garrison on the *Ferix Latina*, for which their City was raz'd; from whose Ruins rose *Ascoli*, the Seat of the *Bellum Sociale*, or *Confederate War*, &c. Pope *Nicholas IV.* was Born here.

Ascoli di Saviano, a City, Principi-

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her Reputation in *Spain* more Address than Valour, which could not defend him in the m his Guards, from a mortal Stab a Slave, in Revenge of his M Death, inflicted by *Asdrubal*.

Asdrubal, *Hannibal's* Bro who with his Army of 50000 was cut off near *Piacenza*, by *dinus Nero* and *Titius Salinator*.

Asdrubal, Son of *Guisco*, a L of the *Carthaginians*, in the *Punick War*, being driven *Spain*, giving his Daughter *nuba* in Marriage to *Syphax*, of *Numidia*, was with 100000 liaries of that King's, totall feated by *Scipio Aemilianus* besi *Utica*.

Asdrubal Hædus, a Nobleman *Carthage*, and having been e the Plenipotentiaries for a with *Rome*, obtain'd a Truce Years, *A. R.* 205. The *Carthans* breaking it the Year follow he took the Field with 20000

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, a fertile Province of the n of *Fez*, confining on that n. Its principal Cities are and *Alcasar-quiver*.

son, a Burrough Town of *ire*, whose present Members, *Ibo. Leare*, *Barn.* and *Rich.* Esq;.

one of *Jacob's* Sons, whose was Dainties and Fertility. 226 Years, and died, *A. M.*

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the Name of one of the Four s of the Earth, of a very stent, derived either from aughter of *Oceanus* and *The-* from *Ahus*, a *Lydian*. 'Tis l E. by the *Chinese* Sea, se- W. from *Asia* by the *Red-* id the Streights of *Babel* , S. its Bounds are the *In-* l *Arabian* Seas, N. the *Tar-* ad Frozen Sea. The *Arch-* the Streights of *Cassa*, *Palus* , the River *Don*, and a Line hat to the River *Obi*, divides *Europe*. It stretches it self

German Leagues from *Ma-* the *Hellepons*, E. and W. from N. to S. 1550. 'Tis ided into Five Parts, under mes of the Monarchs that the *Great Mogul*, the King s, the *Cham* of *Tartary*, Em- f *China*, and the *Grand Sig-* This Quarter of the World the Seat of the first Man, k Monarchy, the Spring of gions that ever visited Man- whether true or false; the Christ in the Flesh; but all its advantages, it could Conquer *Europe*, or knew *Li-*

va, now *Zanara*, an *Italian* W. of *Sardinia*, 28 Miles in , fam'd for the Victory of the *ians* over the *Genoeses* at 1409.

ria, *Syracusan* Festivals in , of their defeating and ta-

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king the *Asbenian* Generals, near the River *Asinarum*.

Afinius Pollio, a noble *Roman*, in time of *Augustus*, a Friend of both him and *Anthony*, against whom he would go with *Cesar*. He left several Tragedies and Orations, and XVII Books of History. He avour'd *Virgil*, as one of his Eclogues shews. He died in the CLIXth *Olympiad*, being 80 Years old.

Afinius Gallus, Son of the former. He writ a Comparison of *Cicero* and his Father, giving the Advantage to the latter, which *Claudius* the Emperor refuted. *Tiberius* hated him so, that at last he forc'd his Death by Starving; the rise of which, was his marrying *Vipsania*, the beloved Wife of *Tiberius*, whom he was oblig'd by *Augustus* to quit for *Julia*: And for his telling him in his hypocritical Modesty in the Senate, that he might chuse what part of the Government he pleas'd.

Aslan, a *Tartarian* Leader, who made several Inroads into *Muscovy*, *Poland*, &c. dethron'd the *Cham*, and assum'd the Empire; and after waiting the *Turk's* Motions for his Restoration, he invaded *Muscovy* again, but soon after died in the XVIth Century.

Asmodai, a Rabinical Name of the Prince of the Devils.

Asoph Asapbi, *Saffia*, *Azaphi*, the most ancient South part of *Africa*, once a populous City, whose Dome- stick Divisions made way for its Sub- jection with great part of *Morocco* to the *Portuguese* and *Arabs*. Lat. 32.00.

Asoph, a City on the South of the *Tanais*, on a rising near the *Palus Maotis*. Its Situation and Strength renders it one of the most valuable Fortresses the *Czar* is Master of, having since his taking it from the *Turks*, in 1696. added a Citadel in a Morais, commanding the Town, and joyn'd to it by a Bridge of 30

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Arches, and a great many considerable Fortifications, and has fitted the Harbour for the greatest Men of War. 'Tis in 51 degrees of N. Latitude.

Aziz Barinus, a profess'd *Arian*, tho' General of *Theodosius the Younger's* Army, having deliver'd his Father from the Fetters of *John of Ravenna*, he was defeated by the *Vandals in Africa*. His Interest and Power was so great, that the Emperor *Leo Isauricus*, to gain him, gave him his Daughter *Ariadne*, but found nothing would cure his Ambition but Death, which at last he bestow'd on him and his Father.

Aspasia, a Lady of *Miletum*, whose Beauty, Learning, and Elocution, gave her so absolute a Power over *Pericles the Athenian*, that after an Intrigue he married her, and she influenc'd his Arms against *Samos*, then at War with *Miletum*, and gave some cause of the *Peloponnesian War*. She liv'd in the LXXXVIIIth

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The Knights Templars would quit the Tribute they paid, though they offer'd on that condition to turn *Christians*. They subdu'd, and their King put to Death by *Halven*, Cham of *Tibet* in 1257.

Asses, Governors of *Provincia Persia*, of a less consideration than the *Kans*, and put in their Power to save the Crown Expence of Pomp, &c.

Asser, a Rabbin Author of the *bylonish Talmud*, in the IVth century, though not finish'd by him nor till the Year 500.

Also a *Welshman* of great Learning, invited from *Wales* by the King *Alfred of England*, who by him he writ.

Assideens, a Sect of *Jews* deriv'd into *Chasidim* and *Tsadikim*, both signify *Just*; and from whence sprung the *Tharices* and *Ejars*, they possess'd their Tradition by the written Word, and set up

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part of the County of *Rosfe*, on the *Ducalidon*-Sea; its Mountains of Marble ber.

Now *Arzerum*, a Kingdom its Bounds are *Armenia*, *Media*, and *Mesopotamia*. *Mosul*, *Schiarazur*, *Babyl* this last, built by him k of *Euphrates*, *Nimrod* undation of the first Mo- M. 1879. *Assur* or *Ni* whom the Name of *Aly*- wife) his Son built *Ni*- *Tigris*, and made it the Empire, from whom to r depos'd by *Arbaces*, thirty seven Kings, and

ity, Bishoprick, and Coun- i to *Milan*, on the River idy'd with a Citadel and ven by the Emperor, in 1531. to *Charles III*. voy. 'Tis 16 m. W. of

a small neat City of *Tur*- n the Confines of *Persia*, from the River *Arras*: : has a Fountain, and it r *Caravanferas* or Inns; : good Wine, and the , only growing near this sed all over *Persia*, and r dyng Red.

r *Estarac*, a little Coun- signe, with the Title of

an Idol of the *Sidonians* res, worshipped by *Solo*- the Shape of an Ewe.

x the Queen of Heaven; y *Solomon* built an Altar, *Sidonian* Goddess, and be the same with the *gais*, or *Dercera*.

Olympian, that at the *phus*, shot out one of *Philip* of *Macedon*, with us inscrib'd, *After scuds*

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Asteria, *Latona's* Sister flying from *Jupiter's* Love, she was turn'd into a Quail.

Asterius, a King of *Crete*, succeeding *Lapithus*, he had three Sons, call'd *Idaios*, *Sarpedon*, and *Radamanthus*. In the *Syrian* War he bore away *Europa*, *Agenor's* Daughter; from his Surname, *Taurus* fabled to be born away by a Bull.

Asterius, an eloquent Defender of the *Arians*, but was denied Priestly Orders, because he had sacrific'd to Idols.

Asterius, Bishop of *Amasia* in *Pen*- tus, in the IVth Century, several of whose Homilies are publish'd.

Asterius, Bishop of *Petra* in *Ara*- bia, liv'd in the IVth Century, turning from the *Arians* in the Council of *Sardica* he underwent Persecutions for the Orthodox, which he out-liv'd, and was at the Council of *Alexandria*, in 362.

Astley, the Name of an Eminent Family of *Melton-Constable* in *Nor*- folk, originally of *Warwickshire*, descended from *Philip de Astley* of *Astley Hillmorton*, in that County: And from Sir *John Astley*, famous for more then one lifted Duel in the time of *Henry IV*. in *France*; and against Sir *Philip Boyle* of *Arragon*, fought before that King in *Smithfield*, with that success, that besides other Honours, that of the *Garter* was given him. *Jacob* Lord *Astley*, was a Major-General of the *English* in *Holland*, serv'd under *Gustavus Adolphus*; and in *England* against the *Scoss*, and the *English* Rebels, and was created Baron in 1644.

Astomi, a People either of *India*, near the Head of the *Ganges*, or of *Africa*, beyond the River *Senega*, whose Bodies are hairy, like Down, and who are fabled to have no Mouths.

Astorgue, a City and Bishoprick of *Leon* in *Spain*, under the Archbishop of *Compestella*, thinly peopl'd; the Market-

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Market-place, Cathedral, and Towers, being only remarkable in it.

African, once a *Tartar* Kingdom, now a Province of *Muscovy*. All its wall'd Towns being inhabited by *Muscovites*, and its Plains with *Tartars* in Tents, &c. 'Twas subdu'd by *John Basilowitz*, *Czar*, in 1554. The Climate is extremely hot in *September* and *October*, and the Colds violent in the midst of Winter. Its chief Trade is Salt; and its chief Food *Sturgeon*. The City of *Astracan* is now strong and beautiful at a distance; from its Stone Walls and multitude of Towers, though the Houses are mean, the *Crim Tartars* took it in 1661. but the *Muscovite* recover'd it in 1662. In 1669. (the Year it was thus wall'd and furnish'd with 500 Brass Cannon) 'twas betray'd to *Radzín*, a Rebel *Cossack*; but retaken by the *Czar*, in 1671. The *Tartars*, *Armenians*, *Persians*, *Indians*, and *Muscovite* Merchants drive here a great Trade.

eat his own Son for sparing Life, when sent to destroy him according to the *Magi's* Intention of his Dream, in the *Olympiad*.

Astyanax, *Hector's* Son by *Andromache*, thrown from a Tower by *Ulysses*, after the taking of *Troy*.

Astynomi, the Name of the *Indian* Superintendants of the Land and Performers, both Men and women, and Surveyers of the ways.

Ashchir, King of *Aegypt*, built the largest Pyramid, and made a Law for the Loan of Money on the Security of a Father's Corps, which the Lender had full power of burying.

Asylum, by mistake written *Asyle*, which is not the Place of Refuge built by *Abraham*, in the Sacred Grove, to which the guilty escaping were sent in all Countries have had, and may have these privileg'd Places or Churches in Popish Countries.

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Also the Name of a Lady, that in the Chace of the *Calidonian Boar*, gave him the first Wound, and being honour'd for that by *Meleager*, with the Head of that dead Beast. Drew first the Death of his Uncles, and then his own from his Mother's burning the fatal Band.

Atas, or *Asbas*, a running Footman, mention'd by *Pliny*, that ran 60 Miles in six Hours.

Ataulph, or *Ataulphus*, Bother-in-law and Successor of *Alaric*, King of the *Goths*, sack'd *Rome* with him first, and the Year following by himself, bore away *Placidia*, the Emp. *Theodosius's* Daughter, whom marrying at *Narbonne*, he was kill'd at *Barcelona*, in his Journey to *Spain*, in 415. having reign'd five Years.

Ate, Goddess of Mischief; the Ills she rais'd being only to be remedied by the *Lites*, the Daughters of *Jetes*.

Avela, an ancient City of *Campania* in *Italy*, whence the *Fabula Atellanæ* had their Name.

Aepomarus, King of the *Gauls*, who in the Minority of the *Roman State*, reduc'd *Rome* to that Extremity, that they (by the Advice of the Women Slaves) sent their Female Slaves in their Wives Habits, to him who had demanded them, as the Terms of Peace, but the Maids gave the *Romans* the Signal agreed on, by which they set on the *Gauls*, and gain'd a great Victory, in Memory of which they kept yearly a Festival, call'd *The Maids Feast*.

Atergatis, suppos'd the Mother of *Amiramus*, ador'd by the *Athalonians*, in the Shape of a Mermaid, having drown'd her self in a Melancholy fit, for her being ravish'd.

Atb, or *Aetb*, a strong, large, well-built, and rich City of *Hainault* in the *Netherlands*, on the River *Dender*. It has been taken by the

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French, in 1667, and 1697. and surrender'd to the *Spaniards* again, and now has run the same Fate with the rest of the *Spanish Monarchy*. Lies betwixt *Oudenard* and *Mons*, two Leagues from *Leffine*.

Atbalaricus, King of the *Ostrogoths*, succeeded *Theodorick* in *Italy*, under the Guardianship of his Mother *Amalasuntha*, in 527. sharing the Kingdom of the *Visigoths* in *Gaul*, with his Cousin *Amalaric*. He publish'd an Edict in favour of the Privileges of the Church. He reign'd 8 Years, and died of a Consumption. His Souldiers getting him from his Mother, to breed him to Arms, made his Debaucheries end him soon.

Atbaliak, Daughter of *Akab*, put to Death by Order of *Jehojadab*.

Athmania, a Country of *Epirus*, once a Commonwealth, which with other Principalities surrender'd to *Philip* of *Macedon*, the Father of *Perseus*.

Athamas, Son of *Nolus*, King of *Thebes*, the Father of *Phryxus* and *Helle* by *Nephele*, on whom *Euricus* having inflicted Madness, he married *Ino*, who being a hard Step-Mother to *Nephele's* Children, *Athamas* was made Mad by *Juno*, and kill'd *Ino's* Children, *Ino* with *Melicera* leapt into the Sea.

Also the Name of a River in *Atolia*, that at Wain of the Moon would light a Torch dipt in it.

Athanasagildus, A. C. 554. having depos'd and murder'd *Agila*, King of the *Goths*, ascended that Throne himself.

Athamari refusing the Title of King govern'd the *Goths* in the Time of *Valens* and *Theodosius*, Emperors: To the last of whom he fled for Succour, on his Expulsion for his Cruelties by his own Subjects; and, tho' a great Persecutor of the *Christians*, was at his Death splendidly interr'd at *Constantinople*.

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Athanasius (St.) was bred in *Alexandria* under the Patriarch *Alexander*. His Zeal against the *Arians* raised him so many Enemies, that he was twice depos'd after his Exaltation to the See of *Alexandria*, and restor'd, but in the end was fain to pass the six last Years of his Life in the Desarts, with the Bps of his Party, and dy'd in 371.

Athanasius a Patriarch of *Constantinople* in 1290; also an Heretical Patr. of *Alexandria* in 491. likewise a Bp. of *Athens* in the 14th Cent.

Athazetes, a Body of 1000 *Persians*, full mist'd up on the Death of any, and thence call'd *the Immortal*, which the Name imports; and in this they had the last Confidence.

Athena, a wise and warlike K. of *Syriz*; Success crown'd his Arms against the *Triallians* and *Ilyrians*; by his sudden Incursions, &c. and avoiding Battel, he ty'd out *Philip* of *Macedon*; whose Succours coming too late, he refused to pay, or do

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Athens, the Capital C. of *Attica* now call'd *Sesinea*. Its Fame for Mother of Arts and Learning, known to all this part of the World. The *Areopagus*, or Senate-House whose Ruines are yet extant; *Lycaum* or *Piazza*, and Schools *Aristotle*; the Ruines of the Noble supposed Palace of *Theseus* the *Fanari* or Lanthorn of *Demosthenes*, dedicated to *Hercules*, and Place of *Demosthenes's* Retirement to study, the Ruins of the *Temple of Victory*, the *Arsenal* of *Lycus*, the Temple of *Minerva*, &c. contain the learned Accounts of its Ancient Grandeur. 'Tis defended by a Citadel call'd *Acropolis*, accessible on the West-side, and contains about 10000 *Greeks* and *Turks*: 'Tis last have 4 Mosques, and the fort Speak both *Greek* and *Turkish*, and subtle and treacherous; The Archbishoprick is worth but 4000 *Crores Annuum*. The *English* and *French* have Consuls, and Chapels in

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th yet *Cleopatra* forgave in honour
the old *Asbenians*. *Adrian* drew
on its Ruins once; and *Mabo-*
l first subdued it to the *Turkish*
; and now 'tis scarce *Magni-*
his umbra. Here *St. Paul*
ch'd, and many Martyrs illu-
d its Church, first Episcopal,
rais'd to an Archbishoprick.
Armenia, or *Arbene*, a Neapolitan
the foot of the *Appenines*, only
table for its being a Principa-

Alps, a R. rising in the highest
the *Alps* in *Tyrol*, and receiving
others in its Course, falls in-
the *Adriaticque* 5 m. from *Venice*.

Alva, the 29th K. of *Scotland*,
'd himself about the year 240.
Cruiky, *Avarice*, and *Luft*, ha-
gais'd his Subjects against him.

Athlone, a C. of the County of
How in *Connaght* in *Ireland*, a
oprick and Barony: 'tis divided
the R. *Shannon*, the East-side is
'd *Englisk Athlone*, and the West
k. 'Twas taken by Storm by the
ship in 1691. under the Command
General *Ginkle*, who from thence
made Earl of *Athlone*.

Athol, a fruitful Country in the
k of *Scotland*, tho' Woody in
eral, yet a great Plain at the foot
Mount *Grampius*, is called the
re of *Athol*, from its want of
ss. The Chief of the *Murrays*
Marquis of *Athol*.

Athos, a great *Macedonian* Moun-
t, stretching it self into the *Æ-*
Sea, like a *Peninsula*, betwixt
Gulph of *Contessa*, and the Bay
Santo, join'd to the Con-
nt by an *Isthmus* of 12 Furlongs
l; The Monks of which, are
only Greeks that reverence *I-*
es.

Atlasides, the Name of several
is; of the Inhabitants under
s, and of the Stars called *Hyades*,
Argilia, suppos'd the Daughters
was from his Discovery of them.

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Atlas, a vast and long extended
Mountain of *Africa*, has several
Names in several Parts: It begins at
Capo di Non or *Nao*, Latit. 28. 40.
the Desarts of *Zanbaga* are S. of it,
and *Tesset* N. and by several Turn-
ings and Windings, dividing *Tesset*,
Sus, *Morocco*, and *Barbary*, from *Bile-*
dulgerid; about *Tripoli*, its called,
Servai, thence in manifold Turnings,
it reaches to the *Red Sea*, where 'tis
called *Bugia*, the *Nile* cutting it in
two when it has divided *Nubia* and
Egypt. On it, and round it, In-
habit several Nations of old *Africans*,
yet Idolaters of Fires and the Sun,
having their own Kings Tributary to
the *Arabian* Masters of those Parts.

**Atlas*, *Prometheus's* Brother, K. of
Mauritania, and a great Astronomer,
and therefore Fabled to be turn'd
into a Mountain, and to support
the Heavens: he first invented the
use of the Globe, and was Contem-
porary with *Moses*.

Atmidon, or *Hippodrome* in *Con-*
stantinople, a *Circus* or Square for
short Horse Races.

Atossi, Daughter of *Cyrus*, K. of
Persia, cur'd of a Venereal Distemper
by *Democedes* a Greek Phylician.

Atrax, a *Thessalian* C. fam'd for
Magick Arts if we believe the
Poets.

Atreus, K. of *Argos* and *Mycena*,
Son of *Pelops* and *Hippodamia*, who
killing, and Cooking the Sons of
Thyestes his Brother, at a Banquet
made him Eat them, in Revenge of
his Incestuous Amour with his Wife
Ærope, at which the Sun went back
not to see the Horror.

Atri, a *Neapolitan* C. only re-
markable for giving the Title of
Duke to the Family of *Aqua viva*.

Atropisus, he left the Kingdom of
Media to his Posterity, after the
Death of *Alexander the Great*, ha-
ving surrendered himself and that to
him on the Defeat of *Darius*, whose
Governor he was of the Province.

Atropos,

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added great Fortifications to *Rhodes*, beat *Mikomet II.* from thence, and built the Church of *St. Mary of Victory*. See *Rhodes* and *Zozime*.

Auch, the capital City of *Armagnac* in *Gascogne*, on the River *Gers*; an Archbishoprick, with 10 Suffragans; the Cathedral built by *Cloelovus Magnus*, is the noblest in *France*.

Audebert, (*Germain*) a French Latin Poet of the XVIth Century, who writ an eloquent Description of *Rome Venice*, and *Naples*, in Verse. He penn'd divers other Poems.

Audeus, Born in *Mesopotamia*, and became the Founder of a Sect of Christians, call'd *Audeans*. His free Reprehensions of the Clergy made them his Enemies, though he was chosen Bishop by his Party. He was a Man of Probity and Learning, and in his Exile (which his freedom drew on him) he converted many to Christianity.

Audley, James Lord *Audley*, was

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1344. and was buried at *Walden*.

Audley-End, a Royal Palace in *Essex*, Built by *Thomas Howard* of *Suffolk*.

Avein, a Town of *Luxemburg* taken for the French Victory on *Spaniards*, in 1635.

D'Avenne, (*Bouchard*) Bishop of *Metz*, in the XIIIth Century quith'd the Duke of *Lorraine* forc'd him to a dishonourable

Aventinus, (*Sylvius*) twelfth of *Latium*, being kill'd in the of his Reign, was buried under gave Name to Mount *Aventine* in *Rome*.

Aventine, (*John*) famous in *Annals of Bavaria*, written XVIth Century. He was a zealous *Lutheran*. He left divers Works, which were Printed.

Adventurers, the French who the *Spaniards* of *America*, who in Parties the *Spanish* in the

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ty in the Kingdom of
hoprick, built in op-
ers by Robert Guiscard,
s, &c. Edm'd for its
he, Hospital, and

Cities, and an Illu-
the Low-Countries,
land, Hainault, &c.
s, a Roman Histori-
d Augustus. Also a
vlsi against the Ro-

son as her Father
her having a Child
tting her and Tele-
in a Trunk, threw
iver Cayus, to the
convey'd by Venus,
them up, Marries
l leaves the Son his

of Elis, who banish-
us, for deciding the
wixt him and Her-
ying him his Ripu-
leaning his Stable)
dethron'd and kill'd
gave his Crown to
n he had referr'd his

chief Order of Roman
in'd by the flight of
h Tower, looking
th their Litus, or
dividing the Hea-
l Quarters, obler-
of them the Birds
then sacrific'd on it
and so made their
grew from 3 to 15,
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and Character in-
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avenient Port in Si-
y di Noto, well for-
of Casana.

latum. See London.
festivals instituted in
affin on his Return

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to A , from leaving all the Pro-
vinces of the Empire in Peace, kept
on the 12th of October.

Augustin, or Austin, (St.) was
Born at Tagaste in Numidia of St. Mo-
nisa, in 354. and notwithstanding
the Licentiousness of his Youth, be-
fore 20 he had made a vast Progress
in all manner of Learning by his
own Study, from which time to his
33d Year he taught Rhetorick at
Tagaste, Madawa, and Rome, and
from hearing St. Ambrose, received
so lively a Touch of Religion, that
being baptiz'd, and returning to
Africa, was at Hippo ordain'd Priest,
and in 395, choose Bishop of that
City. He confuted the Donatists,
Manichees, Pelagians, and Semi-Pe-
lagians, and designing to go to the
Council of Ephesus, he died in the 76th
Year of his Age, A. C. 430. Hippo
being then besieged by the Vandals,
who sparing both his Body and Li-
brary, Luitprandus, King of Italy,
bought the first of them, and had it
brought to Pavia, and there laid in
a Church consecrated to him. His
Learning and Authority was always
rever'd in Ecclesiastical Matters, both
by Popes and Councils. His Works
are yet Extant.

St. Austin, the Benedictine Monk
was the Apostle of the English in the
VIth Century. Pope Gregory the
Great, either envited by Bersba, King.
Ethelbert's Wife, or as the common
Story goes, by the sight of some
English Slaves sold in Rome, sent Au-
stin to Preach the Gospel here; and
arriving at Thanet, he converts
Ethelbert, K. of Kent, and baptiz'd
10000 Saxons in one day, was made
Archbishop of Canterbury, and died
in 614: coming into England in 596.
His Deputation from Rome, brought
that Dependence of our Clergy on
that Church, which the Britains nei-
ther then, nor afterwards acknow-
ledg'd.

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Augustus, Several Orders that follow the Rule of *St. Austin*, first Instituted by Pope *Alexander IV.* in 1256.

Augustus Caesar, was born, *A. R.* 691. of *Octavius* and *Accia*; his Father died when he was but 4 years old; at 12 he made a Funeral Oration on his Grandmother. *Julius Caesar* being Stab'd in the Senate, and being great Uncle to *Augustus*, he was declar'd his Heir at 20, and chose by the Interest of *Cicero* Consul, and entrusted with an Army against *Anthony*, but join'd him and *Lepidus* in the Triumvirate, in which he vanquished *Brutus* and *Cassius*: *Pompey Junior*, and *Lepidus*, being laid aside, he ruin'd *Mark Anthony*, and became absolute Lord of all the Roman Empire. 'Tis said, he offer'd to restore the Power to the Senate, perhaps not with more Sincerity than his Successor. He us'd his unjust Power justly, encouraged Arts, and visited most of the Provinces, and died at *Nola* 10 years after the Birth

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embraces the East-part of it, as the *Rhone* runs near it W. 'Tis remarkable for the number 7; having Parishes, 7 Gates, 7 Hospitals, Palaces, 7 Colleges, 7 Nunneries and 7 Monasteries; 'tis a Univerf and Archbishoprick, and belongs to the Popes, who have often resid there, and left several Monuments of their Magnificence. It has formerly run through divers hands, sold for 48000 Livres by *Franc* Countess of *Provence*, to Pope *Clement VI.* which Alienation has been disputed, the present *French King* having seiz'd it twice: 'Tis considerable for Trade, and the Retreat many Gentlemen that have fought Duels.

Avila, (*Lewis*) a Spanish Historiographer of the Wars of the Emp. *Charles* and favour'd by him, who gave him a Commandery of *Alemara*, &c.

Avis, a Portuguese Order of Knighthood, instituted by *Alphonso* and confirm'd by Pope *Innocent I* in 1194, on the sabbath Evening

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Aulus Gellius, a very good Latin Grammarian, as you may find in his 20 Books of *Noctes Atticae*.

D'Aumont, (*John*) having serv'd first in the Wars, particularly at the Battel of *St. Quintin*: He was made a Marshal of France by *Henry III.* and signaliz'd himself in his Service, as well as in that of *Henry IV.* but being shot at the Siege of *Comper* in the Arm, he died in the 73d year of his Age 1595.

Auneau, a small C. of France, chiefly noted for the Defeat of the *Juifs, Germans, &c.* by the Duke of *Guise* in 1587.

Aunis, or, *Le Pays d'Aunis*, the Territory of *Rosbel* in France.

Augeusia, an Asiatick Prov. that and *Mingrelia* composing the Ancient *Colchis*.

Aure, the Name of 4 Rivers rising in several W. parts of England, two of which fall into the *Severn*, one into the Sea at *Christ-Church*, and the fourth into the *Usk* near *Carden*; on whose Banks many Towns stand, and particularly the C. of *Bristol* on that which rises in the N.W. parts of *Wiltshire*.

Aurach, a C. of *Wirtemberg*, on the R. *Ernst*, the Residence of the 2d Son of the House of *Wirtemberg*, lately fortified with a strong Castle.

Auranches, a C. in the Lower *Normandy*, a Bishoprick under the Archbishop of *Rouen*, near the Sea, large and well-peopled, as well as strong; noted for its Cathedral, Auditory, and Deans House; and for the Council held by the Popes Legates, on Enquiring into the Death of *Thomas à Becket*.

Auray, a little C. in *Bretagne*, on a Bay memorable for the Defeat of *Charles of Blois* by *John V.* surnam'd the valiant D. of *Bretagne*.

Aurea Chersonesus, a Peninsula beyond *Ganges*, divided into several Kingdoms, and taking this Name from its Chief City.

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Aurelianus, (*Lucius Domitius*) born in *Pannonia* or *Dacia*: When the Empire had been divided by 30 Tyrants in the remiss Reign of *Gallicienus*, the Soldiers chose him Emperor; who restor'd *Rome* to its Ancient Power and Glory, reducing all Opposers; and chiefly *Zenobia*, Queen of *Palmyra*, and Patroness of *Longinus*, the Rhetorician and Philosopher. He was at last Murdered by the Conspiracy of *Messethius*.

Aurelius, or *Aurelio*, maintain'd a short Reign over *Asturia*, by a base Tribute to the *Moors* of *Virgins, &c.* which he had usurp'd by his Brothers Murder in the 8th Century.

Aurelius Victor, a Latin Historian in the time of *Constance* and *Julian*.

Aurelius, a famous Painter in the time of *Augustus*, that drew his Mistresses Faces to the Goddesses, as the Modern *Italians* have theirs to the *Madonnas*.

Aurelius, an eminent Bishop of *Carthage*, Contemporary with *St. Austin*, held several Councils, and disputed with the Hereticks.

Aurelius Cornelius, was born at *Goude* in *Holland* of the House of *Lopsen*: He was a Canon Regular, and Master to *Erasmus*, and flourished partly in the 15th, and partly in the 16th Cent. Author of several Tracts.

Aureng-Zebe, is now, or lately was, Great Mogul, or Emperor of *Indostan*, Dethron'd his Father *Chahabekhan*, Murder'd his two Elder Brothers, and Usurp'd the Throne, and is alive above 100 years old.

Aurificus, (*Nicholas*) a Carmelite of *Sienna* in the 16th Cent. Author of several Learned Books.

Auriliac, a C. of France, notgd for its Trade in Bone-Lace.

Aurogallus, (*Matibew*) a learned Bohemian Linguist of the 16th Cent. He was also a celebrated Author.

Aurora, the Daughter of *Terra* and *Titan*, being Wife to old *Tithonus*, she constantly gets up before day.

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Ausonius, (*Decius Magnus*) born at Bourdeaux, and Tutor to the Emperor *Gratian*, who made him Consul in 379.

Aussburgh, or *Ausburgh*, the capital C. of *Saxby* in *Germany*, a Bishoprick under the Archbishoprick of *Meyence*, on Branches of the Rivers *Lib* and *Werden*; the Streets are large, the Artificers, especially Goldsmiths, numerous; the Senate-House curious, as are the Arsenal and College. In the time of *Augustus*, a Roman Colony was settled here, then call'd *Augusta* from that Emperor. It has more than once felt the severe Effects of War, and as often risen out of its own Ashes, and was made a free Imperial City in the 9th Cent. It is famous for the *Confession of Faith* drawn up by *Melancthon*, as well as for the Confederate Treaty in 1623, against the growing Power of *Spain*. There is an entire Liberty of Conscience, and *Protestant* and *Papist* have equal share in its Government.

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Austria, which was afterwards Exalted into an Arch-Dutchy. The Empire has continued in this Family ever since *Rodolphus I.* in 1273. and the Family, by many advantageous Matches, arriv'd in the time of *Charles IV.* to such a height, as threatned *Europe*, with that Slavery, that is now fear'd from *France*; the fear of which, the Division of the Territories betwixt *Philip II.* of *Spain*, and *Ferdinand* Emperor, entirely remov'd.

Auolycus, a famous Robber of *Par-nassus* Son of *Mercury*.

Likewise the Tutor of *Arceflus* in the 414 y. of *Rome*, a great Astronomer and Philosopher.

Automenes, K. of *Corinth*, after a Reign of a year, dying, or surrendering the Crown, the *Corinthians* chose annual Magistrates, till the time of *Cypselus*, and his Son *Periclisander*, Tyrants of *Corinth*.

Autore, Daughter of *Hermione* and *Cassius*, K. and Founder of *Thebes*. She was *Alexon's* Mother.

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agnac, and one of the richest hoppricks in *France*.

antius, born in *Cappadocia* in Cent. sent for by the Empe-

stantius, and made Bishop of

He was an *Arian*, but be-

liefly oppos'd by St. *Hilary* un-

Favour of the Emperor, he

to own the Deity of *Christ*.

His See till his Death in 374-

is, a Country of *Burgundy*,

Autunois, *Auxerrois*, and *Di-*

is; it has a particular Jurisdic-

tion own.

L. a T. in *Flanders*, noted for

the first Action of Prince *Mau-*

Nassau, who surpriz'd it from

Spain in 1586.

Blasius in 1435. being the

Admiral in the Sea Fight of

he took *Alphonfus V. K.* of

N. *John K.* of *Navarre*, and

other Princes Prisoners.

is, an Island of *Lincolnshire*,

by the Rivers *Trent* and *Idle*,

Dyke that communicates with

10 m. long, N. and S. and 5

E. and W. the middle rising,

tile, makes the Extremities

moorish; 'tis noted for a

ce of *Alabaster*.

ibes, an *Athenian* Lady, that

Plato, put on Men's Cloaths,

gave occasion of some Scandal

Philosopher.

is, only famous now for be-

ing Ruins of the Capital C. of

is; the remains of *Obelisks*, &c.

is old Grandure, being now

very thinly.

is, a C. of *Morocco* taken by

Portuguese in 1508. and being

by them in 1540. and when

is'd by the *Moors* in the night,

and Risted, and the Inhabi-

and Garison carried away to

is, and exchanged for *Chri-*

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Azazel, interpreted by St. *Jerome*,

the *Caper Emissarius*, or as some *Rab-*

bins, the Name of the Mountain

whether the *Scape-Goat* was sent.

Azek, a C. of *Judab*, formerly of

the *Amorites*, fortified by *Reboboam*;

near this were the 5 Kings that Be-

sieged *Gibeon* defeated.

Azem, a Kingdom of *India* beyond

Ganges, fruitful of Mines, of Silver,

Gold, Lead, Iron, &c. The capital

C. is *Kenemerous*: the King has no

Taxes, but lives on the Revenue of

his Mines, which he Works by

bought Slaves. *Mirgimola* the *Mo-*

gul's General, made the first Disco-

very of this Kingdom in 1663. 'Tis

one of the best Countries of *Asia*;

and Dogs-Flesh is one of their chief

Dainties, though they abound in all

sorts of Cattle, Fish, and Birds.

Azin-court, or rather *Agencourt*, a

Village of *Picardy*, noted for the Vi-

ctory of *Henry V.* of *England* over

the *French*, above 10000 of the last

being kill'd on the spot.

Azones, the Greek Title of those

Gods which were acknowledg'd by

all Nations, as the Sun, Moon, &c.

called by the *Latins*, *Dii Communes*.

Azores, about 9 Islands of the *At-*

lantick Ocean belonging to *Portugal*,

called, *Tercera*, *St. Chael*, *St. George*,

Disco, *Graciosa*, *Fayal*, *Conva*, *Flores*,

Rocky yet fruitful, first inhabited in

1449. The chief T. is *Augra*, a Bi-

shoprick under the Archbishoprick of

Lisbon.

Azorius, (*John*) a learned Jesuit

of the 16th Cent. born at *Louca* in

Spain, and wrote some Books.

Azagues, a People dispers'd about

Africa; they speak *Arabick*, and tho'

Mahometans, at Enmity with the rest

of that Faith. They pretend to

derive themselves from the *Christi-*

ans.

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B *Asl* or *Bel*, an Idol of the *Moa-bites* and *Phanicians*, and thought to be first of Idols, the word signifies *Lord* or *Mighty*.

Bal, King of *Tyre*, which Government he assum'd after the Destruction of that City by *Nebuchadonozor*.

Balqad, *Bagad*, or *Begad*, the *Syrian* Goddess of Fortune.

Bana, put to Death by *David* for the Murder of *Isboseth*.

Barrites, Heretical Followers of *Barnes*, that in the IXth Century reviv'd the *Manichean* Heresy.

Bavas, a luminous Plant on the *Syrian* Mountains, that shines in the Night like a Torch, from the bituminous Vapours that exhale thereabouts, and which suffocate any that go to pluck up the Plant.

Bashaz, a General of *Nadab*, King of *Israel*, whom he kill'd at the Siege of *Gibeah*, and assum'd his Throne.

Babrias or *Gabrias*, a Greek of uncertain time, writ *Afropoetia* in *Fambicks*.

Babylas, a Bishop of *Amioch* in the IIIrd Century, late 12 Years, suffer'd Martyrdom under *Decian*. An. 251.

Babylon, a City of *Egypt*, the *Nile*, and stood where *Cairo* does now. Here *St. Pet* said to have writ his first Epistle.

Babylon, once the Capital City of *Chaldea*, founded by *Nimrod* or *lus*, improv'd by *Ninus* and *Senus*, to be then the Wonder of the World for its Walls and pensile dens, the *Euphrates* run through the middle of this City, which join'd by a stupendious Bridge began to decay in the time of *Seleucida*, by the building of *Jadisa* near it, where now stands *dit*. It was (if we believe)

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bach, or *Bacbac* quasi *Bac-*
or Altar of *Bacchus*, from
lent Wines for which only
is; 'tis a small Town on the
the *Lower Palatinate*, 24 m.
est.

rel, (*James*) was Born at
, and eminent for Painting
bapes.

ides, a noble *Corimbian*, de-
cemselves from *Bacchus*, ex-
rintb, which their Govern-
200 Years had made emi-
Trade. For the *Corimbians*
the Imprecations of *Melissus*,
as they had tore to Pieces
urbanaia, when arriving in
they inhabited the Capes of
nd *Pelorus*.

ides, Leader of the *Syrian*
in *Judea*, to fix *Alcimus*
High-Priest's Chair; being
y *Judas* and *Jonathan Mac-*
made Peace with the *Jews*,
irnd no more with Arms to

ides, an Eminent *Greek*
Reem'd much by *Julian the*
from whom he learnt Cha-

lus, Bishop of *Corinth*, in
Century. He writ about
bration of *Easter*.

of *Bar-potomeo* a good Pain-
Born in 1469. at *Savignano*,
om *Florence*, was Disciple
o *Roselli*, and studied the
s of *Leonardo de Vinci*, turn-
nizican, he was persuaded
all his looser Pieces, and
more Modestly. He died in
1 Year of his Age, in 1517.

io, (*Peter James*) a Father
Dratry of *Rome*, who wrote
e of the Founder of that

ius, an expert *Gladiator*, in
e of *Augustus*, who over-
l but *Birbus*; but those two
equal, that neither could
ic.

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Bacchus, Son of *Jupiter* by *Semele*,
sow'd into his Father's Thigh, to
compleat the nine Months before his
Nativity; *Semele* being kill'd by
her Curiosity to enjoy *Jupiter* in all
his Majesty. Some will have *Bac-*
chus to be quasi *Bar-Chus*, the Son of
Chus, that is, that *Nimrod* and *Bac-*
chus are all one. They made him
the Inventer of Wine, a Conqueror
of *Asia*, as far as the *Indies*, &c.
the *Egyptians* call him *Osiris*, the
Latins, *Liber*.

Baccius or *Baccio*, (*Andrew*) Au-
thor of many Books, and a Learned
Physician of the XVIth Century.

Bacharins or *Bacchiarius*, either an
English or *Irish* Man of the Vth Cen-
tury, a Disciple of *St. Patrick*, and
a Man of Learning and Reputation,
Author of several things in Prose
and Verse.

Bachian, an *Asiatick* Island in the
Indian Sea, one of the *Moluccas*,
little, but fruitful. Its capital City
is of the same Name, in which is a
Castle belonging to the *Dutch*. The
Isle is subject to the King of *Machi-*
an, S. of which it is 20 m. It being
under the Line, the Climate is ex-
treamly hot and unwholesom.

Baciosary, the capital City of the
Crim or *Precopensian Tartary*, in the
middle of which, it stands on the
River *Nabarta*, and is noted for the
Residence of the *Cham*.

Backer, (*James*) Born at *Harlin-*
gen, a City of *Friezland*, an eminent
and expeditious Painter to the Life,
drawing and compleating a Picture
at full length in a Day.

Bacon, (*Sir Nicholas*) was Born at
Chiselmurst in *Kent*, though of *Nor-*
folk and *Suffolk* Family, great in
himself, greater in his Son: Having
been bred in *Bennet's College*,
Cambridge, he studied the Law, and
from Attorney of the Court of
Wards, advanc'd by Queen *Eliza-*
beth to be Lord Keeper of the Great
Seal of *England*, which Office he
discharg'd

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discharg'd 18 Years; he and *Cecil* marry'd two Sisters. Pomp he affected not, taking for his Motto, *Mediocritas firma*. He died in 1578. leaving two Sons, Sir *Nicholas* the first Baronet, and Sir *Francis*.

Bacon, (Sir *Francis*) younger Son of the former by the Lady *Ann Cook*, he was Born at *Tork-House* in the Strand, in 1560. went to *Trinity College* in *Cambridge* at 16. where his Progress in Study discover'd the Fallacy of *Aristotelian* Physicks; from Philosophy he advanc'd to Politicks, was Agent in *France*. He was made Lord Chancellor of *England*, by *James I.* by the Interest of the Duke of *Buckingham*, who also was the Cause of his Fall; after which he was reduc'd to extream want, his Friends growing weary of the Burthen, like the worthless Friends of great Men. He died at the Earl of *Arundel's* House at *Highgate*, in the 68th Year of his Age, and was buried near *St. Alban's*, the Title

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Bacon, (*Leona*) a Poetical *Cork-lie*, who was a converted Hugonot, and the only one of that kind that ever arriv'd to be Bishop. He died in 1685.

Bacquet, (*John*) a great Municipal and Civil Lawyer of *France*, of which he has wrote several Books.

Baldriz, a Country and City of the same Name in *Persia*, containing the Modern *Charazan*, and *Urbeck Tartary*, bounded by the River *Oxus*, now *Gehon*, the Territories of the Great *Mogul*, *Persia*, *Thibet*, and *Tartary*. The City is now call'd *Terment*, and almost in Ruins. The *Baldrizians* were reputed excellent Soldiers, more rough than the *Persians*. Their Wives none of the Chastest. *Zoroaster* was a *Baldrizian*, and the first Magician.

Bacu, a *Persian* Town, on the *Caspian* Sea, noted for a Spring near it of black Oyl, which they burn throughout *Persia*.

Bacon, a Village and Forest in *England*, famous for a Defeat of the

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Baden, a C. of *Swabia* in *Germany*, noted for its Baths, is 8 L. from *Spire*, and 5 from *Strasbourg*, on the *Rhine*, and a Marquisate; the Marquesses being Princes of the Empire. The present Prince *Lewis* of *Baden* is of the *Papish* Branch of this Family, besides which there is a *Protestant* Branch, and by the Treaty of *Munster* they Act alternately, having two Voices in the *Dyets*.

Baden, an ancient T. of *Switzerland*, on the R. *Limagne*, betwixt *Bale* and *Zurich*, and is the Capital of a County of the same Name. 'Tis free, and govern'd by its own Magistrates, tho' obliged to raise Men for the *Cantons*, on its own Coast: It has a greater and lesser Council, the first of twelve, the second of forty, in which the first are included; the chief of which is called *Mayor*. Here the *Cantons* meet on publick Business, as *Embassies*, &c. and here their *Biliff* resides, though without any Judicial Power. Here was the famous Conference of *Oecolampadius*, &c. Here the League of 1526, and that of 1690, for a *Naturality*.

Baden, a T. of *Austria*, subject to the Emp.

Badenweiler, a German C. in the Prov. of *Bavaria*, noted for its hot Baths.

Baderic, murder'd by his Brother *Hermesfray*, to engross those Possessions left betwixt them by their Father *Basil* E. of *Thuringia*.

Badet, (*Arnulpbus*) a French Dominican Author of several Books.

Badillon, or *Bidillon*, a French Nobleman, that murder'd *Childeric II.* of *France*, his Son, and Queen with Child, in Revenge of the cruel Whipping inflicted on him by that King.

Badius, (*Jodocus*) born near *Brussels* in 1462. He was a learned Man, and set up a Printing House in *Pons*, being the first that introduc'd the White Letter into . He printed al-

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most all the *Classicks*, with his own Notes; as also several more Modern Authors, as *Petrarch*, &c. He was Author of divers other things, both in Verse and Prose.

Badint, (*Conrade*) Son of the former, became a good Protestant, and writ the *Alcoran* of the *Cordeliers*. He was also a Printer, as well as Author.

Biert, or *Bertius*, (*Arnulpbus*) was born at *Brussels*, and became a great Lawyer, and being Counsellor of the Parliament of *Malines*, he left many Books of Civil Law.

Betica, one of the three Roman Divisions of *Spain*, the other two being *Terracomenfis* and *Lusitania*, taking its Name from the R. *Betis*, (now *Guadalquivir*) it comprehended the present *Andalusia*, and a considerable part of *Granada*, lost to the *Moors* in 1195, and regain'd by *Ferdinand V.* Its principal Cs. are *Corduba* and *Seville*.

Baeza, formerly *Betica*, a large C. and University in *Andalusia*, recovered with the rest of *Betica* by R. *Ferdinand*, in 1227.

Baffin, or *Baffin's Bay*, a Gulph lately discover'd by one *Baffin*, an Englishman, beyond the most Southerly parts of *America*.

Bagaia, *Bagy*, or *Vagai*, an African T. in *Numidia*, by *Justinian*, in honour of his Wife *Theodora*, nam'd *Theodoria*, remarkable for a Council held here by *Primianus* a Donatist Bp. of *Carthage*, in 394, against *Maximinian* a Deacon, excommunicated by him.

Bagamedri, an African Km. in the Higher *Aethiopia*, W. of the *Nile*, divided into 17 Pro. or Kms.

Bagaudes, a Gallic People, that headed by *Amandus* and *Elianus*, in the time of *Dioclesian*, revolted from the Romans; but were reduced by *Hercules Maximilianus*, as the Spanish *Bagaudes* were in 452, by *Frederic Theodoric's* Br.

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Bagdesh, (*Mahomet*) of the Xth Cent. an *Arabian* Mathematician, who either wrote or translated from *Euclid* several Books of *Geometry*.

Bagdet, or rather *Bagdat*, the ancient C. of *Seleucia*, on the *Tigris*, 38 m. from the Ruins of old *Babylon*, that stood on the R. *Euphrates*. The *Arabs* call it *Dual Sini*, the Place of Peace; and it is three m. in compass: the Walls have sixty Pieces of Cannon, and the Garrison of the Castle is 5000 *Turks*; it has five *Mosques*, ten *Carcerates*, several Market-Places arch'd from the Heat of the Sun. It's being supposed the dwelling of *Ali*, draws as many *Mahometans* as Trade. Here are several sorts of *Christians*, *Roman Catholics*, and others; many *Jews* inhabit here, more come to see the supposed adjacent Tomb of *Ezekiel*. The *Turks* took it from the *Persians* in 1628.

Bagdini, (*Alon*) a Noble *Perisian*, defended the Castle of *Hamigsha* in *Cyprus* (of which he was Governor) against the *Turks*, till they had lost

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Oechus, that he was in effect K. He profan'd the Temple of *Jerusalem*, nor suffer'd a Lamb to be there sacrificed without a Tax of 50 *Drachmas*. Whence returning to *Persia*, he first, by poisoning the King, set *Astas* on the Throne, whom suspecting he poison'd too; but *Darius Codomanus* cut him off, attempting the same against him. There was another of these *Persian Eunuchs*, that was so favour'd by *Alexander the Great*, that it drew a Scandal on their Familiarity; a Reflection on him to that purpose cost *Orsines*, a *Persian* Lord, his Life, the Eunuch basely striking him as he was beheaded.

Bagie, thought to be the *Sibyl Erythraea*, or *Herophyle*, was at least a Nymph that first interpreted *Oracles*, and taught the *Tuscans* to divine by Thunder.

Bagpines, being Governor of the Castle of *Babylon*, at *Alexander's* Entry received him with such Pomp and Magnificence of Presents, Silver Affairs (in along with the richest Performers

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ar, and part Merchants, but
id. It lks 100 L. S. of
in 13 Deg. S. Lat.

he Name of the most an-
tical Book of the *Jews*,
all the Cabalistical Myste-
printed. The Word signi-
Famous, or *Illustrious*. There
under this Title printed in
but not the old *Jewish*

or *Baharen*, a *Persian* C.
lph of *Persia*, facing *El-*
bour of *Arabia Felix*. Its
has one of the three Taxes.
Fishers in the adjacent Pearl-
in which are often 3000
Arabian K. and the K. of
ing two more, only *Arabians*

Castle in *Norway*, taken by
s, and to them confirm'd
ary of *Roskil*, in 1658. It
in Ill. made by the R *Trol-*
re is one of the five *Norway*
its of the same Name.

ie Name of an ancient *Ita-*
the Km. of *Naples*. It was
lepute among the ancient
it is now totally ruin'd.

I. Surnamed *Gilderin*, i. e.
r *Thunder*, came to the *Ori-*
e on the Death of his Fa-
ab in 1389, by the Death
er Brother *Jacob*, or *Jacob*,
troduced the strangling the
n the Death of the Reign-
His swift Conquests of

of *Asia* and *Europe*, gave
name of *Gilderin*: a League
Sigismund K. of *Hungary* gave
le stop, but surmounting
as forc'd to turn his Arms
against *Tamerlan* K. of the
vited to the Assistance of
Princes; who sure to pe-
it these two great Hunters
chose to fall reveng'd on
at first invaded them. In
of *Angeria* was the decisive
ch *Tamerlan* winning, took

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Bajazet, and put him in a Cage; in
Execution of *Bajazet's* Design against
him, making his own Mouth his own
Sentence.

Bajazet II. succeeded his Father
Mahomet II. in 1481, after a Dispute
with his Brother *Zizim*, on pretence
that *Bajazet* was born before *Maho-*
met came to the Throne; which Dif-
ficulty being overcome, he was not
past his Troubles. The frequent Re-
volt of the *Janisaries* had so far pro-
vok'd him, that had not some ve-
hemently dissuaded him, he had cut
them all off; some Places he won
from *Venice*, but in *Egypt* was still
beaten. And having now Reign'd 13
Y. he was forc'd to submit to a
powerful Faction, and surrender his
Son *Selim*, who is accused of having
him poyson'd.

Bajazet, one of the Sons of *Soly-*
man II. He was a Prince both Hand-
some, Learned, and Well-beloved;
but withal Ambitious, which occa-
sioned the Ruin of himself and four
Sons, An. 1559.

Bajeux, a C. and Bp's See, upon the
R. *Aure* in *Normandy*. It stands about
16 m. from *Caen*, and a L. and a half
from the *British* Sea.

Baif, a most learned Abbot of *Char-*
roux and *Grenetiere*. He liv'd in the
Reign of *Francis* I. and was mightily
esteem'd by him. He wrote several
Treatises, but his most celebrated
Piece was that *De re Vesliaria*, *de re*
Nauati, *dy de Vasculis*.

Bailiff, an Officer formerly of great
Repute, and brought hither from
Normandy.

Bailli, an Attorney's Widow in
Paris, who died An. 1514. She was
88 Ys. old, and had 288 Children
and Grand-Children living at the
same time.

Bailli, or *Baillif*, an eminent *French*
Physician, who lived about the Year
1580. He put forth several learned
Books, and became Physician in Or-
dinary to the King.

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Baillon, (*William*) a most celebrated *French* Physician, born *An.* 1538. He became so famous a Disputant in the Schools, that he was usually call'd *The Batchelor's Scourge*. He wrote several learned Treatises, but refus'd all Court Preferment.

Baily, (*John*) a Chaplain to *James I. K.* of Great Britain. He was a *Seaman*, and wrote *The Practice of Piety*, which hath been translated into most *European* Languages.

Baines, (*Ralph*) a learned Bp. of *Litchfield* and *Coventry* in *Queen Mary's* Reign. He wrote three Volumes on the *Proverbs*, and died *An.* 1560, but was before his Death deprived of his Bishoprick by *Queen Elizabeth*.

Bahune, a very large, rich and strong C. in the Prov. of *Gascoigne* in *France*. It is a Bp's Sec, and is seated upon the R. *Adour*, about six L. from the Confines of *Spain*. It is Memorable for an Interview *An.* 1555, between *K. Charles IX.* *Catho-*

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Baker, (*Sir Richard*) was born in *Oxfordshire*, and was a good Divine, as well as Historian; for beside his *Chronicle of the Kings of England*, He wrote an Exposition on the *Lord's Prayer*. He was High Sheriff of his County *An.* 1621.

Baker, an Island in the *Persian* Gulph, famous for the *Ballary* or *Pearls*.

Bakwell, a large T. in *Derbyshire*, which hath a good Market for *Lead*. It hath one Church, and seven Chapels.

Balaam, the Name of the Person sent by the *K. of the Moabites* to Curse the *Israelites*. He lived *A. M.* 2584. and was by some thought to be a Prophet, and by others a Magician.

Balacón, a great Lake near *Alba Regalis* in *Hungary*.

Balagata, an Asiatick Km. in the Peninsula of the *E. Indies*, on this side *Ganges*, in it is the T. of *Dolnabad*, a place of great Trade.

Balegnes, a T. in *Catalonia*, it stands

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a T. of *Arragon* in *Spain*, n. from *Saragossa*. It was taken from the *Moors* by *Pedro Arragon*.

Jerome) a learned Bp. of *aristia*: He liv'd in the of the *XVIth* Cent. and al valuable Treatises.

(*Clovis*) was chosen by Senate Joint Emperour us, *An.* 236. He was de- a Noble Family; was very gent, and one of the best Time. But the Soldiers Emperours elected by the mber'd both him and *Pur* they had reign'd a little

Lucius Cornelius) was born ar was the first Foreigner who nour to be a *Roman* Consul, arriv'd to in the Year of His Naturalization was dis- his Enemies, but *Pompey Tully* pleading for him, got l. There have been divers us Men of this Name.

, or *Baldric*, a Bp. of *U*, rebuilt the Cathedral of He died in 977, having his City 59 Years.

r *Baldo Bernardum*, a Learn- of *Guastalla*. He was born in Publish'd several Mathema- ises.

r *Baldus Baldus*, a famous rician, who Flourish'd about ing of the *XVII*. Cent. He ian to the Pope, and wrote able Books.

, a Learned Bp. of *Dol* in ho liv'd about the beginning lth. Cent. He assisted at se- cils, wrote the History of *Var* to the taking of *Jerusa-* adfrey of *Bouvillon*, and some atiles both in Prose and

, (*Peter*) a most eminent Ci- anon Lawyer. He died *An.* d-left several learned Treati- d him: He was Master to

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Pope Gregory XII.

Baldus (*James*) a good *German* La- tin Poet, and a Jesuit of the *XVIIth*. Cent.

Baldwin, or *Baudouin*, (*Francis*) a most famous Lawyer. He was born in the *Low Countries*, went afterwards to *France*, where he was highly esteemed by all Learned Men of his time, and at last became Councellor of State to K. *Henry III*. He died *An.* 1573, leav- ing behind him several of his own Works both in Law, History and Con- troversie.

Baldwin, (*Devonius*) an Abp. of *Can- terbury*, who was born at *Exeter*, and liv'd about the *XIIth* Cent. He was Learned, Pious and Charitable; but following K. *Richard I.* to the *Holy Land*, he there ended his days, having first Publish'd divers valuable Books.

There was also another learned En- glish Man of the same Name who liv'd in 1550, and wrote several good Tre- atises.

Baldwin. See *Bauldwin*.

Bale, (*John*) an English Divine, who became Bp. of *Ossory* and *Kilkenny* in *Ireland* in the reign of K. *Edward VI*.

There was also *Robert Bale* an emi- nent Lawyer in *London*, about the year 1460, who Publish'd several useful Books, particularly the Chronology of *London*, and the History of K. *Ed- ward III*.

Balesdens (*John*) a Member of the *French* Accademy after *Malleville*, greatly favour'd by Chancellor *Seguier*: He publish'd several Works that were none of his own, among which some were translated by him.

Baleares, are certain Islands over a- gainst the Km. of *Valentia* in the *Medi- terranean* Sea. They at present belong to the *Spaniards*, and are part of the Km. of *Arragon*. They were so called from the *Greek* word βάλλειν to throw or dart, at which their Inhabi- tants were very expert; but they are now known by the Names of *Majorca* and *Minorca*.

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Baleus, a most couragious K. of *Assyria*. He liv'd *An. Mun.* 2111. and obtain'd so many Victories in the *Indies*, that he got himself the Sir-name of *Xerxes*, which signifies a Conqueror.

Bali, an Island on the Coast of *Java* in the *E. Indies*. It is very fruitful, and so Populous, that it is thought to contain 600000 Souls, altho' it be not above 40 Leagues in compass. Its Inhabitants are gross Idolaters, and Trade but little with other Nations.

Baliol, (*John*) was crown'd K. of *Scotland*, about the year. 1292, which was not till almost Seven Years after the Death of his Predecessor K. *Alexander*; for he dying without Issue, a mighty Controversie arose about the Succession, several of the great Men of that Km. contending for it, as descended from the younger Brother of *William* K. of *Scots*, and Uncle to the late *Alexander*: but the Two Principal Competitors as nearest in Blood were the said *John Baliol* then Lord of *Galloway* and *Robert Bruce*. The Factions of these two increasing and terrible

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marched into *Scotland*, and the overthrown *Baliol* forc'd him to render both himself and Km. to disposal. The Captive King was after sent to *England*, where he was confined, till the Pope by his Intercession, and he by his Promise had gag'd not to make any further violence in *Scotland*. *Baliol* being liberty went to *France*, where he continued all the rest of his days, his *Edward* remaining in *England* a Hostage.

Baliol, (*Edward*) Son of the aforementioned *John Baliol*, was by the Remains of his Father's Faction, the assistance of the *English* and *Edward* III. proclaim'd K. of *Scots* Anno 1332. But this was not without a great deal of Bloodshed for most of this Km. favouring the Son of *Robert Bruce*, who succeeded the said *John Baliol*, with a great Army, with which they met against K. *Edward* III. at *Baldwin Hill* overthrown and defeated. After this *Baliol* re-

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Rebellion; was at last taken
ed.

c, (*John Baptist*) a learned
who liv'd about the be-
the XVIth Century, and
Description of his own

Joseph) was one of the best
rines and Philosophers of
He liv'd about the begin-
e XVIIth Cent. and was a
Barri.

s, a T. of the Province of
Ireland. It was fortified
Rebellion, but forc'd to
at Discretion, after a few

arry, a strong Castle in
y of Cavan in Ireland. It
n'd by the Irish in the late
but taken by *Wolsey* after
istance.

u, a private Soldier, but
Alexander the Great to be
in *Phœnicia*.

u, (*James*) one of the
rous Cheats that ever was
He took upon him the
the Baron of *St. Angel*;
g cheated the K. of *France*,
England, the Marquiss of
nd several others of the
lity; he was at last dis-
nd taken, and being con-
was hang'd at *Paris*, Anno

rather *Balzac*, a learned
, but particularly remark-
his Eloquence; for which
ighly esteem'd by Cardinal
who frequently honour'd
h his Letters. He was
Noble and Ancient Family
inez, who took the Name
, from a spot of Ground,
, in *Angoulême* in *France*.
te several Books, and died

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m, (*Theodore*) a Patriarch of
who was counted the most
Man of his time. He liv'd

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about the latter end of the XIIIth
Cent. and set forth several Treatises,
which were highly valued.

Balthasar, succeeded his Father
Evilmerodach in the Km. of the *Chal-
dees* and *Babylon*, A. M. 3495. He
was the *Nericassilasser* of the *Astro-
nomick Canon*, the *Neriglossar* of
Prophane Authors, the *Nabander* of
the *Babylonians*, and the Grandson
of the Great *Nabuchodonozor*. His Sub-
jects at last rise against him, put
him to Death, and plac'd *Darius*
the *Mede* upon the Throne in his
stead. The Prophet *Daniel* was also
call'd by this Name: As was likewise
one of the three Kings, who were
guided by a Star, and came to wor-
ship our Saviour in his Infancy at
Bethlehem.

Balthasar, (*Gerrard*) was born at
Villafra, a small T. in *Burgundy*, and
was that Barbarous Villain, who with
a Pistol, shot through the Heart *Wil-
liam I.* Prince of *Orange*. This Mur-
der was committed on the tenth of
July 1584, as the Prince was passing
through his Hall from Dinner. The
Assassin being seiz'd, was forth-
with put to the Torture; but would
make no other Confession, than that
he had been Divinely Inspir'd to
perpetrate that execrable Fact, as
the Jesuit *Strada* reports, who was
a bitter Enemy to that Prince, and
a great Friend to the *Spaniards*.
However, others say, That he con-
fess'd at the Place of Execution that
he had been promis'd a Martyr's
Crown in Heaven, and that in hopes
thereof he would have done the same
thing, although he had had 50000
Men about him, and himself no hopes
of escaping.

Balthazar, (*Christopher*) a *French*-
Protestant Convert, who became such
on account of reading Ecclesiastical
Histories, to which he apply'd him-
self extreamly. This Person was a
good Author both in *Latin* and his
own Language, of which he has left
several Pieces.

Balrick

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Baltick, the Ancient's *Sinus Codanus*, is the Name of a Sea, which is by some call'd the Northern *Mediterranean*, for that it hath no Communication with the Ocean, but by a narrow Strait, call'd the *Sound*, which parts *Gotland* from *Furland*; from the last it bends to the S. E. as far as the Island of *Zealand*, where it is contain'd to so narrow a breadth, as that the Castles of *Elfseneur* and *Elfsenbourg* command the Passage; thence it runs S. and washeth the Dukedom of *Mecklenbourg* and *Pomerania*, as far as *Danzick*; thence it turns N. again and washeth *Goeland* and *Livonia*, as far as *Nügen*, where it is divided into two great Bays, one of which is call'd the Bay of *Finland*, which divides *Finland* from *Livonia*, and in this Bay lies *Narva* the Capital of *Livonia*, heretofore the Store-House of the N; from hence it runs to the N. as far as *Whalar*, where it turns again and runs S. W. as far as the Isles of *Aland*; and here begins the second branch of the *Baltick* call'd the *Bel-*

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Bamberg, a C. of the Circle *Franconia*, in *Germany*, it stands the R. *Rednitz* about 32 M. *Nuremberg*, and is under the Jurisdiction of its own Bp. The ant C. of *Prague* in *Bohemia* is belonging to this Bishoprick, as Electors of *Saxony*, *Brandenbourg*, *Bavaria* hold other considerable of it; and these all exercise Offices by Deputy when the Bp. is augurated.

There is another small T. of Name in the Km. of *Bohemia*.

Bambycians, are People that near the R. *Tygris*, who perceive Debaucheries and wickedness of Gold, Silver, and other sorts of Metals occasion'd amongst their Neighbours, bury all they can meet with they likewise should be corrupted by the same Vices.

Bampton, (*John*) an *English* I who liv'd about the Middle of the XIVth Cent. He was a Carmelite accounted one of the best Scholars of his time.


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Ny, a Market and Burrough-
the County of *Oxford*. This
remarkable for the Defeat
of it to *Edward IV.* by the
Warwick; as also for being
d by King *Charles I.* in the
Wars, and enduring two
before it Surrender'd. It
Title of Earl to the Family
Howles, and sends one Mem-
Parliament.

N, an Island and Town, near
Isle of *Sumatra* in the *East-*

N, a Learned *Englishman*,
about the latter end of the
century. He wrote several

N, a valiant *Scotch* General,
about the latter end of the
century, in the Reign of King
James VII. He was renown'd
victories over the *Danes*,
famous Highlands, but sul-
by plotting with *Macbeth*
Prince; after which *Mac-*
ing jealous of him, caus'd
put to Death.

N, a strong Fort in the King-
iam. It defends the Passage
river, and is of great use. 
an Island in the *East-Indies*,
inhabitants commonly live
s. It lies in the *Sonde*, is
3, and 2 m. broad, and is
place that produces Nut-
gether with the little Isles
i, *Nera*, *Lauter*, *Puloway*,
and *Bessingen*, which belong
d are also full of Nutmeg-
hich are at all times loaden
soms, and with green and

N in ancient Military Order
ut now extinct, and thought
ceeded by the Knights of

N, a Town against the Isle
n the *East-Indies*. It is by
d *Gomrom*, and is the best
in the *Persian* Gulph. The

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English and *Dutch* have their sever-
al Factories here, and all Ships that
come out of the *Indies* for *Turky*,
Persia, and most part of *Europe* put
in there. Its Air is so hot, that
Foreigners cannot bear it but from
December to *March*, nor the Natives
but to *April*.

Bando, a Kingdom and Town,
which is subject to the *Great Mogul*
in the *East-Indies*.

Bandouliers, or *Miquelets*, are
Robbers, which ramble about the
Pyreanean Mountains.

Bangius, (*Thomas*) a Learned Di-
vine, and Author of several Books.
He died in 1661.

Bangor, a City and Bp's See in the
County of *Carnarvan* in *North-Wales*.
It is also the Name of a Town in
Flintshire in *North-Wales*, fam'd for an
ancient Monastery, which was thought
by some to be the first in the World,
and had at one time 2000 Monks,
who liv'd by their Labour.

Banians, an Idolatrous Sect in the
East-Indies, who are frequently made
use of by the *English* and *Dutch* for
Interpreters and Factors. They say
that there is a God, who made
Heaven and Earth: but they wor-
ship the Devil, saying, That he was
made to Rule the World, and Tor-
ment Mankind. They Trade in all
things but living Creatures, which
they will not meddle with, lest they
Barter away their Friend's Soul;
for they hold a *Metempsychosis*. They
have among them a famous Tree,
call'd the *Banyan's Tree*, which alone
resembles a little Wood; for out of
its great Branches come divers little
ones, which grow downwards, un-
til they reach the Ground, where
they also took Root; and this way
of growing supports the Master-
Arms, which are in length 300
Paces, having these Props every 15
Yards.

Bann, an ancient Name of the
Governors of Provinces, that were
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subject to the Kingdom of *Hungary*, as *Dalmatia*, *Servia*, and *Croatia*.

Bannerets, an honorary Name, given anciently in *France* to one that could out of his own Tenants raise a Troop of Horse, and maintain them at his own Charge. This Title was at first Personal, but descended afterwards to him that inherited the Estate.

Banner, (*John*) a most valiant and experienced *Swedish* General, who overthrew the *Saxons* in two Battels, and took several strong Places in *Silesia*. He also defeated the Imperialists at *Vistoe*, *Chemnitz*, and near *Prague*. He died *Anno* 1641.

Bannockburn, a small *Scotch* Town, within 2 m. of *Sterling*, but memorable for a great Defeat given to 10000 *English*, by 30000 *Scots*, commanded by *Robert Bruce*. The *English* were under that unfortunate Prince, *Edward II*.

Ban, or *baner*, a very Learned

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Bantry, a Sea-Port belonging to the Province of *Munster* in *Ireland*. Its Bay is memorable for a Sea-fight between a Squadron of *French* of War, and a Squadron of *English* commanded by Admiral *Herbert*. This Fight happen'd on *May*, 1689. and although the *French* the Weather-gage, and were superior in number, yet the *English*, after an Engagement of several Hours had not one Ship lost, nor so many Men kill'd as the *French*.

Barza, the Capital City of Kingdom of *Congo* in *Africa*.

Bar, (*Henry II*.) Count of *Bavaria* Prince of most refin'd Parts, and extraordinary Courage. He won the *Holy Land*, where he was mortally wounded at the Battel of *Cyprus* *An.* 1239.

Bar-le-duc, the chief City of Dukedom of *Bar*. Its lower Town is very handsomely built and adorned with several magnificent Structures.

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and he defeated *Sifer*, about
rs afterwards.

cbias, the Father of *Zacharias*
phet; most of the Learned
ts differ about the Person of
trachias, as who he was, and
Son *Zacharias* was, that was
Death between the Temple
e Altar. But our Moderns
the Opinion of St. *Jerome*,
lds, That the *Zacharias* in dis-
vas the same Prophet, whom
Isaiah commanded to be kill'd,
at his Father *Jehoiada* might
no Names, as was very usual
the *Jewish* Nation; or that
me *Barachias*, which signifies,
fled of the Lord, might be a
ous Title.

mpour, the capital City of the
om of *Candis*, in the *East*.
It is a Town of great Trade,
longs to the *Mogul*.

aranes, (*Redemptus*) a Learned
of the XVIIth Century, who
ne of the first that accepted
Aristotle's Philosophy. He
thor of several Works.

brum, a very deep Gulph,
i the ancient Greeks us'd to
ir Delinquents. It is in *Ar*-
Province of *Acbaia* in *Greece*,
ow fill'd up.

arcon, (*Marie d'*) the most
Daughter of *Michael* Lord
on; for being belieg'd in her
of *Benegon* in *Berry*, she most
ously repuls'd the Assailants;
ng at last compell'd to yield,
for her brave Defence, both
fle and Estaterestor'd to her
King of *France*.

adoes, is one of the most
rable of the *Caribbe* Isles in
Indies, and one of the best
ions which the *English* have
part of the World. This
was discovered by Sir *William*
in the Reign of K. *James I.*
s then wholly desolate. The
soon after Planted it, but

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were driven at first to great Extre-
mities, for that Ships came very sel-
dom thither from *England*: How-
ever, the Planters having about the
year 1627. rais'd some Tobacco, In-
dico, Cotton-Wool, and Fustick-
Wood, and after that falling into
the Sugar-Trade, its Reputation and
Wealth encreas'd. And this Colo-
ny, which for a long time subsisted
by the Curtesie or Negligence of the
Spaniards, grew so strong and nume-
rous, that all their after Attempts
prov'd fruitless. They had their
Sugar-Canes from *Brazil*, and they
make some of their Sugars as good
as those of that Country. It lies in
13 deg. 20 min. Northern Latit. so
that the Days and Nights are almost
of an equal length, all the year, the
Sun rising and setting at 6, or in less
than half an hour before or after all
the year round. It is about 8 L. in
length, and 5 in breadth, and In-
habited by 5000 *English*, besides
Negroes, who are almost double the
number. This Island is not well
water'd with Rivers, or fresh Springs,
yet lying low, they are supplied with
Pools, Ponds, and Cisterns. It is
Hot, but Cool'd by the Breezes of
Wind which rise with the Sun, and
blow fresher as the Sun gets higher.
These Breezes blow chiefly from the
E. with a Point or two to the N. un-
less in the Months of *July*, *August*,
September, and *October*, in which the
Weather is excessive Hot, and Hur-
ricanes very often happen. This
Island is also very fruitful, and en-
joys a perpetual Spring; and besides
its Sugar, which is planted from *Ju*-
ly to *November*, it exports Cotton,
Rum, Ginger, and Molasses. Here
are likewise several very curious
Plants, as the Sensitive Plant, the
Humble Plant, and the Dumb Cane.
They have a Governor, a Council,
and an Assembly, the two first are
appointed from *England*, but the
last are elected by its Inhabitants,

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who are govern'd by our *English* Laws for the most part, though they are likewise subject to some particular Laws, which are made by the Governor, Council, and Assembly.

Barbary, is a very large Country in the Western part of *Africa*, and is in length from the *Atlantick* Sea to *Egypt*, 600 German L. It is bounded on the N. by the *Mediterranean* Sea, on the E. by *Egypt*, on the W. by the *Atlantick* Ocean, and on the S. by the *Atlantick* Mountains. In the time of the *Roman* Empire this vast Tract of Ground, was divided into several Provinces, viz. *Mauritania Tingitana*, *Casariensis* & *Sittensis*, *Numidia*, *Africa Propria*, *Byzarena*, *Tripolitania*, *Marmarica* & *Cyrenia*. It is now divided into 5 Parts, viz. *Barca*, *Tunis*, *Tremesen*, *Fez*, and *Dara*, of which the 4 last are Kingdoms, and the first a Prov. The Country was before the time of the *Romans*, subject to *Cyrene*, and the great King of *Mauritania* and

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whereof some of the chiefest have 200 Ducats a day.

Barberini, a very ancient and noble *Italian* Family, of which, have been several Cardinals, and one Pope, viz. *Urban VIII.* This Family took its Name from *Barberino*, a small T. in *Tuscany*.

Barbarossa, a Famous Pirate, who being call'd in by the *Algerines* to assist them against the *Spaniards*, strangl'd their Prince, and caus'd himself to be Proclaim'd their K. after which he subdu'd the Kingdom of *Tunis*, but was at last surpriz'd and kill'd by the *Spanish* Garrison of *Oran*. He was born at *Mitylene*, a T. in the Island of *Lesbos* in the *Egean* Sea. His Death happened in Ann. 1518. He was succeeded in the Kingdom of *Algiers* by his Brother *Barbarossa II.* who in a little time reduced *Constantine*, the Capital City of a Province of the same Name. He afterwards became Admiral in the *Turkish* Navy, & was in 11

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There was also another of the same Name and Nation, who was an eminent Lawyer, and left behind divers useful Treatises. This last had a Son, call'd *Austin Barbosa*, who became Bishop of *Eugenia*. He was learn'd in the Civil and Canon Law, and publish'd several excellent Books.

There was moreover, one *Peter Barbosa*, a Portuguese, and a famous Lawyer. He flourish'd at the latter end of the 16th Cent. and wrote some learned Treatises.

Barca, a large Prov. between *Egypt* and *Tripolis* in *Barbary*. It lies in the *Mediterranean*, and takes its Name from the little *C. of Barca*, near which, but more Easterly stood the City of *Cyrene*, which was so famous in the flourishing times of the Ancient *Romans*; and about this *C.* the Country is indifferent fruitful, but for the most part, it is dry, rocky and barren. In it is a Desert of the same Name, which is 1300 m. long, and 200 broad, and hath neither Corn nor Water: It is under the Empire of the *Turks*. The *Arabians* between this Province and *Egypt* being extream poor, are very troublesome to Travellers.

Barca was also the Name of the Son of *Belus K. of Tyros*, and was the Founder of the Antient Family of the *Barca's*, from whence the Renowned *Hannibal* descended.

Barcelon, the Name of the Prime Minister of State in the Kingdom of *Spain*.

Barcappara, a learned *Rabbi*, who in the 3d Cent. wrote an Explanation on the *Jewish Mishna*.

Barcelona, the Capital *C. of Catalonia*, a Prov. of *Spain*: It is a Bishops See, and was thought to be built by *Amilcar Barca*, a *Carthaginian* General. This *C.* is situated on a Plain by the Sea-side; and is large, strong, and rich. It was recovered from the *Saracens* by *Lewis the K. of France*, Ann. 1042, which K. honour-

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ed the Governors with the Title of Counts. There have been three Councils held here in the years 540, 603, and 1064. This Place hath been several times Besieg'd and taken by the *French*, but the most remarkable Siege of all, was, Ann. 1697. when it most obstinately sustain'd for several Weeks, a Siege carried on by a powerful *French* Army, under the Duke of *Vendosme*, who at last forc'd it to Capitulate, but it was soon after restor'd by the Treaty of *Reswick*.

Barcelor, a *C.* belonging to the *Dutch*, upon the Coasts of *Malabar* in the *E. Indies*.

Barchochebas, a Notorious *Jewish* Impostor, who getting together a Crew of credulous Miscreants, Rebel'd against the Emperor *Adrian*, Ann. 130. He call'd himself the *Star of Jacob*, saying withal, That he was the Man appointed to deliver his Nation from the *Romish* Yoke, for that his Name signified *Sun of the Star*. But the *Romans* laying hold of this opportunity, killed 580000 of that Nation.

Barclay, (*William*) an Eminent Lawyer, and Descended from a very good *Scotch* Family. The Civil Wars forcing him to leave his own Country. He went to *Lorrain*, where he arriv'd to be Law-Professor in the University of *Pont-a-Moussin*, and Councillor of State to the Duke; after which, he became first Royal-Professor to the University of *Angiers*. He set forth some excellent Treatises, and died, Ann. 1609.

Barclay (*John*) His Son, was also one of great Learning, and wrote several valuable Books, particularly his *Satyricon Euphormionis*, his *Argenis*, and his *Icon Animorum*. He liv'd the latter part of his time at *Rome*, where he was held in great Esteem by *Urban VIII.* *Paul V.* and *Gregory XV.* He died, Ann. 1621.

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There was moreover, *Robert Barclay* of the same Nation, and a Man of extraordinary Parts and Learning. He became a Quaker, but notwithstanding which, he was accounted as great a Man as any of his time. He publish'd several Books in Defence of his Opinion; one of which, call'd his *Apology for the true Christian Divinity*, he Dedicated to K. Charles II. He died in *Scotland*, Ann. 1690.

Barlaam, was about the beginning of the 9th Cent. Competitor with *Nicephorus* for the Empire of the E. but *Nicephorus* getting himself Crown'd, thrust him into a Monastery, and put out his Eyes.

Barlas, a *Patrician*, and declar'd *Cesar* by *Michael III.* Eastern Emp. He debauch'd the said Emperor, and counsell'd him to banish his Mother. He was Murder'd by the Emp. his Nephew's Order, in 865.

Barlas, a General under the Emp. *Zimistra*, who having got great Re-

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taken by the Elector of *Brandenburgh*, but restor'd in 1679.

Bardus I. a King of the Ancient *Gauls*, who loving Musick and Poetry, allow'd a Salary to several of that Profession who were afterwards call'd *Bardes*. He liv'd, Ann. Mund. 2140.

Barentz, (*William*) a Dutch Sea Captain, fam'd for his being concern'd in the Discovery of the *North Passage*.

Bareyt, a small rich T. in *Francia*, remarkable for the Residence of the Princes of *Brandenbourg*.

Bergates, the Name of the Person who admitted the Conspirators to kill the *Magus Sneider* K. of *Persia*.

Bargioras, (*John*) the Courageous Jew, who defended *Jerusalem* when invested by *Vitus*.

Barlshire, an English Inland County, which with *Wiltshire* makes up the Diocels of *Salisbury*. It bordereth upon *Wiltshire* on the W. upon

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There was also one *Robert Barland*, as of the same Country, andemporary with the former. He Man of curious Learning and Parts, and publish'd divers Books.

Bari, an Italian Sea-Port, foraccounted one of the 4 Keys. It lies upon the *Adriatick*, belongs to the Kingdom of Na-

Barletta, (*Gabriel*) a famous Preacher of the 15th Century, Sermons were Printed at Venice 1471.

Barlow, (*William*) a learned Bishop of Exeter. He flourish'd towards the end of the 15th Cent. and with a Book of Cosmography, and other good Treatises.

Barlow, (*Thomas*) Bishop of Lincoln Charles II's time. He was a learned Man, and Professor of Divinity in Oxford. He was Author of several Works.

Barabas, (*Joseph*) an early Convert to Christianity: He Sold all that he had, which was considerable, and gave it to the Apostles. Some affirm'd that he Planted the first at Milan, and that the Letter to the Hebrews was wrote by him.

'Tis said he suffer'd Martyrdom in the Isle of Cyprus, Ann. 61.

Barabites, so call'd from their Devotion for the aforementioned *Barabas*. They were an Order of regular Canons of St. Paul, and a great many Learned Men amongst them.

Barabissa, a large *Aethiopian* Kingdom, populous. It lies between the Red-Sea and the Nile, and pays yearly Tribute of a 1000 Ounces of Gold to the Grand Signior.

Baron, (*Robert*) Henry VIIIth's Chamberlain, and employ'd by him in several Ambassies. At length, being disgrac'd, he was burnt for abusing his Office, Bishop of Winchester. He wrote two Books, whereof one was a History of the Popes.

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There was nother *John Barnes*, an English Monk, who was sent to Rome for Heresie, and died in the *Hospedale di Pazzi*, (Fools). He was also an Author.

Barnet, a Market-T. in *Hertfordshire*, famous for its Mineral Waters, and remarkable for a great Battel fought there, Anno 1471. between the Houses of York and Lancaster, wherein the latter was routed.

Barneveldts, (*John*) a very famous Dutchman, who most zealously assert-ed the Liberty of his Country, to which he did great Service about the beginning of the 17th Century. He contrived the freeing of the 3 Cautionary Towns from the Hands of the English, An. 1609. Neither was he less esteem'd abroad than at home, being highly valued by Queen Elizabeth, and by Henry IV. King of France. He was always oppos'd by Maurice, Prince of Orange, especially in the difference between Arminius and Gomarus, the two Chiefs of the Remonstrant and Contra-remonstrant Parties: The Prince took part with the latter, who would not allow the former any Toleration. This occasion'd the Synod of Dort, An. 1618. in which the Arminians were condemn'd. This great Man having run through most of the chief Employments of the State, was Imprison'd, Condemn'd, and Beheaded, in the 72d Year of his Age, for endeavouring to bring his Country again under the Spanish Yoke; one of his Sons was also condemn'd for plotting Prince Maurice's Death.

Baroche, a Town in the East-Indies, where the English have a Factory. It stands in the Kingdom of Cambaya, under the Great Mogul. Its River hath a peculiar Virtue of making Cloth very white.

Baron, is an English Title of Nobility, next to the Degree of a Viscount, who have Places in the House

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House of Lords. They are for the most part created by Letters-Patents, which began first in the Person of *John Beauchamp of Holt*, who was by Letter-Patents, made Baron of *Kidderminster*, in the 4th of *Richard II.* We have also Barons by Tenure, who sit in the House of Lords, and they are Bishops. The Title was formerly very honourable in *France*, *Germany*, and *Scotland*, especially in the last, where it was the only Title of Honour, but now laid aside, and only retain'd by the Knights of their Shires. Barons of the Exchequer were so called, for that they were anciently taken out of the Barons of the Kingdom, or out of the Parliamentary Barons, who were such as were call'd to the Parliament by Writ. There were in former times several others stil'd Barons, as Gentlemen of great Estates, Burgeses of large Cities, and Members of the Cinque Ports, which last still retain the Name.

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Barrow, (Isaac) was born in *London*, *Ann.* 1630. brought up in *Cambridge*, where he became a great proficient in all sorts of Learning, especially in Divinity. He was first made *Greek* Professor of his own University, then *Geometry* Lecturer at *Gresham College*, afterwards *Mathematick* Professor of *Cambridge*; and at last *K. Charles II.* prefer'd him to the Mastership of *Trinity College* in *Cambridge*, saying withal, That he gave it to the best Scholar in *England*. He wrote several valuable Books both in Divinity and *Mathematicks*.

Barry, an Island in the County of *Glamorgan*, fam'd for a Cliff, where you may hear all manner of Noises belonging to a Smith.

Barbarians, or *Semidulites*, the Name of Hereticks which sprung up in the 6th Century.

Barthez, (William du) a *Frenchman*, who was born about the middle of the 15th Cent. and became an excellent Poet, and a brave Soldier.

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Bartholomew, of *Brescia* in *Italy*, lived in the XIIIth Cent. and was counted the learnedst Man of that Time. One of his most eminent Works, is, *the Chronology of the Towns of Italy*.

Bartholomew Albici, of *Pisa* in *Italy*, a *Franciscan*, but blasphemous Friar, who lived in the XIVth Cent. He raised *St. Francis* above all other Founders of Monastick Orders, and impudently pretended to prove, that he did as great Miracles as *J. C.*

Bartholus, born in the Pope's Dominions, liv'd in the XIVth Cent. and was one of the most learned Lawyers of his time. Besides his Law-Books, he wrote one *de Gulphis & Gibelinis*.

Baron, (*Eliz.*) call'd *the Holy Maid of Kent*, was noted for her religious Imposture in *Henry VIIIth*'s time. She had been a long time troubled with Convulsions, which her Curate afterwards improv'd to a pious Cheat, by deceiving the World with her pretended Miracles. Her opposing the King's Divorce, brought the whole Cheat to light; for, being apprehended by the King's Order, she confess'd the Imposture, and declar'd all her Accomplices, who were hanged with her, and their Heads set over the Gates of the City. *Fisher Bishop of Rochester*, was as Accessory, condemn'd (with others) to Confiscation of Goods, and perpetual Imprisonment, as guilty of a *Premunire*.

Barales, certain Hereticks who held that the Son of God had not a real Body; and that Mens Souls were all created before the World.

Barwick, a Market, Sea-Port, and a large Town of *Northumberland*, on the Borders of *Scotland*, seat'd on the North side of the *Tweed*, hence call'd *Barwick upon Tweed*; in which it has a fair Stone Bridge. This is one of the strongest Holds in *England*, formerly belonging to the *Scotts*, from whom it was taken last

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by *Sir Tho. Stanley* in *Edw. II's* Reign. 'Tis a County of it self, and was erected into a Dukedom by King *James II*, An. 1686. in the Person of *James Fitz-James* his Natural Son. This Town sends two Burgesses to Parliament. The present Members are *Sam. Ogle*, Esq; *Jonathan Hutchinson*, Esq;

Basti (*Matthew de*) the Founder of the *Capuchins* Order. He was an *Italian*, born in the Dutchy of *Spoleto*, and liv'd in the XVIth Cent. In 1525 he withdrew into a Solitude, where he had a great many Followers; and three years after, this Congregation was approv'd by Pope *Clement XIV*.

Basil, an ancient and famous City of *Switzerland*, and the Head of one of the Protestant Cantons. It stands on both sides of the *Rhine*, with a good Bridge over it, and is a rich, fair, great and populous Town, bordering upon *Alsacia* and *Swabia*, in the Upper-Germany. The Streets are large and fair, and the Town-House a sumptuous Building. Here are to be seen very curious Paintings in the ancient Cloyster of the *Dominicans*. 'Tis noted also for being an University, which was founded in 1459, and had several famous Professors in it, as *Erasmus*, *Amerbach*, *Buxtorf*, *Baughin*, and many others. The Library here is the best in all *Switzerland*, and has a fine Collection of Medals, with many curious Manuscripts of Latin Fathers, and Latin Translations of the Greek, well methodiz'd, in a noble Room. Most of these old Books were preserv'd here at the Reformation; and 'tis said the Council of *Basil* brought many hither, which were never carry'd away. 'Twas in the XIVth Cen. this City joyn'd it self to the other Cantons, and made up the 9th. Here *Oecolampadius* in 1522 promoted the Reformation; so that seven years after they embrac'd *Calvin's* Doctrine, and drove their Bish-

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op away. The Images and other Church-Ornaments, were publickly burnt, and the Reformation accomplish'd without any great Tumult, chiefly by the prudent Management of their Consul *James Meyer*. Since the Bishops Expulsion from this Place upon the Reformation, the nominal Bishop (being a Prince of the Empire) resides at *Poventru*. By the Treaty of *Munster* in 1648, this City is exempted from the Decrees of the Empire, is to enjoy a perfect Liberty, and no Fort to be built on the *Rhine* between it and *Philipsburg*. Yet, without any regard to the said Treaty, the present *French King* built the Fort of *Hunninghen* within Cannon-shot of the Town. Lastly, here was held that Famous Council in the *XVth* Cen. which determin'd the Council to be above the Pope.

Basilica, a Greek Word originally signifying *Royal*: Which Name was first given to those spacious Halls, in which Kings sat in Person to receive their Subjects Justice. These

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Basilides, Bishop of *Astorga* in Spain, who liv'd in the *IIIrd* Cen. He was said to be one of those, who during the Persecution, did publickly deny our Saviour, to be protected by the Judges.

Basilides, the Heresiarch of *Alexandria*, disciple of *Simon Magus*, liv'd in the *IIrd* Cen. He imagin'd a ridiculous Progeny of Gods, from whom he said Angels proceeded, who created each a Heaven, in all 366, to answer the Number of Days in the Year. According to his extravagant Scheme of Divinity, the Angels of the last created the Earth and its Inhabitants, whose Prince (said he) was the God of the *Jews*, who design'd an Universal Monarchy. To prevent which, the Father sent his Son in the Shape of a Man; but instead of him the *Jews* put to death *Simon the Cyrenian*. He therefore said Men ought not to believe in *J. C.* crucify'd, but in him who appear'd, yet was not really nail'd to the Cross. He allow'd of all carnal Lust and Marriages.

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f the Emperor *Basiliscus's* *Arbo* perswaded his Father to gainst the Tyrant, and was reason made *Cesar* by *Zeno*.

Father being afterwards put h for Treachery, this *Basiliscus*duc'd to be a Reader in our Church of *Blachernis*. 'Tis at some time after he was made hop of *Cyzicum* in the *Helle-*

us I. Emperor of the *Greeks*, ed the *Macedonian*, reigned in Cen. From a private Gentle- was associated to the Empire *bael* III. called the *Drinker*, d afterwards a Design upon e, of which he took care to the Execution. Being crow- peror in 867, his first Care procure the Repose of the

He deposed the Patriarch to put *Ignatius* in his place ; or'd him again, and was very rith the Popes who refused it him into their Communion. ar he began in the East, was on with good Success. He *mesata*, and his Fleet recover'd Towns in *Sicily* from the *Sa-* 'Twas by his Care the *Ruffi-* *uscervites* embraced the *Chri-* ith. He reigned about 19

us II. call'd the *Young*, Empe- the East, with his Brother *ine Porphyrogenetes*, succeeded *misens* in 975. He was Son *us the Young*, and *Theophania*, ing a Widow, married *Nico-* *bocas*. His Arms prov'd suc- in *Italy*, where he took *Barri*, and that part of *Apuleia* and s, which *Zimisens* had given perour *Orbo* for the Portion of prefs *Theophania* his Daughter. *garians*, who were the most ous Enemies to the Empire, he subdu'd, and gave a total O- w to the Inhabitants of *Trip-*

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li and *Damascus*. He dy'd suddenly in 1025, and left his Crown to his Brother.

Basilus, the Name of several Czars of *Muscovy*. The first who assum'd it, was *Woldimer*, Son of *Stellaus*, who embrac'd the Christian Faith in 988. The second Czar of this Name, was Son to *Demetrius* III. and liv'd about the Year 1400. He left *George* III. Father to *Basilus* III. who left a Son *John Basilowitz*, to whom *Basilus* IV. succeeded in 1505, much esteemed for his Wisdom, Courage, and several Victories he had gain'd over the *Tartars*. In 1606, another *Basilus*, surnamed *Suiski*, ascended the Throne after *Demetrius* had been murdered by Rebels. But being rivalled by another *Demetrius*, who was backt by the *Poles*, his Army was defeated, himself dethron'd, in 1610. and shut up in the Fort of *Goffin*, where he ended his Life miserably.

Basilus, Patriarch of *Antioch*, liv'd in the Vth Cen. and was much celebrated for his Piety, Prudence, and Zeal for the Orthodox Faith, which he defended against the Enemies of the Council of *Chalcedon*.

Basilus the Great, Bishop of *Cæsarea* in *Cappadocia*, was Brother to *Peter* Bishop of *Sebastia*, to *Gregory* of *Nyssa*, and to *Macrina*, all three famous for Holiness of Life. At *Athens*, where he went to improve his Learning, he besame very intimate with St. *Gregory Nazianzen*. In 362, he visited the Monks of *Egypt*, *Syria* and *Palestine*, and then withdrew himself into the Desert of *Pontus*, where he writ the *Rules of a Monastick Life*. In 370, after the Death of *Eusebius*, he was chosen Bishop of *Cæsarea*, but much against his Will. Being persecuted by the *Arians* and other Hereticks, he opposed them all with great Courage ; and being accused of befriending *Eustathius* an *Arian* Bishop, he plainly

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plainly prov'd it Calumny, by writing against his Errors. He also writ against *Apollinaris*; and the great Industry he us'd to unire the Faithful, made him to be look'd upon as the Peace-maker of all the Christian Churches. He was the Founder of the most ancient of all Religious Orders, which flourish'd much in the East, where there is scarce any Order but what does observe his Rule.

Basilus, Bishop of *Ancyra*, liv'd in the IVth Cen. and was supposed by *St. Jerom* to be an *Arabian*. He was a good Scholar, and a laborious Man. When the *Arians* divided themselves into Pure-Arians and Semi-Arians, he set up for chief of these, jointly with *George of Laodicea*. He gained much Credit in the Emperour *Constantinus's* Court, had a hand in the third Confession of Faith made at *Sirmion*, and made his part good in the Council of *Selsucia* in 359. But his Party grew weak at last, and himself being accused of divers

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posed a Church-History in three Books, and made sixteen others against *Jahn* of *Scythopolis*, but now lost.

Basilus, a Physician, who lived in the XIth and XIIth Cen. Having put on a Fryar's Habit, he went about to teach the Errors of the *Bergonites*, broach'd by himself; for which, after the space of 50 Years, he was burnt about 1118.

Basilus (*John* of *Padua*) a Lawyer and Cosmographer, liv'd in the XIIIth Cen. and writ divers Books, one particularly of the Illustrious Families of *Padua*.

Basina, Wife to *Basinus* King of *Thuringia*, who fell so deeply in love with *Childerick* King of *France*, who fled thither in 459, that she left her Husband, and followed him. *Childeric* marry'd her, and got Issue by her *Clouis I.*

Basques, the Countrey of *Basquet*, or the French *Biscay*, is counted part of *Gascogne*, and lies between the Spanish *Navarre*, *Bearn*, the *Lander*, and

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Basse, a Scotch Island in the River *Forth*, and the County of *Fife*, eight Miles South of the Isle of *May*. 'Tis on every side a steep and inaccessible Rock, except on the South-West; and there only accessible one by one, with the help of a Cable or Crane. It rises to a great Height in a Conical Form. Being of small Circuit, and at a great Distance from the Shore on each side, 'tis not capable of receiving or doing much hurt. Here is Grass but for twenty Sheep, a small Warren with Rabbits, and a Fountain of very clear fresh Water. About April or May great Numbers of *Seland* Geese flock hither, somewhat less than common Geese, but very fat, and tasting much like Herrings, on which they feed. They have a long Neck like a Crane, and a sharp Bill as long as ones middle Finger, with which they strike thro' a Fish with such violence, that if there happens to be a Plank under it, they can't pull their Beak out again. And they are often taken by fastning a Herring to a Board on purpose. This Bird is of an Ash-Colour, except the Old ones, that are White. Their Feathers are made use of for filling of Beds, the Sticks of their Nests for Fuel. They lay but one Egg, and that but once a Year; and if their Egg be remov'd from its Place, no Man can make it lie there again. When they flock hither, care is taken not to disturb 'em all they have built their Nests, and then no Noise can fright 'em. This Island has a Fort mounted with some Cannon, which makes it impregnable. And 'twas with the Help of some Prisoners within that 'twas surprized upon the Revolution by some of King *James's* party.

Basse, a Town in *Flanders*, on the frontiers of *Artois*, five Leagues from *Lille*, and watered by the *Duile*; often taken and re-taken in the last

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Age; but left at last to the French by the Peace of *Aix la Chapelle* in 1668.

Bassentin (*James*) a Scot, much esteemed in the last Age. He composed several Tracts of Mathematics, one particularly, about the Use of the *Astrolabe*, and another of the Sphere.

Bassi (*Angelo*) an Italian, and one of the learnedst Men of the XVth Cen. He was of *Monte Pulciano*, Lat. *Mons. Politianus*, a little Town of *Tuscany*, whence he had the Name of *Politian*. A Man much esteemed for his Wit, and great Skill in the Greek and Latin Tongues, which he taught twelve years at *Florence*; where, being a Priest, he got a Canonicate, and was made Tutor to *Cosmus* of *Medici's* Children. Then he composed his Famous Greek and Latin Epistles, writ those witty Verses, for which *Paulus Jovius* call'd him the Divine Poet, and made his admirable Translation of *Herodian*. But *Medici's* Disgrace, which had an Influence over all the Learned in *Florence*, broke *Bassi's* Heart, who died not above 40 Years of Age, in 1594.

Bassianus Landus, an eminent Physician of *Piacenza* in Italy. He liv'd in the XVIth Cen. and writ several considerable Pieces, as, *De Humanâ Historiâ*, *de Incremento*, *Introlugiâ*, &c.

Bassolis (*John*) a Franciscan, supposed by some to be a Disciple of *Scotus*. He lived in the XVth Cen. and writ several Books, as, *Commentaria seu Lectura in quatuor Libros Sententiarum*, *Miscellanea Philosophica*, & *Medica*, &c.

Bassompierre (*Francis*) was born in 1579 of a Noble Family in *Lorraine*. After several of his Warlike Exploits, the French King made him Knight of his own Order, and Marechal of France, in 1621, and sent him Ambassador Extraordinary to *Philip III.* of *Spain*. He was afterwards employ'd in

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in *Switzerland* by King *Lewis XIII.* At the Siege of *Roche*, the Attack of the Pass of *Susa*; and on all other Occasions he gave great Proofs both of his Valour and Conduct: Yet he was seized in 1631, and clapt in the *Bastile*, where he continu'd till the Death of Cardinal *Richelieu*; During which Imprisonment, he compos'd his Memoirs and his Remarks upon the History of *Lewis XIII.* written by *Duplax*; with the Relation of his Embassies, and his Conduct in those Negotiations. Being set at liberty, the King restor'd him to his Place of Colonel of the *Swissers*. He died of an Apoplexy in 1646.

Bassora, an *Arabian* City, 15 Miles from the *Persian* Gulph, and under the *Turkish* Empire. 'Tis one *English* Mile and half in Circuit, all the Buildings of the Castle and Walls being of Brick dried in the Sun. It drives a great Trade with *Ormus* for Spice and Drugs, carrying thither Rice and Dates of its own Growth. Here is also store of Wheat and

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we ought not to hope for true religion in *J. C.*

Basse (*George*) was a General of the Imperialists, in the beginning of the last Cen. Who in 1601, defeated the rebellious *Transylvanians*, made himself Master of *Glaus*, and forced the Rebels at last to Recourse to the Emperour's mercy.

Bastia, the chief Place of the *Isle of Corsica*, belonging to the *Genoese*. 'Tis 64 Miles South of *L*, and has a strong Fort and convenient Haven.

Bastile, a Royal Castle, built by *Charles V.* for the Defence of *Paris* against the *English*. The fortress consists of eight great Towers, with apartments between every one. Here all Prisoners of State are kept.

Bastingius (*Jeremy*) Professor of Divinity at *Leyden*, in the *XVI.* He was born at *Calais* in 1554, thence sent by his Parents to *G* at *Bremen*, whence he went to *G*

him to celebrate his Victory
but receiving a total Over-
Banock-bourn, *Baſton* being
oblig'd for his Ransom
the Victory of the *Scots*.
a Player on the Flute, no-
being the first that used
Apparel on the Stage.
the Antients called lascivi-
ffeminate Men *Batales*.

, an antient and famous
of the Low-Countries, who
part of *South-Holland*, part
eland, and part of *Utrecht*.
ay we call the *Dutch* in La-
e Name of *Batavi*.

s, a famous Town of the
ous in *Asia*, belonging to
nders, and the Capital Seat
eir Acquisitions in those
It lies 15 Leagues East of
in a large and fruitful Plain.
Town of a large Compass,
y populous, a great many
Nations living in it, pay-
a certain Tax for liberty
e. The Streets are long,
d even, with fine Canals
with great Trees always
nd affording a Shade all the

Assistance. The King attack'd 'em
about the latter end of 1618, and
they defended themselves till *March*
next ensuing, when they were re-
lieved by their General *Kaen*, at his
Return from the *Molucco* Islands, by
whom *Jucatra* was both taken and
ruined, and *Batavia* built upon its
Ruines.

Batavia, a River in the Southern
Lands near the Sea; first discover'd
by the *Hollanders*. 'Tis in that Coun-
try particularly called *Carpentaria*.

Batchelour, a Name formerly gi-
ven to Men above Esquires, but not
able to raise a Company of *Gen-
darmes*, and therefore serv'd under
Bannerets, being allowed Colours
of their own, and to conduct their
Vassals. They were commonly
young Gentlemen, who by their
Valour endeavoured to get the Ti-
tle of Batchelours; and having sig-
naliz'd themselves the first Cham-
pagne, receiv'd the Military Belt,
or guilt Spurs. Now all Men that
never were married go by this Name.
In the Universities, 'tis also given
to Students that take the first Degree.

Baten (*Henry*) was Doctor and

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East parts of *Somersetshire*, about 90 Miles West and by South from *London*. It lies in a Valley surrounded with steep Hills, and water'd by the River *Avon*; and is called *Bath* from its hot and medicinal Baths, much resorted unto for the Cure of some Distempers. The City but little, having but one Parish-Church, besides the Cathedral, but graced with fair Houses. 'Tis also a place of good Antiquity, witness the many *Roman* Inscriptions and Images frequently found in its Walls. The Bishop's See of *Wills* was transferr'd hither *An.* 1088; it being agreed by the Canons of *Wills* and Monks of *Bath*, that the Bishop should be denominated from both Places, and Precedency given to *Bath* in the Stile; that in the Vacancy of the See, a certain number of Delegates from both Churches should elect their Prelate, and when elected, he should be install'd in both; that both should be reckoned as the Bi-

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Person of *John Granville*, the Title being now devolved to his Grandson.

Bathcomb (William), an English Mathematician, who lived in the Reign of *Hen. V.* He was an *Oxonian*, and writ several Books in *Latin* about the *Astrolabe* and the *Sphere*.

Bathcol, so the Jews call one of their Oracles, which is so often mentioned in their *Talmud*. Their Rabbies say, that after the Death of *Haggai*, *Zachariah*, and *Malachi*, the Spirit of Prophecy withdrew from *Israel*; but that they had *Bathcol*, which is to say, the Daughter of that Voice: And this they endeavour to confirm by several Stories.

Bathon, a Valley of *Macedon* in *Greece*, where the Antients thought the Giants fought against the Gods. To represent which Fight, 'tis said they used formerly to sacrifice there, with an Imitation of Lightning, Thunder and Thunderbolts.

Bathori, a noble Family of *Tran-*

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ere he and *Pylades* contriv'd of Dance, representing us Gestures all Tragick, and Satyrick Subjects. The was the place where such comedies were acted, and that were Actors but *Pantomimes*, who excelled in Tragedy, so as in Comical and Satyricks; which made them themselves.

a *Roman* Poet, who pretends the Author of the *Di-
up* by *Virgil* in the *Night*
ate of *Augustus's* Palace.
ing made of the Author
Aschylus assumed the Ho-
to himself, but did not
it. For *Virgil* having
same place this Beginning
Sic vos non vobis, and the
singing to have 'em come
one could perform it but
ich he did in that *Penta-*
known. Thus the right
the Distich was found
Aschylus met with the Con-
deserv'd, and became a

a Town of the Isle of
he *East-Indies*, and Capital
Eastern Kingdom in that
red from that of *Colombo*
ountains. It belongs to
ers, as doth *Chilao*, and
er Places in the Kingdom
to the *Portuguese*.

St.) the Wife of *Clouis II.*
ance, was descended of
Princes of *England*, and
Princesses of great Virtue,
and Piety. She was car-
to *France* in her Youth
, who sold her to the May-
alace; and he bestow'd
his Wife, who became
aken with her, as did all
er, and the King parti-
ho took her to Wife. By
had three Sons, viz. *Clo-*

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taire III, *Childeric II*, and *Thierry I*.
She outlived *Clouis*, and governed
the Kingdom with great Wisdom
during the Minority of her eldest
Son. She was canoniz'd by Pope
Nicholas I.

Batis, an Eunuch, Governor of
Gaza. Which being taken after a
very resolute Defence, and he him-
self extremely wounded, he was tied
to a Chariot, and dragged about the
Streets, for refusing to humble him-
self before *Alexander*.

Battel, a Market-Town in *Suffex*,
6 Miles from the Channel called
Battel, from that signal Fight Oct. 14,
1066, which wrested the Crown
from *Harold*, to set it upon the Head
of *William* the Conqueror; who
in perpetual Remembrance thereof,
built near this place an Abbey cal-
led *Battel-Abbey*.

Batterbee, a small place on the Ri-
ver *Ware*, 2 Miles South of *Durham*.
Noted for certain Stones, from
whose sides at low Water in Sum-
mer, issues a salt reddish Water,
which turning white by the Sun,
and growing into a thick Substance,
is used instead of Salt by the neigh-
bouring People.

Batto, a *Tartarian* Prince, lived in
the XIIIth Century. He over-ran
Muscovy, *Poland*, and *Silesia*, and by
the help of Magick overcame Duke
Henry at *Lignitz*, in a bloody *Battel*.
Whereupon he sent home, as a Mo-
nument of his Victory, nine great
Sacks filled with the Ears of those
he had slain.

Battus, a *Lacedemonian*, Founder
of *Cyrene* in *Africk*. He had such a
flammering Tongue that the *Greek*
Word *βατταειζεν* took its Original
from him. *Batti Silphium* is prover-
bially taken for any new Gift or Ho-
nour.

Battus, a Poetaster, who often re-
peated the same Words out of sea-
son. Hence the Word *Battology*.

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Battus, a Shepherd of *Peloponessus* in *Greece*, who (according to the Fable) was by *Mercury* changed into a Touch-stone. Having stole some Cows, and hid them in a Wood hard by, none was aware of it but *Battus*, from whom *Mercury* got a Promise not to reveal it. But being distrustful of him, he disguised himself, and dissembling his Voice, offer'd a couple of Cows to him that could direct him where his Cattle had stray'd. *Battus*, being covetous, imbrac'd the Proffer. *Mercury*, to punish his Perfidiousness, turn'd him into a Touch-stone, which has this Quality, that no Metal can touch it without being discovered. Which shews a cunning Dissembler in *Mercury*, and in *Battus* one apt to be corrupted by the least likelihood of Gain.

Batuccos, a People of *Leon* in *Spain*, dwelling in the Mountains, and thought to be an Offspring of the *Goths*.

Barvis, a Town of *Hainaut* in the

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pital of which is *Amberg*. Landgraviate of *Leuchtenberg*, of *Pfzeint* is the chief Place, this House in 1556, upon the of *Maximilian*, last Landgra *Leuchtenberg*. Antiently *Bavaria* the Title of a Kingdom, which from the Vth Cen. to the begi of the IXth, but then it reach far as the Borders of *Hungary* *Bohemia*. The same House that is, has furnished *Germany* with Emperors, Sweden, Denmark and way with Kings. *Frederick V*, Palatine of the *Rhine* being privied of his Electorate in the Electoral Dignity was gi *Maximilian*, Count Palatine Duke of *Bavaria*, and his an eighth Electorate being c for *Charles Lodowick* Son to th *Frederick*. This House of *B* is generally agreed to be desc from *Otho I*, called the Count of *Schiren* and *Witte* invested with this Dukedo 1180, by the Emperor *Frederic*

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phiz'd into Trees. The
which Fable is this, that
Justice and Beneficence are very
pleasing to God, rewarded here
in this World, and hereafter in the

(Michael) a French Gentle-
man in *Louis XIII's* Reign, who
the Author of several Books.

is, a British Queen. Who
was censured against the *Romans*
Pride and Avarice, cut off
her Head and their Associates;
at last overcome by *Succo-*
poisoned.

(Dominicus) a learned Law-
yer and Professor of Rhetoric at
He was born at *Lisle* in *Flan-*
der 1561. Where the Persecu-

tioned by the Duke of *Alva*
Parents withdraw into *Aix*
la Chapelle, in which place he began
his Studies; which he afterwards
continued at *Leyden*, and *Geneva*, and
became Doctor of Law in 1585.
After he came over with
the Ambassadors of the States to *Q.*
He was much esteemed by
Charles I. in *England*. After-
wards he went back to the *Hague*,
and then into *France*, where he
became Counsellor of the Par-
liament of *Paris*. From whence he
came into *England* with the
Marquis of Salisbury, first President of that
Court, being sent over Em-
bassador by King *Henry IV.*
He returned to *Leyden*,
and died in 1613. His Works
are *de civili Sapiencia*, *Commen-*
tae Ferrare, *De Inducis Belli Bel-*

la, a small Town of *Anjou* in
France, seated on the *Couventin*. For-
merly the Seat of a Presidial Court,
moved 3 Leagues off to *La*
Roche *Charles VIII.*, when
King of *France*, obtained a vic-
tory over the *English*, com-
manded by the Duke of *Gloucester*,

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who was killed in the Fight. This
happened *An. 1420.*

Bauge, the Title of an Illustrious
Family that governed the Province
of *Bresse* 400 years.

Baugenci, a French Town on the
Loire, between *Orleans* and *Bhis*.
The Town is pleasant, and has a
good Bridge upon the River; the
Country about it very fertile in
Corn and Wine, and having abun-
dantly of Game. The *English* under
the Earl of *Salisbury*, made them-
selves Masters of this Town in
1428, but quitted it the next Year
at the Approach of the *French*. Here
two Councils were held, one in
1104, the other in 1152.

Baubin (Jasper) a Physician that
lived in the XVth and XVIth Cen-
turies was a Native of *Basle* in *Switzer-*
land. He writ divers Works of
Physick and Anatomy.

Baubin (John) of *Amicus*, one of
the ablest Physicians of his time,
and well skilled in Surgery. Ha-
ving pass'd some years in *France*,
England, and *Flanders*, he went to
Basle, where he practised Physick
and Surgery 40 Years with great
applause, and died there in 1582.
He left two Sons, both Heirs of his
great Parts and Skill; one named
John, who composed the *Prodromus*
Theatri Botanici, and several other
Books of Physick.

Baviere (John William) of *Stras-*
burg in *Germany*, was an excellent
Painter: Who left a great many
fine Pieces at *Strasburg*, *Rome*, *Na-*
ples, and *Vienna*, at which last place
he died in 1640.

Bavius, a Latin Poetaster, who li-
ved about 40 Years before our Sa-
viour's Birth. By pretending to
imitate *Virgil*, he made himself the
more ridiculous. 'Tis he whom
Virgil doth so much ridicule in his
Eclogues.

Baudwin I Emperor of *Constantino-*

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ple, was Son of *Bauldwin* the courageous Count of *Flanders* and *Hainaut*, and of *Margaret* of *Alsace*. He joined with the *French* in the *Croisade* *An.* 1200, and 4 years after made himself Master of *Constantinople*, being soon after that chosen Emperor thereof. In 1205 he besieged *Adrianople*, but was fain to raise the Siege, to meet the *Bulgarians* coming to its Relief. Being taken in an Ambuscade, he was sent Prisoner to *Trinobis*, the chief place of *Bulgaria*, and there was put to death in *July* 1206. After whose Death there rose an Impostor in *Flanders*, pretending to be *Baldwin*, who was much followed by the credulous People. But *Jane*, Countess of *Flanders*, and Daughter to the Prince deceased, got him apprehended and executed at *Lisle*.

Bauldwin II. Emperor of *Constantinople*, was Son to *Peter Courtenay*, by his second Wife *Yoland* of *Hainaut*, Sister to *Baldwin* I. He succeeded his Brother *Robert* and mar-

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upon his Decease *Dec.* 25, 1100. The very next Year he took *Antipatris*, *Cesarea*, and *Azotus*, and killed 5000 *Saracens* at *Ascalon*. After a Siege of 20 Months, with the Succour of 70 *Genouese* Ships, he took *Acre* in 1104. Some other Advantages he had over the *Saracens*, upon which he died without Issue in 1118.

Bauldwin II, his Brother, succeeded next, who *August* 14, 1120, killed 14000 *Saracens*, that had defeated 9000 of *Roger* of *Antioch's* Army. He was made Prisoner the Year after, and died in 1131.

Bauldwin III, Son of *Fauques* of *Ajus*, was crowned King of *Jerusalem* in 1143. Two Years after the Christians lost *Edessa*, and their Affairs declined apace in the Holy Land. To redress them, *Conrad* the Emperor, *Lewis* VIIIth King of *France*, and several other Princes took the Cross in 1146, at *St. Bernard's* Solicitation, but to little purpose. In 1153, *Bauldwin* took *Ascalon*, and several Towns on the *Sea-Coast*, and

of *Paderborn* in *Germany*,
about the Year 1418, and
Universal History, which
led on to the same Year.

a Town of the *Franche*
Burgundy, 4 Leagues from

Near which is a place
all the Country for an Ice-
the Entrance of which is
Paces large, and the Des-
thence 300 to the Door
Grotto, which is very wide
The Cave 60 Paces wide
dark. On the sides of it,
from the Vault, there
great pieces of Ice; and
also much Ice upon a small
in this Cave: Which in
frozen in Summer, and
in the least in Winter.
Temper of its Air the
people about it forestel the
of Weather. If they find
'tis with them a Sign of
either; if foggy, of Rain or
winter.

a remarkable Cave in the
of *Regenstein* in the *Lower*
The Entrance of which
round and narrow, that few

are also Bodies of Men of an ordi-
nary size, said to have gone so far
into this Cave as not to find the
way out again.

Baume, as *Baulme*. Also the Name
of divers Lands, and many noble
Families of *Daupiné*, *Bresse*, *Burgun-*
dy, &c. Among which there are
three more antient and illustrious
than the rest, viz. *Baume sur Cordon*,
Baume Meurville, and *Baume Salsé*.

Baumgarten, (*Joran*) a Lawyer
of *Nuremberg* in *Germany*, who took
part with the Protestants. He had
the Character of an honest, good,
obliging Man, and was a particu-
lar Friend to *Luther* and *Melancthon*.
He died in 1563, much bemoaned
by all *Nuremberg*.

Bautre, a small Town in the West-
Riding of *Yorkshire*, near *Notting-*
hamsire. Noted for its great Trade
of Mill-stones and Grind-stones,
which are thence sent to *Hall*.

Bautru (*William*) Count of *Sarrans*,
a publick Minister, and fine Wit of
the XVIIth Cen. He was admitted
of the *French Academy* upon its
Foundation, and was very famous
for Repartees.

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Castle, the Soil of it abounding in Vines, Olive-trees, &c. The Territories of *Baux*, called *Baussequet*, have formerly been called a Principality or County; and accordingly the Lords of the Family of *Baux* have always taken the Title of Prince or Count.

Bayæ, an antient Town, now ruined, in the Kingdom of *Naples* in *Italy*, near the Gulph of *Pouzzol*, formerly called *Bajanus Sinus*: Over which the Emperor *Caligula* made a Bridge of Boats 2 Leagues long; longer than *Xerxes's* Bridge by which he joined *Europe* and *Asia*.

Baynard, (*Ralph*) a valiant Norman, who came over with *Will* the Conqueror, and was for his Conduct and Courage in the Battle against *Harold*, rewarded with 85 fair Lordships. 'Tis by this *Baynard* that *Baynard's* Castle in *London* was built, the first Nobleman's House built after the Conquest on the Banks of the *Thames*. He died in the Reign of *K Will. Rufus*. and was succeed-

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to *Henry* Earl of *Manchester*. *Sir Robert* had six Brothers which *Giles* and *Edward* were two eldest. *Giles* had Issue 1 who died without Issue: And had Issue *Edw.* who had Issue Doctor of Physick, and Fellow the College of Physicians, *La* who had only one Daughter *Ann*, whose Memory deserves to be perpetuated for her Prudence, Piety and Learning, without Vanity or Affectation. She was a reserved and stoick Disposition, seldom seen to smile, her Virtues few, well chosen, and expressed. The *Stoicks* Doctrine seeming agreeable to her natural Temper, she never read or spake of 'er with some Delight and Pleasure in her Countenance. As she had great Contempt of the World, especially of the Finery and Curiosity of Life, so she had a great Respect and Veneration for the Sacred Word of God, whose Honour and Praise she made it the whole Business

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Art and Nature. In 1489, it then in possession of it, it 7 Months against near *eniards*, and at last was on most honourable Terms. (*Brancas*) an *Italian*, who un- with *Salento* (by the Duke of Command) to kill the Prince ge, and the Duke of *Bra-* 1582. They were both *Brazo* owned his Crime, and himself in Prison. His Bo- dragged to the Gallows, he was hanged and quar-

Barbarica, a vast Tract a Land between *Egypt* and *Africa*. Also an *Indian* of *Guzarate*, upon the Coast *Asia*; which belongs to the is ever since 1534. 'Tis a *Bar*, with a good Citadel, and lately Churches.

Bar, a *Scythian* Province, no- its Inhabitants Magnificence, its Parks well stock'd with *Ants*, and surrounded with and Towers for Huntsmen to it. 'Twas in one of these ant *Alexander* the Great had came to kill a great Lyon, was coming towards him.

Bar, an antient City of *Guienne* is, on the River *Burue*. The about it is woody and un- . The Bishop hereof is Suf- n the Archbishop of *Auchs*.

Bar (*Yabu*) born at *Blois* in 1538, his and Antient Family, was 'd by the Court of *France* in to work the Election of the *Angou*, in which he proved fail. He died in 1592, his *Bar* being Deputy General Protestants at Court.

Bar, a *French* Province at the of the *Pyrenees*, of which *Pau* chief City. Here are two Rivers, one called *Gave*, the other called *Gave d'Oleron*, nei-

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ther of 'em navigable, but very plentiful of Fish. Amongst its high Mountains, that of *Ofan* is remark- able, with her three distinct Heads: The Country is pretty fertile, but the Industry and Labour of its In- habitants do much contribute to it. It yields particularly abundance of Salt, and mineral Waters. As for its Cattle, it feeds most on the Mountains. *Beau*, for several hun- dred Years was under the Go- vernment of its natural Princes. It fell to the House of *Montade*, and afterwards to that of *Abret*, whence *Henry IV* descended, who united that Country to the King- dom of *France*. The Protestant Re- ligious was established here in 1560, and continued so, till Popery was restored in 1620, when the Exercise of the Reformed Religion was only permitted. But now 'tis totally routed, since the present King revo- ked the Edict of *Nantes*.

Beatrice, Wife to the Emperor *Frederick I.* to whom she married in 1156. History tells us, that she had one day the Curiosity to go to *Mi- lan*, to see that famous City. The People whereof, incensed at the loss of their antient Liberty, laid violent Hands on her, put her upon an Ass, her Face turned to the Tail, which they put in her hand instead of a Bridle, and in this manner led her about the City. Which violent Usage was so highly resented by the Emperor, that he besieged them in 1163, took and razed their City to the Ground, the Churches only excepted. To which some add, that such as were taken had no way to save their Lives, but by pulling with their Teeth a Fig which was put into an Asses Fundament. Hence the *Italian* Proverb, when shewing a Finger between two others, they say in Derision, *See the Fig*.

Beatrice of Provençe, Queen of *Na- ples*

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plex, Sicily, &c. She was married in 1145 to *Charles of France*, Son to *K. Lewis VIII*; whom she stirred up to the Conquest of *Naples* and *Sicily*, which was the Cause of endless Wars and Evils. She died in 1267 at *Noterra*.

Beatus, a Spanish Priest, who lived about the end of the VIIIth Cen. He writ with *Heterius* Bishop of *Orma*, against *Elipand* Archbishop of *Toledo*, a Book intitled *De Adoptione Christi Filii Dei*.

Beatus (Rhenanus) a German Author, born at *Schlestadt* in *Alsatia*, in 1585. He composed a History of *Germany*, and left Commentaries upon *Tertullian*, *Pliny*, *Liwy*, *Paterculus*, *Tacitus*, and others. He died in 1547 at *Strasburg*.

Beaucaire, a Town of *Languedoc* in *France*, on the West-side of the *Rhine*. Renowned for the yearly Fair held there at the Feast of *St. Mary Magdalen*. During the Civil Wars of *France*, it was several times taken and re-taken by the *Hugonors*

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terwards beheaded by the who accused him and others government.

Beauchamp (Richard) Earl of *wick* was born in *Worcester* 1381, and lived in the several of *Richard II*, and *Hen. IV*, *VI*. He was scarce 22 Ye in the 5th of *Hen. IV*, w challenged and justed with mers at the Queen's Corro He routed *Owen Glendower*, th Rebel, and overcame the tw ties at *Shrewsbury* in a pitch'd In the Holy Land he had kille talian Prince who had cha him, had not some interpos France he signaliz'd himself i tles. At the Council of Ca where he appeared with a B of 800 Horsemen, he was e ged by a German Duke, wh killed in the Presence of the ror *Sigismund* and his Empres ing sent by *K. Hen. V*, with Men at Arms to fetch *Q. Cat* sole Daughters to the *K of*

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1445; 1. Title expired with his Life two Years after.

Beauchamp, a Place near *Calais* in *Picardy*, whence the D. of *Somerſet* takes part of his Title.

Beauchair (*Charles*) the preſent D. of *St. Albans*, is a Natural Son of *K. Charles II.* by *Eleanor Gwyn*. He was created Baron of *Haddington*, and E. of *Burford* in 1676, and D. of *St. Albans* in 1684.

Beaudeau (*Charles*) Son to *John Beaudeau*, Treafurer-General of the extraordinary Expences of the War, was Secretary of State to *Lewis XIII.* He was a Man who valued Honour more than Riches, and who hardly enter'd his Eſtate during 50 Years he was in great Employments, in which ſo many others enrich themſelves.

Beaufort, the Name of two French Towns, one in *Anjou*, the other in *Champagne*, both giving the Title of Duke. The firſt conferred by *K. Charles II.* upon *Henry Somerſet*, Marquis of *Worceſter*; whoſe Family derives its Pedigree from *Geoffrey Plantagenet*, E. of *Anjou*. The other beſtow'd by *Hen. IV.* of *France*, upon *Isabelle D'Eſtre*, hence called Dutcheſs of *Beaufort*. From whom it ſprung to the Houſe of *Vendôme*, which Houſe was *Francis D. of York*, who loſt his Life in *Candia* 669.

Beaufort, (*Margaret*) Counteſs of *Wend* and *Darby*, great Grandmother to *Edw. III.* and Mother to *Edw. VII.* was born in *Bedfordſhire*. ſince ſhe was for the Recovery of the *Holy Land*, as to ſay, the *Chriſtian Princes* would ſend an Army for it, ſhe would be ſoundreſs. She founded *Chriſt's College* in *Cambridge*, and in the beginning of the reign of *H. VIII.* her Grandchild.

Beaumont, one of the moſt ancient and Illuſtrious Families in

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Beaujeu, a Town of *Beaujolois* France, 30 Miles N. of *Lyons*. alſo the Name of a Family deſcended from *Beraud* Lord of *Beaujeu* who lived in the Xth Cen.

Beaujolois, a ſmall Country in *France* between the *Saone* and *Loyre*, the chief Place whereof *Ville-franche*. 'Tis fertile enough in Corn, Wines, Hemp, &c. and is a Barony.

Beaulieu (*Auguſtin de*) commonly called the General *Beaulieu*, was born at *Roan* in *Normandy*, and proved a great Navigator. His firſt Voyage was to the *Negroes* Country in 1612. The ſecond and third to the *East-Indies*. Afterwards he ſerved the *K.* in the *Iſle of Rebe*, and in taking the *Iſles* of *St. Margaret* and *St. Honorat* upon the Coaſt of *Provence*. At *Thoulon* he died of a Fever in 1637.

Beaulieu. (*Geoffrey de*) a *Dominican*, who was 20 Years Preacher and Confeſſor to *St. Lewis*, whoſe Life he writ in ſeveral Letters.

Beaumanoir, a moſt conſiderable Family in the Province of *Maine*.

Beaumaris, the chief Town of *Angleſey* in *North-Wales*. It has a Port on the Channel of *Menay*, and ſends one Burgeſs to Parliament. The preſent Burgeſs is *Robert Bulkely*, Eſq; 'Tis 184 m. from *London*.

Beaumont, the Name of five Towns in *France*; two in *Normandy*, one in *le Maine*, another in *Champagne*, and the fifth in the *Iſle of France*. Of the two in *Normandy*, one is ſeated near the Sea in the *Contantin*; the other on the R. *Lille*, betwixt *Eureux* and *Liſieux*. This laſt is called *Beaumont le Roger*, from *Roger* one of its Earls, who built, or improved it. *Beaumont* in *Maine* is called *Beaumont le Vicomte*, it having been formerly a Viſcountſhip, whereas it is now a Dutchy. It ſtands upon the *Sarte* betwixt *Mans* and *Alençon*. *Beaumont* in *Champagne* is called *Beaumont en Argonne*, from

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Argonne the District in which it is seated, near the *Meuse*, betwixt *Stenay* and *Pont à Mousson*. And *Beaumont* in the Isle of *France* is called *Beaumont* upon *Oise*, over which it has a fine Bridge. It bears the Title of County. There is also a *Beaumont* in *Hainaut*, in the Low-Countries, about 7 Leagues from *Mons*. It was taken by the *French*, and burnt by the Confederates in 1691. It bears the Title of County.

Beaumont (France) one of the chief Dramatick Poets, contemporary with *Fletcher*, *Ben. Johnson*, and *Shakespear*. He was intimate with the first, and writ no less than 52 Plays with him. Being once in a Tavern together, to contrive a Tragedy, *Fletcher* took upon him to kill the King; which being over-heard, he was accused of High Treason; but upon Demonstration that the Plot was only against a Dramatick King, it dropt, and went off in Mirth.

Beauvais, an ancient City of *Bar-*

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of the Presidial Court of *Blair*, was a great Mathematician, and much esteemed by *Des Cartes*. *Bartholin* was sent to him by the United Provinces, to confer with him upon some difficult Matters. He invented several Astronomical Instruments, and Spectacles of an admirable Artifice. He died in 1562, being 51 Years old.

Beauvais, a pleasant and ancient City in the Isle of *France*, seated upon the *Theris*; the Streets thereof large and fair, but the Houses almost all Timber. It is surrounded with a Ditch, filled with the VVater of the River, part of which serves for divers Manufactures of Cloths, Silks, &c. Here is a Market-place, one of the greatest and finest in the Kingdom; the Bishops Palace very strong, and well built; and the Quire of the Cathedral a noble piece of Architecture. This City gives the Name of *Beauvaisis* to the adjacent Country, and the Bishop

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and afterwards made Com-
upon them.

r, a *Roman* Consul, with *P.*
r, in the same Year the Books
a *Pompilius* were found in
Chest under-ground, which

Latin, and as many Greek
s. The first treating of the
f Pontifes, were carefully kept;

Greek ones were burnt, as
g upon the Worship of the
Gods.

a Baron of *Auensperg* in
s, who by two lawful Wives
Children, viz. 32 Sons and
ughters. As he attended the
s *Hen. II.* whose Favourite
he presented unto him his
s very brisk, and well mount-
o were kindly received by the
r, and had considerable Posts
bern.

or *Bika* (*John*) Canon of the
of *Utrecht*, lived in the XIVth
le wrote a Chronology of that
s, with the Affairs of the
ce, from *S. Willibrode*, first
of *Utrecht*, to the Year 1346,
died 4 Years after.

(*Martin*) a Jesuit of *Brabant*,
Low-Countries. Who writ
volumes in Folio, one con-
the Sum of Scholastick Di-
and the other treating of
versies.

fumi (*Dominic*) a famous *Ita-*
nter of *Sienna* in *Tuscany*, li-
the XVIth Cen. After he
rought at *Rome* with much
in the time of *Michael An-*
l *Raphael*, he returned to *Si-*
nd ended the fine Pavement
ble in the Cathedral, which

a Painter of that Country,
gun. He wrought likewise
nce *Doria* at *Genova*. At last
d at *Sienna* in 1549. Being
15 old. His first Name was
ino, which he changed for
mi, in Remembrance of his
xor *Laurenza Beccafumi*, who

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had brought him up to Painting,
and to whose Family he had ally'd
himself.

Becek (*Cornelius*) a Regular Canon
of the Order of *St. Austin*, and Pri-
or of a Religious House in *Utrecht*,
called *The Division of the Apostles*.
He lived in the XVth Cen. and writ
a Chronicle of his Monastery, be-
sides some other Pieces.

Beck (*Lambert*) a devout Clergy-
man of *Liege*. He took care of the
Direction of some Nuns, call'd from
him *Beguines*.

Bechai, or *Batrye*, a famous Rabbi,
who writ Commentaries upon the
Five Books of *Moses*: Wherein he
shews great Skill of Jewish Litera-
ture, relating the Literal, Allegori-
cal, and Mytical Sense, and bring-
ing in sometimes the Opinions of
Philosophers.

Bechyres, a *Scythian* People, who
having followed *Attila* to *Italy*, lik'd
so well the *Italian* Wines, that their
very Name got into a Proverb for a
Wine-bibber.

Becket (*Thomas*) Lord High Chan-
cellour of *England*, and after *A.* of
Canterbury, lived in the Reigns of
K. Stephen, and *K. Hen. II.* He was
born in *London*, and studied in the
U. of *Paris*. At his return into *Eng-*
land, *Thobald A.* of *Canterbury*, made
him his Arch-deacon. *Hen. II.* raised
him to the Dignity of Lord Chan-
cellour of *England*, and afterwards
to the See of *Canterbury*. In which
Stations he carried it very high in
his Retinue, House-keeping, Furni-
ture, &c. But forgetting his Prin-
ce's Favour, who had raised him to
the highest Dignities, he sided with
the Pope, and opposed the K. when
he would have the Clergy tryed in
his Temporal Courts, for Criminal
Causes. Thus began the Quarrel
between the Crown and the Mitre,
which the K. resenting highly, cal-
led an Assembly of all the Bps at *West-*
minster, wherein he offered six Arti-
cles

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cles in Defence of the Prerogative against Papal Incroachments; which *Becket* refusing to assent to, he was at last prevailed upon to sign them. But revoking his Assent, and growing still more troublesome, the K. ordered him to be tried as a Traytor, upon which he fled into *Flanders*. The K. banished all his Kindred, and *Becket*, in Revenge, Excommunicated all that had acted against him. At last a Reconciliation being made by the K. of *France* and the Pope, he returned in Triumph after 7 Years absence, but refused to absolve those whom he had excommunicated, which the K. hearing of, who was then in *Normandy*, and how he went up and down like a King, attended both with Horse and Foot, expressed his utmost Displeasure against him. Whereupon four of his Knights hastened over into *England*, and barbarously murdered him in his Cathedral, Dec. 29. 1170. Whose unparalleled Stedfastness to the pretended Rights of the Papal See, pro-

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Mahomet IV, during his Ministry He upheld the Authority of Empress against the *Spahis* and who sided with the Queen Mother and the Sultan her Son. But he over-reached in his Politicks, *him* strangled, and another Aga of the *Janizaries*, *Beftar* taken, and strangled in 1687. Man so hated by the Mob, that after his Death, his Body was torn with all manner of Ignominy.

Beftaschites, a Sekt of Monks among the *Turks*, so called from *Beftasch* their Founder, Preacher to the Army of *Amurath I*, when he conquered the *Despot* of *Servia*. The Monks are all clothed in white, their white Caps of several Pieces and their Turbans of Wool twisted like a Rope. The *Janizaries* at *Port* make Profession of this Religion, and wear Caps hanging downward as a Sleeve.

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she equalled the greatest Men of her Time. She writ several Works in Verse, the most part *Sapphick*, and the others in Prose, both *Latin* and *French*. She had with her a learned Relation, by Name *Catharine de Beauze*. The Year 1547 did put a Period to her Life.

Beda or *Bede*, surnamed the *Venerable*, was the Glory of *England*, and the greatest Scholar of his Age. *Tarrew* near the Mouth of the *R. Tine*, in the B. of *Durham*, was his Birth-place, and he was bred under *St. John of Beverley*. Being a Monk in the Town wherein he was born, he made use of that Solitude to be acquainted in all sorts of Sciences, His Temper being sweet, and accompanied with most excellent Qualifications, proved the more efficacious to those whom he wrought upon. He expounded almost all the Bible, and translated the Psalms and the New Testament into *English*. He writ the History of the six first Ages, a Martyrology, and several Pieces; collected into 8 Volumes; printed at *Basil* in 1563, and afterwards at *Cologne* in 1613. His Death happened in 724, being 63 Years of Age; and his Corps was removed to the Cathedral of *Durham*, where he lies buried.

Beda, (*Noel*) a *Sorbonne* Doctor in the Reign of *Francis I*, of *France*. He was of a very facetious Spirit, and opposed all Innovations into Learning, tho' never so good. For this reason he hated *Erasmus*, and wrote against him, and when he defended himself, got him censur'd by the Divinity Colleges; but at length he himself was made to do Penance for speaking against the K. He was a great Enemy of all they call'd Hereticks, and was Author of divers Books. He died in Banishment.

Bedford, the chief place of *Bedfordshire*, is a Town pleasantly situ-

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ated on the Bank of the *R. Ouse*, over which it has a Stone-bridge. It consists of five Parishes, and is famous of old for the great Battle fought near it between the *Britains* and the *Saxons* in 570, which left the *Saxons* Masters of the Country. The same gave the Title of D. first to *John Plantagenet*, third Son to *K. Hen. IV*, created E. of *Kendal*, and D. of *Bedford* by *K. Hen. V*. When the K. was in *France*, he was made Lieutenant of the Realm of *England*, and *Generalissimo* by Sea and Land. Upon the King's Death he was made Governour of *Normandy*, Regent of *France*, and Protector to the Young K. *Hen. VI*. In *France* he shew'd his Valour and Conduct with great Success. He died at the Castle of *Rouen* in 1435, and was interred in the Cathedral there, under a plain Tomb of black Marble. Which *Charles VIII*, of *France* went to see, and being advised by one of his Nobles to raze it; *Let him rest* (says he) *in peace now he is dead, of whom, when he was alive, all France stood in Fear*. Next to the House of *Lancaster*, the Title of D. of *Bedford* was conferred upon *Jasper* of *Hartfield*, half Brother to *K. Hen. VI*. Afterwards to *George Nevil* in the Reign of *Edw. IV*. In the Reign of *Edward VI*, *John Lord Russel* of *Taverstock*, Lord President and Lord Admiral, was created E. of *Bedford*. In whose Line the Title has continued ever since, till the late K. improv'd it to a Ducal Title in the Person of *William Russel*, the late D. of *Bedford*, now devolved upon *Wriothley* his Grandson, the present D. The present Members of Parliament are *William Spencer*, Esq; and *Edward Carteret*, Esq;

Bedfordshire, an Inland County of *England*, so called from *Bedford* the chief Town thereof. It lies betwixt *Northamptonshire* on the N. *Hertfordshire* on the S. and *Buckinghamshire*.

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Bedfordshire on the W. In Length from N. to S. 24 m. in Breadth about 14. The whole divided into IX Hundreds, wherein are 9 Market-Towns, and 116 Parishes. This, together with the Counties of *Hartford* and *Buckingham* was the Seat of the *Catichlani* in the Time of the *Romans*, a Member of the K. of *Mercia* in the Heptarchy, and now makes part of the Diocels of *Lincoln*. Here the Air is very temperate, the Country for the most part champion, and the Soil abundantly fruitful, especially the N. Parts. The South is something lean, but yields however very good Barley. Near *Woburn* is dug up great store of Fullers Earth, commonly called *Woburn Earth*; and near *Aspley* is a Rivulet, which turns Wood into Stone. Out of this County are elected, besides the two Knights of the Shire, but two Members of Parliament chosen by the Town of *Bedford*. The present Knights of the Shire are the Right Honourable the Lord *Edward Russell*,

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concealing and protecting him in the *High Rebellion*. He died in 1643.

Bedouins, anciently called *Scenitæ*, a Name given to those *Arabs* who make it their Business to rob the Caravans going to *Mecca*. They say they are *Mahometans*, yet do not observe their Ceremonies, but worship the Rising Sun, and use no other Prayer but *Risimillah*, i. e. *In the Name of God*. Their Arms are Lances or Half-pikes, Cimitars, and great Poniards. They use no Fire-Arms. For their Defence they use Shields, covered with the Skin of a Fish of the *Red-Sea*, not unlike a Camel's, and having two Hands like a Man. They have Herds of Camels, and Flocks of Sheep and Goats, which they lead about for Pasture, changing Places as the Grass fails. They live upon the Milk of those Beasts, and some Cakes made with Flower, and Butter, or Honey. Their Desarts are divided amongst their Tribes, and each Tribe

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is not like he would consult whom he derided. This Idol is so named, as being cal-
l'd against Flies; as the *Arca*
worshipp'd such a God call-
magros. The *Jews*, because of
sated they had against this I-
called the Devil *Beelzebub*.

Izephon, or *Baalzephon*, an Idol
of the *Egyptians*. The Word sig-
nifies originally, the hidden God, or
of the North. A Rabbi said,
it was a Talisman of Brass,
Pharaoh's Magicians had made
under the *Israelites* from flying
of *Egypt*, that their Endeavours
be stop'd by the magick force
of this Idol. Others believe this
had the Figure of a Dog, and
it barked when any *Israelite* pass-
y that place to get away.

Bort, a Town of *Alsace* in the
Germany, 2 Leagues from *Mont-*
l. It was quitted to the *French*
e Treaty of *Munster*.

Beglerbeg, in *Turkey*, is a Gover-
or one of the chiefest Gts of
Empire. A *Beglerbeg* has under
jurisdiction several *Sangiacs* or
ular Gts with *Begs*, *Agas*, and
Officers under him. There
n all 28 *Beglerbegs*, which are
t independent on the Grand
ior; five of which have the
of *Visiers*, or Counsellors of

In each *Beglerbegship* there
ree principal Officers with the
beg, viz. the *Musti*, who is the
of the Religion; the *Reis-Ef-*
or Secretary of State; and the
dar, or Treasurer of the Ex-
ier: These three Officers are
rincipal Counsellors of the *Beg-*
s and *Bassas* of Provinces.

Beguards and *Beguines*, a certain
of pretended Hereticks, who
in *Germany* and the *Low Coun-*
about the end of the XIII Cen.
professed a Monastick Life,
out observing Celibacy, and (if
believe the Monks) were guilt-

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ty of most pernicious Errors. They
were condemn'd in several Coun-
cils, and banish'd from *Basil* in 1411.
The *Beguines* were of two sorts
some who made no Vows, but fol-
lowed the Opinions of the *Beguards*
and *Margaret Parette*: Others who
lived under the Constitution of St.
Begga, Sister to St. *Gertrude*. There
are some of these Nuns in the *Low-*
Countries.

Behemoth, signifies in general all
manner of Cattle. The *Behemoth* of
Job, Chap. 40. is taken by *Bochart*
for the *Hippopotamus*, or River-Horse.

Beja, an ancient City of *Portugal*,
2 Leagues from the *Guadiana*, and
about 12 from the Sea. It was a *Ro-*
man Colony, and there are yet illu-
strious Monuments of what it has
been in times past, as the Remains
of its Water-Conduits, Me-
dals, Inscriptions, &c. The City is
rich and strong, and its Territory
pretty fertile.

Bejerlinck, (*Lawrence*) a Canon and
Archdeacon of *Antwerp*, in the last
Cen. He was a Person of great In-
dustry and Learning, and writ abun-
dantly for the short time he lived,
which was but 49 Years. His prin-
cipal Works are *Magnum Theatrum Vi-*
tae Humanae, in 7 Folio Volumes;
Biblia Sacra Variarum Translationum,
in 2 Tomes.

Beima (*Julius*) of *Dorkum* in *Friez-*
land, was a Counsellor in the Sove-
reign Court of this Province. He
writ (amongst other things) Com-
ments upon *Justinian's* Institutes,
and died at *Leerwarden* in 1595.

Beiscl, of *Aix la Chapelle*, was a
Lawyer, Philosopher, Orator, and
Counsellor to the Arch-D. of *Au-*
stria, in the XVth Cen. His Works
are, *De optimo Genere Musicorum*, *De*
Mysteriis Rosarum, *Gesta Flandrorum*,
&c.

Bel, or *Belus*, called in Scripture
Nimrod, was the first King of *As-*
syria after the Flood, and the Con-
fusion

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fusion of Tongues. He begun to reign at *Babylon*, which he built on the Banks of *Euphrates*.

Bel (*John*) Cannon of *Lambert* in *Liege*, flourished in the beginning of the XIVth Cen. He writ a Chronicle, and collected a great many Memoirs of the Wars of his own Time.

Bela the Name of four K. of *Hungary*. *Bela* I. Son to *Boleslaus* the Bald, associated to the Crown his Brother *Andrew* I but drove him out soon after. He reigned but 3 Years, and died in 1063. *Gerja* his Son, fearing the Arms of the Emperor *Hen. IV.* yielded the Crown to his Cousin *Solomon*, Son to *Andrew* I.

Bela II. was called to the Crown about the Year 1132, and reigned about 9 Years with a great deal of Prudence. He left 3 Sons, who reigned successively after him.

Bela III. came to the Crown after his Brother *Stephen* III. in 1173, and died in 1196; leaving two Sons, *Emerick* and *Andrew* II. who were both Kings.

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Isle of Nera, belonging to the *Hollanders*. *Nera* is one of the 3 principal Islands of *Banda*, amongst the *Moluccas*.

Belgium, or *Belgick Gaul*, one of the 3 Parts of *Gaul*, contained formerly, besides the Low-Countries, the A. of *Treves*, *Rheims*, *Montz*, and *Cologne*; whereas by *Belgium*, now a days, we mean only the *Netherlands*, or the Low-Countries; of which in their proper Place.

Belgius, a Captain of *Gaul*, who made himself so formidable to *Lýria* and *Macedonia*, that they bought Peace of him. *Ptolemaus Ceraunius*, scornng to acquire it after this manner, made bold to give him Battle; but was taken Prisoner, and had his Head cut off, which the *Gauls* carried upon the Point of a Lance. *Belgius* was killed a little while after.

Belgrade, the chief Place of *Servia*, under the *Turks*. It stands upon a Hill, a little below the Confluence of the *Save*, and the *Danube*, and is considerable both for its Strength and

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blew up part of the Walls, and filled the Ditches. Upon which the Enemy entered by whole Squadrons, putting all to the Sword. The Fire destroy'd both the Castle, and part of the Town, and the Governour only with 300 of the Garison escaped. Since that time the Turks repaired the Fortifications of *Belgrade*. In 1693, this Place was besieged again by the Imperial Army, under the Command of the Duke of *Crey*, and Sept. 7, a general Assault was made upon the Counterscarp; which having miscarried, and the Grand *Viceroy* marching up with 80000 to the Relief of the Place, the *Germans* drew off on the 10th without Molestation, and made good their Retreat.

Belides, see *Danaides*.

Belisarius, one of the greatest Captains of his Age, General of the Armies of the Emperor *Justinian*, and the Stay of his Throne. In 532, such a Sedition arose at *Constantinople*, that *Justinian* proposed to withdraw; but *Belisarius* dissuaded him, and brought again the Rebels to their Duty. In 533 he took *Carthage*, and the next Year subdued *Gilimer*, who had usurped the Crown of the *Vandals*. In 535, he came to deliver *Italy* from the Tyranny of the *Goths*, and effected it. In 541, he was sent into the E. against the *Persians*, and wasted *Assyria*. *Totila* being chosen K. of the *Goths* in *Italy*, *Belisarius* returned thither, and afterward repulsed into the E. to oppose the *Persians*. In 558, he beat back the *Huns* invading the Empire. After all these Exploits, some Authors will have it, that this great Man being fallen into the Emperor's Disgrace, was reduced at last to beggary. But others say, that he was restored to his Dignity, and died in Peace at *Constantinople*.

Belshy (Si bert) Lord Chief Justice of the Pleas, in the

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in the Reign of *Richard II.*

Bellagio (*Guy*) a *Florentine* Cardinal. He went to the *Holy Land*, and died at his Return from thence in 1153.

Bellarmin (*Robert*) a Cardinal, A. of *Capua*, was Native of *Montepulciano* in *Tuscany*. He was admitted Jesuit at 18 Years of Age, in 1560, and received the Priestly Order in 1569, being then at *Louvain* in the *Low Countries*, where he preached in Latin with such Reputation, that Protestants went on purpose out of *England* and *Holland* to hear him. He took up great part of his time in Reading the Fathers, the History of the Church, and Councils, and the Canon Law. About the Year 1576, Pope *Gregory XIII.* appointed him to manage the Controversies against Protestants, in the New College he had founded, where he writ his Syllogistical Treatises on that Subject. In 1590, Pope *Sixtus V.* gave him to Cardinal *Cajetan* to be his Divin, during his Legateship in *France*. In 1599, he was created Cardinal by Pope *Clement VIII.* who made him also A. of *Capua*; which A. he quitted, when Pope *Paul V.* obliged him to remain with him, believing he could not in Conscience keep the same, and not watch over his Flock. Falling ill in 1621, he withdrew from the *Vatican* where he lodged, to the Noviciate House of *St. Andrew*, where Pope *Gregory XV.* visited him in his Sickness, and embraced him twice with much tenderness. He died Sept. 17. 1621, being 79 Years of Age. Besides his Treatises of Controversy, in 3 or 4 Volumes in Folio, he writ several other Books, intitled *Explanatio in Psalmos*, *Opuscula*, *Conciones sacrae*, *De Scriptoribus Ecclesiasticis*, &c. His Life has been written by *James Truligati*.

Bellasis (*Thomas*) late E. of *Faulconberg*, was Son and Heir of Sir *Wil. Bellasis*, Son of Sir *Hen. Bellasis* of N.w.

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Newborough in *Yorkshire*. Who, for his great Merits, and faithful Service to *K. Charles I.*, was made a Baron of this Realm, by the Title of Lord *Faulconberg*, and afterwards Viscount *Faulconberg* of *Henklow* in the Co. of *Durham*; the present Members of Parliament of which, are Sir *Wil. Daves*, *Kt.* and Sir *Robert Eden*, *Bar.* He had Issue two Sons, *Hen.* and *John. Hen.* dying before his Father, left two Sons, *Thomas* who succeeded his Grandfather, in his Honour, and Sir *Rowland Bellaſtis*, now Viscount *Faulconberg*. *Thomas* was Captain of the Band of Pensioners to *K. Charles II.* and his Embaſſador Extraordinary to the Princes of *Italy* in 1670. Since the late Revolution he had the Title and Dignity of Earl of *Faulconberg*, confirmed upon him by the late King; who made him alſo one of his Majesty's moſt Honourable Privy-Council, and Lord Lieutenant of the North-Riding of *Yorkſhire*. His Arms are *Argent*, a *Chevron Gules* between 3 *Flower-de-Luce*.

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ty; who proved no leſs intelligent in Warlike Affairs, as in the Intrigues of the Cloſet. In 1541, the *K.* named him to the B. of *Lisieux*, and 3 Years after to the A. of *Bourdeaux*. But the *K.* dying in 1547, the Cardinal was deprived of his Rank and Credit, by the Jealouſy of the Cardinal of *Lorraine*. Upon which he withdrew to *Rome*, where he was made B. of *Oſtia*, and Dean of the Cardinals; being there in ſo great Eſteem, that he was in Election for the Papacy after the Death of *Marcellus II.* He died in the ſame City *Feb.* 16, 1560, being 68 Years of Age, and was interred in *Trinity-Church* of the Mount. He left ſome Speeches, an Apology for *K. Francis I.* and divers Poems in 3 Books, which ſhews the acuteness and fineness of his Wit. *Francis Rabelais* was his Domeſtick, and *Nicholas Reſnu*, of *Paris*, his Secretary, whoſe Fidelity the Emperor could never corrupt.

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Bel at Paris in 1583, being 53 Years old.

Bellegarde, the Name of two French Towns, one in *Burgundy*, the other in *Roussillon*, upon the Borders of *Catalonia*. The first stands upon the *Saone*, near the *Franche Comté*, and bears the Title of a Dukedom. It has been in times past pretty strong, whence it got the Name of *Secure*. *Bellegarde* in *Roussillon* stands betwixt *And* and *Jougues*, and is a place of Strength. The *Spaniards* took it in 1674, and fortify'd it; but were afterwards forced to yield it up to *Alonsochal Schenberg*.

Belle-Ile, the Name of two Islands, one upon the *French Coast*, the other upon the Eastern Ocean of *China*. The first is an Isle of *Britagne*, about 6 Leagues long, and 2 broad, with a good Port, and some *Cattle*: 'Tis but 5 or 6 Miles from the Continent, is considerable for its Sub-works, and for giving the Title of *Marquis*. The Asiatick *Belle-Ile* stands betwixt the *Chinese Pr.* of *Fujian* on the W. and the Isle *Manille* on the S. A pleasant and fertile Island, in which the *Hollanders* endeavoured to settle, but were expell'd by the *Chinese*.

Bellere, (*John*) a famous Printer at *Amoy*, whose Works were very much esteemed for good Paper, and the Fairness of the Character.

Bellerophon, Son to *Glaucus K.* of *Argos*, is renowned in the Poets Writings; who for rejecting the Love of *Sthenobee*, Wife to *Pratus K.* of *Argos*, to whom *Bellerophon* was, was accused by this Princess before her Husband, to have made an Attempt upon her Honour; whereupon he was sent by *Pratus* into *Lybia*, with Letters directed to *Isobee K.* thereof, and Father to *Sthenobee*, with Orders to put him to Death: whence the *Fro* b, *Latera Bellere*, *stuntis*, for I written against the Bearers of But *Bellerophon*,

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by his Prudence and Courage, triumphed over his Enemies.

Bellin, or *Belinus*, an old fabulous British King.

Bellin, (*Gentil*) a famous Painter of *Venice*, lived in the XVth Cen. *Mahomet II.* Emperor of the *Turks*, having seen some of his Paintings, writ to the Republick, and pray'd them to send him *Bellin*: Who having drawn several Pieces for him, and amongst others the Decollation of *St. John Baptist*, begged Leave to return home; which having obtained with great Difficulty, the Grand Seignior presented him with rich Gifts, put himself a Golden Chain of great Value about his Neck, and sent him back to *Venice* with Letters of Recommendation to the Republick, from which he had a considerable Pension during his Life.

Bellin, (*John*) Brother of *Gentil* aforesaid, being of the same Profession, made several admirable Pieces, now to be seen in the Hall of the Council of *Venice*. He painted with more Art and Sweetness than his Brother. In 1512, being the Year he died, he began, at the Instance of the D. of *Ferrara*, the Representation of the *Bacchanalia*, but left it unfinished. *Titian* afterwards added an admirable Landskip to it.

Bellinzona, a Town in the Confines of *Milan*, situate upon the *Tesino*, at the N. end of *Lago Maggiore*, 45 Italian Miles N. of *Milan*. Formerly subject to the Es of it, till their Issue failing, it was possessed by the E. of *Montaxo*, from whom it was usurped by the D. of *Milan*: The E. by Stratagem recovered it, and sold it to the *Grisons* in 1421. The D. of *Milan* retook it by Fraud, which occasioned a War. At last, when the *French* invaded the *Milaneses*, the Inhabitants put themselves under the *Grisons* Protection. The *French* being possessed of *Milan*, of-

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ten attempted, but in vain, to recover it. In 1515, it suffer'd much by an Inundation.

Bellona, the Goddess of War, was the Companion and Sister of *Mars*. Amongst the *Cappadocians* she was one of their principal Divinities, and her Priests held the first Rank next to their Kings. The Ancients represented her, sometimes with a Pike in her Hand, sometimes with her Hair hanging in great Disorder.

Beloufius, a Nephew of *Ambigat* K. of the *Gauls*; who entering by Force of Arms into *Italy*, conquered that part of it which is called *Lombardy*, whence the Name of *Gallia Cisalpina*. He is thought by some to be the Founder of *Beauvais*.

Bellus, a *Pemian* City in *Macedonia*, and situate amongst the *Mountains*. 'Tis little, but pleasant, and has been the Birthplace of several famous Men, particularly of *Philostratus*.

Bellus (*Peter*) Doctor of Divinity,

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twixt the Isles of *Seland* and *Funen*; and the little (otherwise called *Middlefort*) of two Hours Passage, betwixt *Funen* and the Continent of *Justland*. The Passage of the *Belt* upon the Ice by *Charles Gustavus* K. of *Sweden*, with his Army, is one of the boldest and most memorable Actions of the Wars in the XVII. Cen. not to be parallel'd by any Action of this kind in all Antiquity.

Belvedere, the *Elis* of the Ancients, which gave Name to the whole Province, stands on the R. *Penens* in *Greece*.

Belvoir-Castle, a noble Seat in *Lincolnshire*, belonging to the E. of *Hutland*: It has a most delightful and large Prospect. The Stone called *Astroites*, having Beams like a Star, and formerly look'd upon as a certain Token of Victory to him that wore it, is found near this place.

Belus, a small but deep R. of *Phoenicia* in *Syria*; it passes through a Valley, where Glass was first found, according to *Pliny*. 'Tis said of this

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count of his *Italian* and *Latin* Works. Amongst the latter there are XVI Books of Letters written for *Leo X.* Six Books of familiar Epistles, Divers Speeches, the History of *Venice* in XII Books, &c. written in pure *Latin*.

Bena, a Kingdom of *Nigritia* in *Africk*, whose People are called *Soujar*. It lies S. of *Mandinga*, and E. of *Mali*. 'Tis a mountainous Country, where there are Mines of finer Iron than what we have in *Europe*. Here are Serpents as thick as a Man's Thigh, spotted with lively Colours. The K. keeps commonly one of these Serpents in his Arms, and cherishes it as we do little Dogs. These People are Idolaters, and believe the Dead will find in the other World, what is interred with them in their Grave.

Benacus, an ancient Name of *Lago di la Guàrda*, one of the greatest Lakes of *Italy*, in the State of *Venice*. *Leander* says there was of old a Town of this Name, whence the Lake came to be so called.

Benares, a City of the Great *Mogol's* Empire, in *India*; it stands in a fair Country upon the River *Ganges*. Here is kept the General School of the *Indian Paganism*, and where the *Brahmins* and *Pundats* are brought up. The first thing they learn is the *Hanscrit*, a Language quite different from the common *Indian*, and understood by none but the Learned. The Word signifies a pure, holy, or Divine Tongue, in which, they say, God gave the *Beths* or Sacred Books to *Brama* their Prophet. 'Tis of this Tongue that Father *Kircher* has given an Alphabet. The *Hanscrit* being learnt, they betake themselves to read the *Purane*, which is an Abridgment of the *Beths*, or Books of the Law. Then they apply themselves for six Months to Philosophy, relating to
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Principles of things, much like *Democritus* and *Epicurus*. Others agree very much with *Aristotle*, and his Interpreters. Some of 'em come near to the Doctrine of *Plato*, but their Notions are so abstruse, that they are almost unintelligible. Their Books of Physick are rather Collections of Remedies, than Physical Discourses. Anatomy they are unacquainted with, because they dare not open the Bodies of Men or Beasts. They are much given to Astrology, but little the better for't; for they invent Fables to expound the Belipses of the Sun and Moon. As to Geography, their Opinion is, that the Earth is flat and triangular, upheld by the Heads of several Elephants, which cause Earthquakes when they move. Within these few Years there has appeared a Cabal, the Doctors whereof hold the Doctrine of those ancient Philosophers, who admitted an Universal Spirit, or a Soul spread through all the World, of which all the Souls of Men and Beasts are Portions.

Benarvidius (*Mark*) a famous Lawyer of *Padua*, whose Father was a Physician, and who lived in the XVIth Cen. He studied Human Learning with much Application, and then the Civil and Canon Law, which he taught during 60 Years, and upon which he writ several Books. He was Knighted 3 several times, 1st by the Emperor *Charles V.* in 1245. 2dly, by *Ferdinand I.* in 1561. 3dly, by Pope *Pius V.* in 1564. He died 93 Years of Age, in 1582.

Benciis, (*Hugo*) of *Sicma* in *Italy*, lived in the XVth Cen. He writ Notes upon *Avicenna*, upon *Hippocrates's* Aphorisms, upon *Galen*, &c. 1. *Bencia* (*France*) an Italian Jesuit, born at *Aquapendente*, in the XVIth Cen. cille writ several Ingenious Tracts both in Prose and Verse; and here is the Character given him by *Cardinal Baronius*; *Franciscus Bencius*,
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eius, vir maxime pius & insigniter eruditus, qui & Musas reddit Christianas, & suaviore Concentu canoras. He died at Rome in 1594.

Bundermassin, a City in the N. Parts of Borneo, a great Indian Island. It has its particular King.

Bendis, that is to say, the Earth, or Moon: So the *Thracians* called the Goddess *Diana*, whose Feasts were kept like the *Bacchanalia*.

Bendoedar, Sultan of *Babylon*, whence he had expelled the lawful Sovereign. About the Year 1263, he besieged *Acre*, and proved a great Persecutor of the Christians. He ravaged *Armenia*, and died at *Damascus* in April 1277.

Benedict, (St.) the Founder of the Order from him called *Benedictines*, was born at *Nursi* in *Italy*, about the Year 480, and died at *Mount Cassin*, where he had instituted his Order in 543. As he was the first who brought the Monastick Life to be esteemed in the W. so this Order, as the most ancient, is also the most

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Clergy lived on the Liberalities that were given them, and were divided monthly amongst them, as it appears by the Canons of some Councils; the Oblation being made after the Gospel, which is what is still called Offertory at the Mass. 'Tis true some Vestiges of Benefices have been found from the Year 500, under Pope *Symmachus*, but it was not common. At that time a Clerk, who had serv'd the Church well, had sometimes a Field given him, from which he drew his Subsistence: But then it was very rare. In the Roman Church, Benefices Consistorial are great Benefices, as Bish. and other Prelatures; called Consistorial, because given by the Pope after Deliberation in the Consistory of Cardinals. This name is also given in France to the Dignities which are in the King's Gift.

Benet, the Name of several Popes. *Benet I*, was a Roman born, chosen after *John III*, in 573. In his time Rome being afflicted with Famine,

Benet IV, also a *Roman*, held the See, after *John IX*, but only some Months of the Years 905 and 906. 'Tis said of him that in a depraved Age he governed the Church with great Probity, and had a particular Care of the Poor.

Benet V, was Pope after *John XII*. But then the Church of *Rome* was divided by the Schism of *Leo* called *VIII*, created Pope by the Emperor *Otho*; who having taken *Rome* by famine June 23, 964, caused *Benet* to be removed to *Hamburg* in *Germany*, where he died June 10, 965.

Benet VI, a *Roman*, succeeded *Leo II*, Dec 20, 972. But *Benet* Cardinal-Deacon, by a great Interest, got him strangled in the Chair, and himself ascended the Chair.

Benet VII, reigned from the Year 975 to 984, and prudently governed the Church in very difficult times.

Benet VIII succeeded *Sergius IV*, June 7, 1012. But the Tyranny of Antipope *Gregory* obliged him to retire into *Germany*, to beg the Succour of *Henry II*, who restored him to his See. The *Saracens* having in his time conquered part of *Italy*, he defeated them. He also fought the *Greeks* who ravaged *Apulia*. He governed his Church about 12 Years, and died at *Rome* Feb. 20, 1204.

Benet IX, succeeded his Uncle Pope *John 20*, Brother to *Benet VIII*, tho' he was but a Child. Whose Youth and Ignorance made him commit such horrible Vices, as caused him to be banished in 1043. He was set up again, but continuing his scandalous Debaucheries, he was forced to resign his Pontificate. He returned afterwards, and so ascended several times the Pontifical Throne, living still in his Debaucheries and Impieties, which he never left off till he died 1054. 'Tis said, that after his death he appeared in a monstrous

shape, and asked why, did answer, that it was because he lived without Law or Reason.

Benet X, Antipope, was created Cardinal by *Leo IX*, who gave him the Bish. of *Velitri*. In 1059 he rose against *Nicholas II*, but upon begging his Pardon, he was permitted to live in the Church of *St. Mary Maggiore*, without Power of exercising any Function of Priesthood; but died soon after for Grief.

Benet XI, the Name of whose Family was *Bocassini*, and said to be the Son of a Shepherd, was created Cardinal by Pope *Beniface VIII*, who gave him the Bish. of *Osia*, and employ'd him in divers important Affairs. After whose Death this *Bocassini* mounted the Pontifical See Oct. 22, 1303. Who soon after issued 3 Bulls, which annulled all those of *Beniface* against *Philip* the Fair K. of *France*, and revoked the Condemnation against the two Cardinals of *Colonna*, whom *Beniface* had persecuted for being of the *Guelphian* Faction: But he was poisoned 8 Months after his Election, *Brevius* and *Spondanus* say of him, that he refused to see his Mother when she came to see him in a magnificent Garb, but that he received her with Joy before all his Court, when she came in her old Rags. This Pope composed several Works, viz. Commentaries upon *Job*, and almost the whole *Psalter*, upon the *Apocalypse*, and *St. Matthew*; part of the latter has been printed. He writ moreover *De Ritibus*, & *Sermones in diebus solennibus*, &c.

Benet XII, of the *Cistercian* Order, was a Miller's Son, Native of *Savorden* in the County of *Feix*. He was made Cardinal in 1327, chosen Pope Dec. 20, 1334, after *John XXII*, and crowned at *Avignon*, Jan. 5th following. He confirmed his Predecessors Censures against *Lewis* of *Bavaria*, and excommunicated the *Fra-*
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ricelli, against whom he had written formerly. He was admired both for his Care in conferring Benifices, and his Denial of seeing his Relations. He strove also to reform the Monks; and often endeavoured a Peace between *Philip* of France and *Edward* of England, but in vain, the latter refusing to listen to his Proposals, because always victorious. Having reigned 7 Years and better, he died at *Avignon*, Apr. 25, 1342. He writ a Treatise of the State of Souls after Death, Commentaries upon the Psalms, *De statu Caponicorum*, &c.

Benet XIII was a Spaniard, educated chiefly in the Study of Civil and Canon Law. Pope *Gregory* XI created him Cardinal in 1375, and consulted him in the most important Affairs. After whose Death, this Cardinal being at the Election of *Clement* VII, followed him to *Avignon*, not regarding *Urban* VII, at *Rome*; *Clement* sent him Legat to *Spain*, and then to *France*. And after the Death of *Clement* in 1394,

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Giles, an *Aragonian*, Canon of *Barcelona*, who took upon him the Name of *Clement* VIII: But he soon after yielded his pretended Dignity.

Benet, a Cardinal, who lived in the XIth Cen. Pope *Urban* II. created him Cardinal, and *Paschal* II. sent him Legate into France. Where he assembled a Council at *Poitiers*, and excommunicated *K. Philip* I. for repudiating his Queen to marry *Bertrada*.

Benet (*Renatus*) of *Angiers*, a Dr. of *Paris*, famous for his Learning, Employments, and Vertue. He was Confessor to *Hen.* the Great, and was named for the Bishoprick of *Troye* in *Champagne*. But the Court of *Rome* would never grant him his Bulls, because of his Moderation in Matters of Religion, having justified in his *Bibliothèque Universelle* most of the Protestants Tenets.

Benet (*Cyprian*) a Spanish Dominican, who flourished to the Year 1500. His Works, which got him much Reputation, are *De Prima Or-*

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it at the Foundation of the first Pile of the Bridge. He afterwards built an Hospital, where he instituted Religious Men, named *les Freres du Pont*, amongst whom he retired himself. There he died in 1195, and was interred in a Chappel, which is on the third Arch of this Bridge on the side of *Avignon*.

Bengala, an Indian Kingdom belonging to the Great Mogul, so called from the Gulf of that Name, the greatest and most famous of *Asia*. This Country is wonderful fertile in Sugar, Rice, and Silks, Saltpetre, Wax, Civet, Lacca, Opium, long Pepper, &c. 'Tis the Center of the Indian Trade, extremely frequented by the Europeans, particularly the English, French, Portuguese, Hollanders, &c. who have all here the free Exercise of their Religion. For the Transport of Merchandises into the Inland Country, there have been Canals digged on both sides the *Ganges* about 200 Leagues, now bordered with Villages well peopled, and the adjacent Fields yielding Plenty of Wheat, Rice, Sugar, three or four sorts of Pulse, Mustard, Sefam-Seed to make Oyl, and great Numbers of small Mulberry-Trees for breeding of Silkworms.

Ben-gorion. So the Jews call their Historian *Josephus*.

Benguela, a City and Country of the Kingdom of *Angola*, in *Africk*. It lies upon the Ocean, and has a pretty good Port, belonging to the *Hollanders*.

Beni (Paul) a Learned Italian Professor in the University of *Padua*. Being full of Fire, and pretty prone to Critick, he pickt a Quarrel with the Academy *dela Crusca* of *Florence*, particularly upon the Subject of *Tasso*, whose Defence he undertook, comparing *Tasso* to *Virgil*, and *Ariosto* to *Homer*. He published also some Discourses upon the *Paster*

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Fido of *Guarini*. He writ Commentaries in Latin upon the Poetry and Rhetorick of *Aristotle*, upon the first Six Books of the *Aeneids*, and the History of *Salust*.

Benjamin, the 12th Son of *Jacob*, and the 2d of *Rachel*. See *Gen.* 35, &c. *Jos.* 18. *Judges* 19, 20.

Benjamin, the Deacon, who suffered Martyrdom in *Persia*, about the Year 422, in the Reign of *Varanes* K. of *Persia*, a great Persecutor of Christians.

Benjamin, a famous Rabbi, Native of *Tui* in *Spain*, who lived in the XII Cen. He visited almost all the Synagogues in the World, to know their Customs and Ceremonies, and the great Men they had. We have several Editions of those his Observations.

Benigebara, a Mountain of *Fesse* in *Africk*. The Avenues whereof are so very difficult, that the Inhabitants keep their Liberty to this Day. Who find here such Plenty of all Things necessary for Life, that they may suffer a Siege of 10 Years without fear of Famine. They pay a Tribute to the K. of *Fez*, to have a free Trade in the Plain, where a great Market is held.

Benignus, the first Bp. of *Dijon* in *Burgundy*, where he suffered Martyrdom.

Benigazebal, a Mountain of *Fesse* in *Africk*, containing about 100 Villages, with a populous City. From the Top whereof there arise a great many sulphureous Steams and Flames.

Benin, a City and Kingdom of *Guinea*, in *Africk*. The City is the best of all those of the Negro's, and stands upon a River of its Name, which empties it self into the Gulph of *St. Thomas*. The Country affords large Pepper, better than that of *India*.

Beni-Origan, a Mountain of *Fesse* in *Africk*, not far from the Mediterranean, planted with Wine and Olives,

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and yielding a great many Cedars, no Corn, but Barley, and but little Cattle.

Beni-Said, a City of *Egypt*, upon the Bank of the *Nile*, 20 Leagues from *Cairo*, and in the middle of a large Country, yielding great Plenty of excellent Linnen, called *Alexandrian*, as being brought from thence to *Alexandria*.

Beni-Zendi, a City of *Habat*, in the Kingdom of *Fesse* in *Africk*. It stood on the River *Erguile*, but is now ruined. However, the Relicks of some stately Buildings still to be seen there, bespeak it a Place of good Note in former Times. Here are 3 fair Fountains, with great Basons of Marble and Alabaster.

Beniz (*Philippus*) the Founder of the Order called the *Annunciada*, was a *Florentine* born. Whose Holiness grew to so great a Reputation, that he was like to be chosen Pope upon the Death of *Clement IV.* He was Canonized in 1671, by Pope *Clement X.*

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himself under the K. As he was a Scholar and a Soldier, so he proved an excellent Statesman. Therefore soon after the Restauration, K. *Charles* made him Principal Secretary of State, and of a Knight a Peer of the Realm; being first created Baron of *Arlington* (a Mannor of *Middlesex*, wherein he was born) and afterwards E. thereof. After which he was made Knight of the Garter, and Lord Chamberlain of the King's Household. He married the Lady *Isabella* of *Nassau*, the present Countess Dowager of *Arlington*, Daughter to *Lewis* of *Nassau*, Lord *Beverwaert*, Son to the illustrious *Maurice* Prince of *Orange*, and Count of *Nassau*. By whom he had Issue one only Daughter, named *Isabella*, married to *Ben. Fitz-Roy*, the late D. of *Gravson*, one of K. *Charles's* natural Sons; who being slain at the late Siege of *Cork* in *Ireland*, left Issue by her the present Duke of *Gravson*. The said *Ben. Count E. of Arlington*, died at

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tences, and whom the *Jews* take to be Grandson to *Jeremiah* the Prophet.

Bentheim, the chief Place of a small Country in the W. Parts of *Westphaly*, fortified with a Castle.

Bentivoglio, an Italian Town in the Territory of *Bononia*, on the River *Renio*. 'Tis also the Name of a Family, drawing its Original from *Enidus* K. of *Sardinia*, and which had a long time the Lordship of *Bononia*. *John* II, of that Name was one of the greatest Men of his Time, a wife and valiant Captain, and the trustiest Friend in the World; but was compelled through Policy, to maintain himself by cruel Maxims. He entred into a League with Pope *Sixtus* IV, and *Hercules* Duke of *Ferrara*, against the *Venetians*, beat *Jerom* *Ritrio*, and then bravely opposed *Cesar* *Borgia*, Son to Pope *Alexander* VI, about the Y. 1506. But Pope *Julius* II, being come to *Bononia*, drove thence *John Bentivoglio*, and all his Family, contrary to Promise. Who thereupon retired into *Milan*, where he died in 1508, almost 70 Y. of Age, and the rest of the Family settled at *Ferrara*.

Bentivoglio (Gry) an Italian Cardinal, born at *Ferrara* in 1579, and much celebrated by abundance of Authors. He was bred up in the University of *Padua*, where he made a wonderful Progress in Learning. He was Nuncio to the Pope in *Flanders*, and afterwards in *France*; and acquitted himself so worthily in these Employments, that Pope *Paul* I, made him a Cardinal in 1621. He was a Person of great Learning, Prudence and Integrity, and generally beloved. He died in 1644. The most considerable of his Works are the History of the Civil Wars of *Flanders*, a Relation of *Flanders*, Letters and Memoirs.

Bentivoglio (Francijca) Wife to *Galea* *Mianfredi*, Prince of *Forli* in *Italy*; who seeing her self despi-

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sed by her Husband, suborned two Physicians; and pretending to be sick, made 'em come into his Chamber, with Arms hidden, to assassinate him. Her Husband defending himself, she stabbed him with a poniard.

Beorgor, K. of the *Alani*, lived in the Vth Cen. He occasioned great Disorders amongst the *Gauls* and in *Italy*. But he was at last defeated by *Ricimer*, Master of the Roman Militia.

Berault (Nicholas) one of the learnedst Men of the XVIth Cen. We are beholden to him for a Version of some Books of *Aprian*.

Berbice, or *Berbeic*, a great River of *Brasil* in *S. America*. The Land on both sides of it is low and woody, and has Plenty both of Logwood and Cotton. The *Hollanders* planted a Colony here in the beginning of the last Century.

Berchin, Rector of *Nielle* in *Guelderland*, was in great Esteem in the XVth Cen. He left a Chronological Abridgement of this Province to the Y. 1466.

Berchtold, Bp. of *Strasburg*, was a great Souldier. He defeated the Earls of *Ferrette*, and their Allies; and in 1228, signalized himself near *Brisac*, where he got a great Victory over several German Princes. 'Twice he overcame Hen. of *Thuringia*, K. of the *Romans*; and re-took the Landgraviate of *Alsace*, after the Death of Hen. the last Landgrave. The very Emp. *Frederick* II, fought the Friendship of this valiant Prelate, who died about the Year 1244.

Berci (Hugh) a French Kt. and Poet, who writ Satyrs against the Vices of his Time in the XIIIth Cen.

Bereorius, or *Berthorius* (Peter) a Frenchman of *Poitou*; whose Learning and exemplary Virtue made him much valued by divers Princes and Scholars of the XIVth Cen. being counted the most Learned Divine

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of his Time. He was Prior of *St. Eloy*, a Monastery in *Paris*, and died in 1362. He writ a *Colmograply*, an Abridgment of the History of the Bible, *Repertorium morale*, and by *K. John's Order*, translated *Livy* into French.

Berdoa, a great and waste Country of *Zara*, in *Africk*; wherethere is scarce any thing but Sand, Scorpions, and Monsters.

Bereberes, an ancient People of *Barbary*, in *Africk*, originally of *Arabia*; who passing into *Africk*, did settle at first in the Eastern part of *Barbary*; but spreading themselves afterwards, became Masters of a great part of *Africk*: So that the greatest Families of *Africk* draw their Original from one or other of these Tribes, viz. *Mussamudins*, *Zenetes*, *Haarces*, *Zinhagians*, and *Gomivras*, all come from *Arabian* Stock. The first possessed of the E. Parts of the K. of *Morocco*, and inhabiting the Places about Mount *Atlas*. The *Zenetes* (or *Charvians*) dwelling in

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them to drink no more Wine, and pluck up all their Vines, they readily obey'd him.

Berecynthus, a Mountain of *Phrygia*, where *Cybele* (Mother of the Gods) was honoured, whence she got the Name of *Berecynthia*.

Berengarius, see *Berenger*.

Berenger I. D. of *Friuli*, lived in the Xth Cen. and proved an ambitious, cruel, and hasty Prince. About 893, he caused himself to be declared K. of *Italy*; but *Guy D.* of *Spoleta*, defeated him in two pitch'd Battles. At *Verona* he surprized *Lewis Bozon*, K. of *Ayles* or *Burgundy*, (called into *Italy*, where he drove all before him) and pulled out his Eyes. Whereupon *Berenger* caused himself to be crowned Emp. by Pope *John IX.* and afterwards by *John X.* in 915. The following Year having joined his Troops to those of the Pope and other Princes, they routed the *Saracens*, who caused then great Disorders in *Italy*. The Grandees wherof conspired a

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of the Order of St. John of Jerusalem, succeeded to Roger Pius in 1365. He was a Native of Provence, and of the ancient Family of the *Berengers* of Dauphiné, issued from the *Berengers*, Princes in Italy. He plundered and burnt *Alexandria* in Egypt, and ransacked the City of *Tripoli* in Syria. He died in 1373.

Berenger (*Raimond*) was a Prince of *Aragon*, and Provisor of St. John of Jerusalem. Who in 1188, instituted the Nuns of the same Order, commonly called *Maltisioises*; whereof there are several Convents in Spain, some few in France.

Berenger, Archdeacon of *Angiers*, was a Native of *Tours*, and lived in the XIIIth Cen. A Man of great Fame for his Piety and Learning, and the first who durst oppose the growing Tenet of Transubstantiation in France, Italy, and Germany. He drew to his Party *Bruno B.* of *Angiers*, with several other Prelates and famous Men; and was in so great Esteem for his Learning, that when he came to *Rome*, the Pope stood up, saying, He honoured his Natural Parts. His Opinion taking Root in several Churches, to prevent its further Progress, a Legate was sent into France by Pope *Viktor II.*, who held a Council at *Tours*, where he compelled *Berenger* to sign a Recantation; but he continued however in his former Sentiment. In 1059, he was cited to a Council at *Rome*, where he subscribed a Confession of what was then called the Orthodox Faith, and burnt *John Scotus Erigena's* Book, which was supposed to have made him disagree with the Council. But being at liberty, he revived the Dispute again, which lasted to the Year 1079, when *Gregory VII.*, at another Council at *Rome* brought him over to his own Opinion. He died in the Y. 1091, having learnt this purer Doctrine of the Sacrament of the Lord's Sup-

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per, from the aforesaid *John Scotus*, born at *Aire* in Scotland, and Tutor to *Charles the Bald*, K. of France.

Berenice, Wife to *Ptolemaeus Lagus* K. of Egypt, and Mother to *Ptolemaeus* called *Philadelphus*; who being the youngest of her Children, was notwithstanding exalted to the Throne, to the Prejudice of his Brother.

Berenice, Daughter to *Ptolemaeus Philadelphus* and *Arfinoe*, espoused her Brother *Ptolemaeus Evergetes*, which was no Scandal among the Egyptians. She proved a Princess of great Wisdom, and Authors speak much to her Praise. *Ptolemaeus* being engaged in a War with the Assyrians, that her Husband might get the Victory, she vow'd her Hair to *Venus*; which she cut at his Return, and hung it in the Temple. And, because it was not found the next Day, *Cannon* a Mathematician affirmed it had been carried up into Heaven, and placed among the Stars. Whereupon *Callimachus* composed a Poem, which *Catullus* translated. She was put to Death by *Ptolemaeus Philopater* her Son, who built her afterward a Temple, under the Name of *Berenice the Gardian*.

Berenice, another Daughter of *Ptolemaeus Philadelphus*, married to *Antiochus Soter* K. of Syria. Who having another Wife named *Laodice*, was poisoned by her; and *Berenice* she caused to be murdered. To revenge whose Death *Ptolemaeus Evergetes* immediately took the Field.

Berenice, Sister or Daughter (as some will have it) of *Ptolemaeus* called *Auletes*, or the Piper, K. of Egypt, was very much beloved of the Egyptians. Who being dissatisfied with their Prince, banished him, and submitted themselves to *Berenice*. She married *Syriolates*, of the Race of the *Seleucides*, and afterwards caused him to be strangled, to take *Archelaus*, who was afterwards killed in a Fight.

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But *Ptolemæus* being restored, put his Sister *Berenice* to Death.

Berenice, eldest Daughter to *Agrippa* the elder (or *Herod Agrippa*) K. of the *Jews*, lived in the first Cen. *Herod*, her Husband and Uncle being dead, she remained some time a Widow, but was suspected of keeping a criminal Correspondence with her Brother. Upon which she married to *Polemon* K. of *Cilicia*, but such was her Lust, that she soon quitted him. This Princess was with her Brother *Agrippa* in 55, when *St. Paul* pleaded his Cause before them and the Proconsul.

Berenice, Daughter to *Mithridates* the Great and *Laudice*. Whose Father being defeated by *Læullus*, she would by no means survive his Misfortune, but freely took a Dose of Poyson; which proving too small for her strong Constitution, she ordered *Eucbides*, her Father's Eunuch, to strangle her, and so to hasten her Death.

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'tis but one days Journey from *Milan*, the Plains of which it overlooks for 20 or 30 m. Being ruined by *Attila*, the *Lombards* repaired it, and kept possession of it till the VIIIth Cen. when it fell under the Empire of *Charlemagne* and his Successors. Afterwards it became subject to several D. till *Philip* D. of *Milan* dying in 1447, it submitted to the *Venetians*.

Bergen, a German T. chief of the Isle of *Rugen* in the *Baltick*, towards *Pomeran*. It belongs to the *Swedes*, since the Year 1630. See *Berghen*.

Bergen op Zoom, a strong City of *Brabant* in the Low-Countries, so called from its situation, partly upon a Hill, and partly on the R. *Zoom*. It was erected into a Marquisate by the Emp. *Charles* V, which properly belongs to the Count *d'Arvergne*, Colonel-General of the light Horse of *France*, with all its Rights and Revenues. But the military Command of it is in the Hands of the *Hollanders*, by whom it has been forti-

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German. The Merchants of *Hamburg*, *Lubeck*, *Dantzick*, and *Brunswick*, have their particular Magazines here, and a publick House besides, which they call *Contor*, from the French *Comptoir*: Who carry from thence great Quantity of Stock-fish, besides Skins and Furs. So that *Bergien* is counted the Magazine of all *Norway*, and is without dispute the richest of the whole K. Here the longest day in Summer is of 20 Hours, and the shortest in Winter only of 4. The *Englilh* entred this Port in 1665, and fell upon the *Dutch East-India Fleet*; but the Wind proving contrary, gave the *Dutch* time to draw their Canon ashore for their Defence.

Bergien and *Albion*, two Giants, both Sons to *Neptune*; who attempting to hinder *Hercules* from passing the *Rhine*, near its Mouth, were overthrown by a Rain of Stones, which *Jupiter* caused to fall upon them.

Berkley, a Market T. of *Glocestershire*, on the E. side of the *Severn*. Noted for its Castle, which gave name to the Noble and ancient Family of *Fitz-Harding* in *Henry II's* Reign, descended from the Blood-Royal of the *Danes*. 'Twas in this Castle *K. Edw. II.* was barbarously murdered after his Resignation of the Crown.

Berkley, (*Charles*) the present E. of *Berkley*, descended in a collateral Line from *William Lord Berkley*, descended from the *Mowbraies*. Which Lord *Berkley* was in 1482 created Viscount *Berkley* by *K. Richard III.* from a Castle of that Name in *Glocestershire*, the chief Seat of the Family. But dying without Issue, the Title of Lord *Berkley* only continued in the Collateral Line; till the late *K. Charles* was pleased to create *George* the late Lord, Viscount *Dursey*, and E. of *Berkley*, in 1679, who left several Sons and Daughters.

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Charles, the eldest of his Sons, and now E. of *Berkley*, was in his Father's Life-time sent by the late *K.* with the Title of Envoy to the States General, and was made since one of the Lords Justices of *Ireland*. The Arms of this Family are *Gules*, a *Chevron* between ten *Crosses pale*, *Argent*.

Berkley, (*William*) a Baron of this Realm, the younger Brother of *John* lately deceased, is Son of Sir *John Berkley* of *Brusen* in *Somersetshire*, descended from the ancient Barons *Berkley* of *Berkley-Castle*. Which Sir *John*, for his successful Services to King *Charles I.* and *II.* was by the latter, during his Exile, created Baron *Berkley* of *Strattan* in *Somersetshire*, Anno 1658. After the Restoration, he was made Lord Lieutenant of *Ireland*, where he continued three Y. and was sent afterwards Embassador into *France*. Upon his Return from thence he fell sick, and died at *London* in 1668, leaving four Sons and a Daughter.

Berlin, a German City in the Marquisate of *Brandenburg*, and the usual Residence of the Elector of that Name, now K. of *Prussia*. A large, fair and well built T. seated on the *R. Spree*, which divides it into two parts, the one properly called *Berlin*, and the other *Cohn*. The Prince's Palace, divers beautiful Squares, its fine Streets, and regular Houses, contribute much to the Pleasantness of the Place. The R. makes it full of Trade, great Barks arriving there continually from *Hamburg*, and other Cities upon the *Elbe* and the *Oder*; a Communication being made with the *Spree* and those two Rivers by Canals drawn from it.

Bermudas, or *Sommer Islands*, a Cluster of small Islands, lying directly E. about 200 Leagues from *Virginia*, in *N. America*. They are about 400, called *Bermudas* from a Spaniard of that Name, who first dis-

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discovered them; and *Sommer Islands* from Sir *George Sommers*, who being Shipwreck'd on their Coasts in 1609, was so taken with their Beauty and Fruitfulness, that he did his utmost to settle a Plantation there. These Islands are so strong by Nature, being surrounded with Rocks on all sides, that none but skilful Pilots can steer Ships of any Burden into 'em. And the *English* have so fortify'd the Avenues by Forts and Block-houses, that they need not fear any Insult. Of whom the first Colony sent thither was under the Command of *Rich. Moor*, who built 8 Forts for their Defence. To whom succeeded *Daniel Tucker*, in 1618, who much encouraged the improving of so good a Soil, and the planting of Trees and Tobacco. The next that had the Command of these Islands was Captain *Butler*, who carried 500 Persons thither, and divided the Islands into Districts. Which were Peopled in so short a time, that in the Y. 1623, there were reckoned

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Spiders of various Colours, but without any Venom, which make their Webs so strong in hot Weather, that little Birds are often caught in 'em. As for the Air, 'tis so very wholesome, temperate, and serene, that People live there to a very great Age, and are seldom troubled with any Sickness, which has occasioned many to remove from *England* thither. But here is great Want of fresh Water, none to be had but what is drawn out of Wells, Pits, and Cisterns. Another Inconvenience incident to this Island is, their being subject to most violent Storms, with dismal Claps of Thunder, and Flashes of Lightning.

Bernabon, Son to *Stephen*, and Brother to *Galeas II*, Lord of *Milan*, was a stout, but cruel Prince, and a very great Oppressor of his Subjects. He burnt two Capuchins for telling him of his Faults. But his Nephew, *John Galeas*, conspired so dexterously against him, and his Friends declared so opportunely for him, that he

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der *Lewis* the Young. Which not answering Expectation, his Censurers took occasion from thence to blame him. His Works were published at *Paris* in 1667, in Six Parts, with Notes and Observations upon the difficult Places; which Edition contains divers Treatises not to be found elsewhere.

Bernard, Count of *Barcelona*, and Great Chamberlain to the K. and Emp. *Lewis* the Meek. As he was much in Favour with *Judith* the Empress, even to a Suspicion that made him vain and arrogant, and created him Enemies. However he defended the Frontiers very well against the Saracens of *Spain*. In 831 *Lewis* being reconciled to his Sons, who had shewed a great Discontent upon *Bernard's* being so great a Favourite of *Judith* their Step-Mother, *Bernard* came to the Parliament at *Thionville*, to fight him that would accuse him; but none appearing, he purged himself by Oath. The next Year the Emp. being come into *Limosin*, deprived him of his Employments. In 844, he was condemned by the Grantees of the Kingdom, and put to Death.

Bernard (James) Guardian of the *Franciscans* of the Convent of *Rive*, at *Geneva*; lived in the XIIth Cen. Being resolved in 1535, to imbrace the Reformation, he caused *Theses* to be affixed, containing 5 Propositions against the Mass, and the Corporeal Presence in the Sacrament, and the other Superstitions in the Church of *Rome*, which should be in his Convent defined. To shew that he was convinced of the Truth of what he had advanced, he quitted his Monastery and habit, and married a Painters Daughter of *Geneva*.

Bernard the younger Son of *Albent the Fair*, Prince of *Alania*, was so much in Favour with the Emp. *Frederick Barbarossa*, who in the Fortitude of *Hen. Lee*, invested him with

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the D. of *Saxony*, adding to his Arms a Bundle of *Rac*. He with Resolution and Zeal withstood the Designs of *Hen. VI*, to make the Empire Hereditary. He was a Prince of Honour and Generosity, and the Founder of the Family of *Saxony*, as his Second Son was of that of *Hainault*, and his Elder Brother Orso of that of *Brandenburg*.

Bernard of *Luxembourg*, a *Dominican* of the XVIth Cen. Who having writ several Books, died at *Cologne*, 1535.

Bernard of *Brussels*, an eminent Painter, and esteemed by *Charles V*, Emp. for whom the hunting Pieces he drew are famous, as well as his Piece of the Day of Judgement, and his 16 Draughts of the Princes and Princesses of *Nassau*.

Bernardins, call'd also *Cistercians* from *Robert*, Abbot of *Citeaux* in *Burgundy*, their Founder; as *Bernardins* from *St. Bernard*, who had render'd their Order famous. Their Habit is white, their Rule that of *St. Bennet*. There are Nuns of the same Order.

Bernardinus de Sahagun, a *Franciscan*, of the XVIth or XVIIth Cen. and a *Spaniard*, who has writ a History of the *American* Idolaters of *New Spain*, and a Grammar and Dictionary of their Language.

Bernazzano, born in *Milan*, and an eminent Landskip Painter, whose Mastery being only brute Animals, he joined with *Cesar de Sesto* for human Figures.

Berne, a Can. and C. of *Switzerland*, on the R. *Aar*, in a Peninsula made by that R. a great Ditch and Bastions defending that part that is not secured by the Water. The whole C. is almost adorned with Piazzas; its ancient Church of *St. Vincent*, the Publick Library, and Arsenal are noble. Before the Reformation 'twas under the Bp. of *Lausanne*, in Spirituals, whose Place was supply'd in 1528, by a Mini-

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flers, 4 of the Grand Council, and 2 of the small one. The Sovereign Power is lodged in a Council of 200, dependant on which is a Council of 26, which every Day assembles to hear Causes, &c. The Heads of both Councils are called *Schaltsefeb*, or *Avoyer*; it was built by *Berthold IV* and *V*, Dukes of *Zezinghen* from the Y. 1174 to 1191: its Arms are a Bear, as its Name signifies, the Cause of which is uncertain. They got their Liberty soon after *Bertold V*, submitted to the Empire. Being often attack'd by its Neighbours, it was defended in its Freedom by the Earls of *Savoy*; till at last uniting with the other Cantons, it became capable of their common Defence. This Can. being the most extensive and powerful of the 13, being bounded by *Uri*, *Unterwald*, *Luzern*, part of *Basle*, and *Prengarten*, *Burgundy*, *Solure*, *Savoy*, *France*, and *Genève*; being about 4 Days Journey in the longest Place, and 2 in the broadest; the five Courts of *Gene* is within this

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died at *Rome* 1680, 82 Years old.

Bernon, or *Berno*, a German Monk in the XIth Cen. Abbot of *Richmon*, near the Lake of *Constance*, and Author of several Books.

Bernulph, in the IXth Cen. usurped the Crown of *Mercia* from *Kelwulf*, and after 3 Y. Reign, being defeated by *Egbert*, was slain in his flight to the *East Angles*.

Bersaldus (*Philip*) a Native of *Bannonia* in *Italy*, having been Professor of Humanity at *Parma*, &c. His Works show him one of the most learned in that kind of any of the XVth Cen.

Bersaldus (*Philip*) his Son, was one of the most celebrated Poets of his Time, and Library Keeper to the *Vatican*.

Bersaldus (*Francis*) Son of the former, who published several Things, but none extraordinary.

Bero, *Berthea*, or *Beres*, a Syrian G. and Archb. under the Patriarch of *Antioch*, supposed to be the Modern *Abp*. Also a G. of *Macraon*, on

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doed with difficulty by *Julius Cæsar*; from the *Romans* it fell to the *Ks. of Aquitain*, and was sold to *Hugh Capet* for 60000 *Sols* of Gold, by *Guiney* fixt on his Voyage to the *Isly Land*, and gives now the Title of Duke to one of the Royal Sons of *France*.

Bertha, or *Bertrada*, was Mother to *Charlemagne, &c.* dying at *Choissy*, 783.

Bertha, one of the most famous Princeesses of the Xth Cen. for Beauty, Wit, Courage, and Address in the Management of all manner of Affairs. She first married *Theobald* Earl of *Arles*, on whose Death, she was married to *Adelbert* Marquis of *Tuscany*, whom she entirely governed, and made a League to pull down *Berengarius* K. of *Italy*, in which Dignity her Husband had established him; who being lost in the Contest, she and her Son, by him, fell into the Hands of *Berengarius*, and, tho' his Prisoner, would yield to none of his Demands; yet she got her Liberty, dying in 925. Having had by her first Husband, *Hugh*, K. of *Arles* and *Italy*; and by the second, *Guido*, and *Lambert*, and *Hermengarda*, a Daughter.

Berthe, or rather *Bertha*, a Daughter of *France*, and Wife to K. *Ethelbert* of *Kent*; she was a great Means of his, and in him of the Saxons Conversion to Christianity.

Bertholdus, of *Rorbarch*, burnt at *Saïre* in 1359, for Heresy, having after once renouncing it, taught there that Christ doubted on the Cross of his Salvation.

Bertholdus Niger, or the Black, a German Monk and Chymist, said to invent Gunpowder and Fire Arms, first used by the *Venetians*, 1380, against the *Genoese*, in the Battle of *Chioza*.

Bertin or *Betini* (*George*) born in *Italy*, became a Physician of great Parts in the XVIth Cen. having writ several Books.

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Bertinoro, a C. and Bish, in *Romania* in *Italy*, under the A. of *Ravenna*, and subject to the Pope.

Bertius was born at *Beures* in *Flanders*, 1565, and having for 26 Y. been Humanity Professor at *Leyden*, and turn'd out for *Arminianism*, retired to *France*, and turning Papist died Cosmographer to *Lewis XIII*, leaving behind him many Books.

Bertold, was Ld of *Mirebeau* in *Poitou*, subject to the *English* in the time of *Hen. III*, being unable to hold that Fortress out against the *French* K. *St. Lewis*, without Succour, came and threw himself at the K. Feet to demand his Pleasure, as to his Conduct in the Defence of the Place; *Henry* sensible he could not relieve it, gave him leave to make what Terms he cou'd for himself; on which Permission coming to the *French* Camp, to promise Fealty to that K. boldly bid him look on him as vanquished by Force, for without his old Master's Permission he had found him in Arms, but now he wou'd continue to be his, as long as he continued to take care of him. *St. Lewis* received him with Joy, and gave him his Place to keep for him.

Bertrain, a Dominican of the XIVth Cen. of great Reputation for Learning, lett several Tracts behind him.

Bertram (*Cornelius*) a Learned Hebrew Professor at *Geneva*, whose Translation of the Bible is still used by the *French Hugonots*.

Bertrand (*St*) was of the Royal Family of the Princes of *Aquitain*; in the Usurpation of *Thierry* and *Theobert*, he was proscrib'd and confin'd, but upon the Success of *Clothair*, was again restored to his Bish. of *Mons*, and died in 624, 70 Y. old.

Bertrand succeeded his Father *Geoffrey* in the Earl. of *Provence* in 1063, sided with the Pope against *Hen. IV*, Emp. and died 1090, uncertain whether Childless or not.

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Bertrand, a Family of *Tholouse*, among many illustrious Persons of which, *Nicholas*, Advocate of the Parliament of that City, and a great *Civilian* in the time of *Francis I.* left several Books.

Bertrand (Peter) a brave *Frenchman*, killed at the *Naderas*, in his Voyage for settling a Colony there as a Retreat of Commerce for the *French* in *Africa*; where the *Portuguese* firing on him, in time of Peace, he landed 800 Men, beat them, took their T. rilled it, and attacking a Church was shot in the Thigh, of which he died in a few Days. This was in the Reign of *Charles IX.*

Bertrand of *Rheims*, otherwise the true *Baldwin*, E. of *Flanders*, and Emp. of *Constantinople*; for some would have this Hermit only a Native of *Rheims*; others, that *Baldwin* escaping from the *Turks*, liv'd as a Hermit, in the Forest of *Portenay* and *Glaucou*. After being received and honoured for *Baldwin*, he was hanged, either on the Discovery of

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selfes from *Thomas Bertue*, Commander of *Hurst Castle* in the *Ile of Wight*, and *Montague E.* of *Lincolsey*, and Ld Great Chamberlain of *England*.

Bertulfe, K. of *Mertin*, or the *W. Saxons*, expelled his K. by the *Danes*, in the IXth Cen.

Bertulfe (Peter) was born of an illustrious Family, derived from *Champaigne*, and notwithstanding his Vow against all Ecclesiastick Dignities, the Pope absolving that, obliged him to accept of a Cardinal's Cap. He first introduced the Fathers of the Oratory into *France*.

Berwald, a *Brandenburgh T.* beyond the *R. Oder*, made remarkable for the League betwixt *Sweden*, the *German Princes*, and *France*, in 1631.

Beryllus, Ep of *Basira* in *Arabia*, in the IIIrd Age, was convinced of the Error he had fall'n into, of the Sons having no distinct Essence from the Father before the Incarnation, by *Origen*; his Dialogues with whom have placed him among the Ecclesiastick Writers.

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Pictures worth seeing. 'Tis very ancient, and was the Seat of the *Druids* Religious Worship, from them it passed to the *Romans*, several Ruins of whose Buildings yet remain, particularly a Triumphant Arch to *Aurelian*, being ruined by the *Germans*, *Huns*, *Burgundians*, &c. but after all, re-built in the same Place and Form it now stands.

Beschebian (*Peter*) was born at *Blis*, 1380; his Family was of note; his Skill in Physick prefer'd him to be Physician to *Q. Mary*, Wife to *Charles VII.* K. of *France*; he was besides *Bp.* of *Chartres*. Physicians and Lawyers in those Days being denied Marriage.

Bessy (*John*) was a Native of *Poitou*, Advocate to the K. in *Fontenay*, a learned Antiquary, and wrote several Books.

Bessarabia, a large Pr. of the *Turkish* Empire in *Europe*, not far from the Mouth of the *Danube*, its Capital *C.* is *Budziack*.

Bessarion, born at *Trebizonde* in *Asia*, in the XV Cen. was Scholar to *Platbo*, and under so great a Master he made as great a Progress in Learning; becoming a Monk of *St. Basil*, he was chose Arch. of *Nice*, and afterwards Patriarch of *Constantinople*. In 1439 he signed the Doctrines of the *Romish* Church after a Speech at the Council of *Florence*, and received a Cardinal's Cap. On the Death of *Paul II.* he was near to be chosen Pope. His House was the Retreat of all Men of Learning. His Library, very rich in *Greek* Books, he gave the State of *Venice*. He admired *Plato*, and wrote several Treatises. After having been Legate to several Popes, being disgusted with his *French* Legation, he is thought to have died of Grief.

Bessun a T. of *Auvergne* only remarkable for its Neighbourhood to the Golden Mountain; whereon is a large Lake into which a Stone

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thrown, causes Thunder, Lightning, and Rain, &c. if my Author may be believed.

Bessus, Governour of *Bactria*, that was delivered by *Alexander* the Great to *Oxathres*, Brother of *Darius*, whom *Bessus* had murdered 2 Years before, in the CXII Olympiad, to be punished; and his Ears and Nose being cut off, he was put on a Cross, and shot to Death by the Soldiers.

Bessus, a Parricide that discover'd his Crime by the killing of Birds, which upbraided him with his Father's Death.

Betaw, part of the Dm. of *Gulderland*, and of the old *Batavia*, from whence it takes its Name; 'tis divided into *Higher* and *Lower*; its Capital is *Nimeguen*.

Bethany, a T. and Castle of *Judaea*, fam'd for the dwelling of *Mary* and *Mariha*, and the raising *Lazarus* from the Dead. Also one beyond *Jordan*.

Bethel, a City of *Samaria*. *Josias* pull'd down the Altar of Abomination built there by *Jeroboam*. It signifies the House of God, and was first called *Luz*, being afterwards called *Bethoven*, or the House of Iniquity, from the Calves worshipped there.

Berben-Court (*John de*) Baron of *St. Martin de Gaillard*, &c. the first *Christian* that conquered part of the *Canaries*, with the Commission of *Henry III.* K. of *Castile*, having mortgaged his Estate in *France* for the Expedition, in which he had so far Success as to possess himself of *Lancelets*, with the Appellation of K. in 1401.

Bethesda, a Pool or Pond of Water near the Temple-Porch in *Jerusalem*, in which they washed the Sheep and Beasts they sacrificed, Famous for curing the Lame, Paralytick, &c. after its Waters were stirred by an Angel, which at particular times often happen'd.

Bethlehem, or the House of Bread, the

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the chief C. of *David* in *Judas*, not far from *Jerusalem*; the Road between which, is extremely delightful, and the Country round fruitful. It being the Birth-place of *Jesus Christ*, that only now gives it a Name. The number of its Houses exceed not 150, of *Turks*, *Arabians*, *Greek*, and *Maronite* Christians; the Church built by *Helen* is yet standing, tho' defaced by the *Turks* to adorn their Mosques; on the N. is a *French* Convent so walled, as if a Fort. The Christians are forced not only to supply the *Macometans* that pass that way, but to bear their Insults. It was once a Bish. under the Arch. of *Jerusalem*.

Also a Titular Bish. in the Dio. of *Auxerre* in a small T. of *Nivernois*, called *Clopiei*; continued from *Reinard* B. of the former *Berkehem*, driven from thence by the Infidels, and following the E. of *Nivers* into *France*.

Berkehem Gabor, or *Gabriel Berkehem*, born only a private Gentleman of small Estate in *Transylvania*, by his

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Jews: Whose Attempts to restore the Jewish Monarchy and Religion in *Adrian's* time, ruined the Nation.

Bethsaida, a City of *Zabulon* on the N. of the *Lake Tiberias*; *Peter*, *Philip*, and *Andrew*, Apostles, were born here, being remarkable for Christ's Threats to it for its Impenitence and Want of Faith on the sight of his Miracles.

Bethshan, *Berfan*, *Nisa*, &c. once a C. of Renown for Building, and its Defence against the *Israelites*, when the rest of the Country was conquered by *Joshua*: Here was *Saul's* Body hang'd on the Wall by the *Philistines*.

Bethsheba, first the Wife of *Uriah*, whom *David* commanded *Joab* to sacrifice at the War, and then married *Bethsheba*, whom he had debauch'd; the Child of which Adultery dying, he had by her *Solomon*.

Bethshebim, the Name of three Jewish Ts. one in *Napikali*, which that Tribe could not win from the old *Israhelites*; another in the time of

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Basifac (*John*) an ill Counsellor of *John D. of Berry*, in his Violences and Oppressions, but for unnatural Crimes suffered Death, to the Satisfaction of those People he had abus'd.

Beilis, a C. of *Turcomania*, stands betwixt two Mountains, about 2 m. distant from each other; its Castle stands on the Top of a Hill like a Sugar Loaf, and is subject to the K. of that Country, independant of both *Turk* or *Persian*, and able to bring a numerous Army of Horse and Foot into the Field; both the foregoing Princes keep fair with him, the Caravans passing the Streights of his Mountainous Country betwixt *Aleppo* and *Tawris*.

Baton (*David*) was of one of the noblest Families of *Scotland*, and Son of the Baron of *Balfour*, being Archb. of *St. Andrew's*, and Cardinal; he was on the Reformation assassinated for his Zeal and Violence against the Reformers, and hung out of his own Palace Window in his Cardinals Habit.

Betuleius (*Sixtus*) or *Birk*, was born at *Memmingen* in *Suabia*, in 1500; he was a good Scholar, and Master to *Xylander*, and several other learned Men, and writ many Books, Prosaic and Poetical.

Beveland, an Island of *Zealand*, divided into N. and S. by the Tempest, that in 1532, split it in two. The C. of *Goes* is in this Island.

Beverly, a Borough T. of *East-Riding* in *Yorkshire*, 6 m. N. W. of *Hull* on the *Humber*. Its Priviledges were granted for its being the Retreat of *John de Beverley*, Archb. of *Tork*, after the Resignation of his Archb. *Q. Eliz.* first made it a Mayor T. It sends two Members to Parliament, which now are, *Sir Charles Holham*, Bar. and *William Gee*, Esq;

Bentherius (*Michael*) was born at *Carlsburg* in *Lower Saxony*, whose Father *Michael* was Governour of that T. He was a great Scholar, and having passed thro' some Negotiations

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for the Emp. *Charles V*, he settled at *Strasburg*, and taught History and Chronology, on which, and other Subjects he wrote many things, dying 1587, 65 Y. old.

Beuvray or *Beuret*, the ancient *Bibraſte* or *Julia* in *Caſar's* Time, lies in the Territory of *Autun*, the Winter Quarters of *Caſar's* Soldiers, often in *Gaul*, and where he summoned the Deputies of *Gaul*.

Beux, a *Burgundian* Village, famous for *Cruailliere*, stiled the Physician of *Beux*, a successful Quack or Emperic, who, without applying himself to the Study of Physick, seemed by the Peoples Faith in him to be so far Master of Diseases and their Cures, that settling at *Seignelay*, not far from *Beux*, besides large Legacies, he left his Son a good Physician, 25000 l. Sterling.

Bewlan, an *English* Priest in the VIIth Cen. writ of the Origin of the *Saxons*, &c. an other, either Nephew or Son to this, that wrote various Books in the same Cen.

Bey, a *Turkish* Name for a Governour, K. or Viceroy of the Port Towns.

Bey-curde, Prince of *Cundistan*, which lies between *Persia* and *Armenia*, among the inaccessible Mountains.

Beza (*Theodorus*) was born at *Versal*, a T. in *Burgundy*, 1519; his Uncle, *Nicholas Beza*, Counsellor of the Parliament of *Paris*, took care of his Education, when he was young, both at *Paris*, *Orleans*, and *Bourges*; who dying 1532, and having designed him for the Church, *Claude Beza*, Abbot of *Froimont* promoted his endeavour in that Way, being made Dr. of *Law* at 20 Y. old, at *Orleans*, and being grown famous for his excellent Poetry, he quitted his Priory, in 1548, and retired to *Geneva*, where he was chose Minister on the Death of *Claudius Pontanus*. He was often deputed by *Calvin*, to confer with the *Lutherans*, who

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who designed him his Successor, as he was, about 1603. He was at the Conference of *Potsdam*, and presided at the Synod of *Rochelle*, and in that of *Münster* the Y. after, and was looked on as the Patriarch of the Protestants of *Switzerland*, *France*, and *Flanders*. His Works are too numerous, and too well known to particularize. He died in his 87th Y. in 1605.

Bezaleel, the Nephew of *Moses*, by *Miriam* his Sister, an excellent Artificer in Gold Silver, Stones, &c. and made use of with *Aboliab*, to make the Tabernacle, &c.

Bezant, from *Byzantium*, now *Constantinople*, is the Name of a Piece of Money of that C. originally, but was used afterward as a common Name for the Eastern Coin.

Bezek, a C. of *Canaan*, famous for the best Wine of that Country, and the Assembly of *Israel*, by *Saul*, against the *Ammonites*.

Bezbasin, a sort of round Exchange, or Hall of Trades among the *Turks*,

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Bias was born in *Præna*, a C. of *Caria*, one of the 7 Wise Men of *Greece*, in the XLIII Olym. He was a Poet too, and wrote a great many Verses on *Ionia*. Flying from the Siege of *Præna*, he carried nothing off but himself, saying, *All that was his he carried about him*. To some wicked Men calling on Heaven in a Storm, he said, hold your Tongues, lest ye put the Gods in mind that you are here. He dy'd in the generous Office of pleading for a Friend, and that in his Grandson's Arms.

Bible, it signifies a Book, but by way of Excellence, is attributed to the Collection of the *Old* and *New Testament*. The first Translation of it was the *Septuagint*, from which the old Latin, &c. The various Editions and Translations of the Bible are too numerous to be particular on: I shall only give you a sort of Catalogue of them, and refer to larger Books. The *Syrians* have 2 Translations of the *Old Testament*, and their Version of the

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called the *Chaldaick Bible*, is only a Gloss of the *Jews* on the Bible, and some part of it very fabulous. The *Moscovites* have a Bible translated from the *Greek* into their own Language, as now most Christian Nations have. The *Latins*, among various that are Modern, have 2 Ancient, as that call'd the *Italick*, and that of *St. Jerome*, call'd the *Vulgar*, confirmed by the Council of *Trent* for vulgar Use.

Biblia or *Billia*, a *Roman Lady*, so innocent as to think all Men had stinking Breaths, because her Husband had. The same Story goes of the Wife of *Hiero*, and others.

Bibliander (*Theodorus*) a *Switz*. Divine of great Learning in the *XVIth* Cen. He was a Protestant, and died of the Plague at *Zurich*, 1564, leaving behind him several Theological Works.

Biblis, a Martyr in *France* in the *IId* Cen. after having once renounced Christianity.

Biblos, Daughter of *Miletus*, dissolved into a Fountain, with Grief, for her Brother *Cannus*'s refusal of her incestuous Love.

Bibrach or *Bibach*, a *Suabian C.* on the *R. Rufs*, noted for its Mineral Waters, call'd *The Waters of Jordan*; it was wall'd by *Frederick II.* its Name comes from a *Beaver* or *Caster*, a Crown'd one being its Arms, 'till a Crown'd Lion was granted them for their Services to *Maximilian*. It is 5 German m. N. W. of *Ulm*.

Bibulus (*M. Calpurnius*) marry'd *Porcia*, Daughter of *Cato Uticensis*, and was Consul with *Julius Caesar*, whose Popular Baits of the *Lex Agraria*, &c. were so opposed by *Bibulus*, that he lost the Hearts of the infatuated People, that saw no farther than the present Moment; and thro' the Procurement of *Caesar*, such Indignities were offer'd to him, as breaking his Lictor's Rods, &c. that he was forced to keep at home,

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and only act by putting up Protests against *Caesar*'s unfair Proceedings. He had a Son of the same Name, who abridg'd the *Life of Cato*.

Bicom, being one of the *Greek Army* that was posted, by *Alexander the Great*, with the Colony in *Bactria*, made *Athenodorus* be murder'd at a Feast, he had invited him to for that end, on Suspicion of his usurping Regal Authority over the Colony, in which he had made great Progress. *Bicom* now ready to suffer by the Mutiny of the Soldiers, was secur'd by the Officers, who appeased them; but endeavouring to return this Benefit by the Death of those that gave it, he and *Boxius*, a *Moor*, that murdered *Athenodorus* for him, were seiz'd, and the first kill'd on the Spot; the other being led to the Rack, thro' sudden fear of a Mutiny, was left by his Executioners, and set at Liberty on his throwing himself on the *Greek Soldiers*; and thus twice escaping Death, he returned to *Greece*.

Bicoque, a little T. of the *Milanese*, only noted for the Defeat of *Odet de Foix*, *Mareschal of France*, by the *Switzers*, in 1522. 'Tis 3 m. from *Milan*.

Bidache, a little T. on the *R. Bidouze*, in *Bearn* or the *Lower Navarre*, noted for its Castle's baffling the Arms of the Emp. *Charles V.* It belongs to the Family of *Grammont*.

Bidassee, a R. rising in the *Pyrenean Hills* about *Maia*, running into the Sea about *Fenarabia*; it divides *France* and *Spain*, especially at the *Ile of Pheasants*, in which the detestable Peace concluded in 1659, by *Mazarine* and *Mendez de Haro*, betwixt *France* and *Spain*, was concluded, by which *Lewis XIV.* married the *Infanta*, and made the Renunciation under solemn Oaths, which he has now violated to the Ruine of *Europe*.

Bider or *Beder*, the strongest Fortrefs of *Visagour*, and taken by *Aren-*

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220, in his first War against *Colonia*.

Biderman (*James*) a Native of *Germany*, and a Jesuit, who was Professor of Philosophy at *Delingen*, and Divinity at *Rome*, and was Author of several valuable Things.

Biel (*Gabriel*) a learned *German* Divine, sufficiently known by his various Works.

Biela or *Biella*, a rich, populous, and Capital C. of the *Bielese*, subject to *Savoy*, noted for being the Place of the Death of *Francis II. D. of Modena* in 1658.

Bielozor, or *Bielejeforo*, a *Dutchy*, and its Capital C. in *Muscovy*, on the Lake *Biel Ozer*. 'Tis thought so impregnable, that the *Czar's* Treasures are kept there, and himself in need of a safe Retreat in War, makes Choice of this C.

Bielski, a T. and Castle on the R. *Opoka* in *Russia* or *Muscovy*, 6 m. W. of *Muscovy*, the *Czar* fleeing himself Prince of *Bielski*.

Bielka, or *Bielak*, the Capital C. of *Polakia*, on the R. *Biela*, surron-

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the R. *Seine* at *Paris*, famous for dying Scarlet.

Bigonius (*Jerome*) born in *France*, 1590; was Advocate General to the Parliament of *Paris*, a Man of extraordinary Learning, especially in the Civil and Municipal Laws. He has wrote several Books.

Bigorre, a Co. of *Gascony*, extending 10 L. from N. to S. and 3 L. from W. to E. is divided into 3 Parts, *Le Rustan*, the Hilly *Bigorre*, and the Plain *Bigorre*; in the Hilly *Bigorre* are two chief Valleys, *Barege*, and *Lavedan*; and the Hills thereof are Barriers betwixt *Spain* and *France*. The Plain is 5 L. long, and 1 broad, and Oval in form; *Le Rustan* is E. of the Hills, and runs along the R. *Aure*; the cap. C. of this Co. is *Trake*, and 'tis bounded N. by *Riviere-basse* and *Armagnac*; S. by the Valleys of *Pentecouse*, and *Breton*; E. by the Vale of *Aure*, the R. *Vendun*, and *Pardine*, &c. and W. by *Bearn*. After the *Romans*, 'twas conquered by the *Ks.* of *France* of the first Race; and at last united to *France*.

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unfer, as also of a R. whose Water was excellent for hardning Iron.

Bilbas, a C. of Spain on the R. *Nerwio*, and the Capital of *Biscain*, about 2 L. from the Sea, rich, populous, and of great Trade, noted for good Sword Blades, stands in a fertile Country and good Air, 24 m. S. of *Bayonne*.

Biladulgerid, or *Beledalgerid*, an African Region of great length, tho' not very broad, reaching E. and W. from *Egypt* to the Ocean; 'tis bounded N by *Barbary*, and S. by the Desert of *Zaura*; and contains several Mahometan Kms. with Princes of a limited Power, as *Susa*, *Dara*, *Tafleta*, *Fassin*, &c. and *Biladulgerid* properly so called; into it *Atlas* thrusts several of its Arms, its cap. C. *Taradante*, is about 500 m. S. of *Tunis*, and something more S. E. of *Algiers*; its Soil is generally sandy and barren, and wanting Water; its People almost barbarous and poor, bear Hunger to a Wonder, and are jealous of their Wives to extremity; they live in Tents, and have a Point of Honour of not marrying a Whore.

Bilichilde, from a young beautiful Slave married to *Theodbert* K. of *Austresia*, and having had by him 2 Sons and a Daughter, on some Fault was put to death by him in 609.

Bilans (*Adam*) originally a Joyner, however became a tolerable Poet, and published several indifferent Pieces.

Billi (*James de*) a very learned Abbot of the XVIIth Cen. He translated several of the Greek Fathers into Latin.

Bilson (*Thomas*) born at *Winchester*, and bred at that School, and having been Master and Warden of it, in 1596, was chose Bp. of *Worcester*, and thence the Y. following removed to *Winchester*, by Q. *Eliz.* besides his other Works, he had the chief Hand in the Translation of the Bible. He dy'd in 1618.

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Bimini, one of the *Lucay* Islands of *America*, its Rocks and rough Sea, make its Access difficult, but being entred you find a Country pleasant enough, and from its abundance of handfom Women, said once to have a Fountain that made them always young.

Binch, a C. of *Hainault* well fortify'd, in a good Air and plentiful Country, once remarkable for a fine Palace built by *Mary*, Sister to *Charles V. Emp.* 'Tis now subject to *France*, by the Treaty of *Aix la Chapelle*.

Bingen, a T. on the *Rhine*, at the Mouth of the R. *Naue* at *Nabe*; 'tis 4 German m. from *Mayence*, and was once Imperial; 'tis chiefly noted for its Neighbourhood to a Castle in an Island in the *Rhine*, where *Hatto* Archb. of *Mayence*, was devoured alive by Rats.

Binius (*Severinus*) born at *Randeltraids* in *Juliers*, Canon of the Cathedral of *Cologne*, and Professor and Dr. of Divinity. He published in 1606, a Faulty Edition of the Councils in IV Tomes.

Binsfeld (*Peter*) of *Luxemburg*, Grand Vicar of the Archb. of *Treves*, and Cannon of the C. flourished in the XVIIth Cen. and was Author of many Books.

Bion, a Name common to ten Men; the first born in *Scythia* near the *Boryphenes*, in the CXXVth Ol. from being the Disciple of *Crates*, he pass'd thro' the Opinions of the *Cyriacks*, *Theodoreans*, *Peripateticks*. He was a Man of Wit, tho' then esteemed an Atheist for his Disbelief of *Polytheism*; he wou'd not marry, because he said, a beautiful Wife was offensive to the Head, and an ugly one to the Heart; the 2d was contemporary with *Pherecydes* of *Sciros*; the 3d. a *Syracusan* Rhetorician; the 4th. being a Mathematician of *Abdera*, was a follower of *Democritus*, and first discovered, that near the Poles, the Days and Nights were of about 6 Months duration;

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the 5th. born at *Solos*, writ about *Æthiopia*; the 6th. wrote 9 Books of Rhetorick, each Book under the Name of a Muse; the 7th was a Lyrick, and the 8th a Tragick Poet; the 9th a Carver of *Miletum*, and the 10th a Carver of *Chios*, or *Chazomenium*.

Biorno, K. of *Swedeland* in the time of *Charlemain*, to whom he sent for Preachers to convert his People; in 813 some went, and more in 826, with *Ausgare* first Bp. of *Hamburg*.

Birague (*Renatus*) was a Cardinal, and born at *Milan*; he fled from *Lewis Sforza*, to *France*, and said he was a Chancellor without Seals, a Priest without a Benefice, and a Cardinal without a Title; he dy'd in *France*, 72 Y. old, in 1583.

Birger succeeded his Father *Magnus II*, in the Km. of *Swedeland*, in 1282. His first Ys. like *Nero's*, were good under the Direction of *Turgel*; but he afterwards grew such a Tyrant and so corrupt an Oppressor, by the Instigation of his Wife, that he

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1594, and being Governour of *Burgundy*, he took several Places; he signaliz'd himself after in the *Spanish War*, but having been made D. of *Biron*, and Peer of *France* after his Return from his *English Embassy*, he enter'd into a Treaty with the *Spaniard* and *Savoyard*, his K's Enemies, on some Discontents, and denying it obstinately, he was condemned and executed for Treason, in 1602.

Birs, a R. rising in *Mount Jura*, is noted for its vast Sea-fish, called *Nase*, and is useful for Navigation to *Brasil*.

Biscaye, or *Viscaya*, a Prov. of *Spain*, fertile and pleasant, and the Seat of the old warlike *Cantabri*, reduced with so much difficulty by the *Romans*, and no less by *Don Pedro the Cruel*. *Bilboa* is its Capital C. nor are *Orduna*, *Laredo*, &c. inconsiderable: It is bounded N. by the Sea of *Biscay*, S. by old *Castile*, E. by *Guipuscoa*, and W. by the *Asturies*.

Biscaye (*New*) a Province of *New*

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the Maintenance of the Temple. This Km. derives its Name from *Bisnagar* its Capital C. built with its Castle on a Mountain, 4 m. round, and encompassed with several Walls, which are 24 m. about. The Magnificent Court of the K. is kept at *Pannegonde*, 6 Days Journey from it.

Bisnaw, a Sect of *E. India Bauians*, whose God *Ram-Ram*, administers the World without any Deputy, whereas the Sect of *Samerath* give him several; but he has a Wife. The Wives of the *Bisnaws* burn not themselves with their Husbands but live always Widows; they are all Merchants, and eat nothing that is kill'd.

Bissexile, see *Calendar* and *Year*.

Bisignano, a C. of the hither *Calabria*, and a Principality and Bpk. immediately depending on the Pope, betwixt the Sea of *Tuscany* and *Roseto*, belong'd of old to the *Brutii*, and is often mentioned by *Livy*, &c. now not populous.

Bitetto, a C. of *Naples*, only remarkable for being a B. under the A. of *Bari*.

Bitbia, *Scythian* Women that are fidd'd to have 2 Apples to one Eye, and so bewitch and kill with the Sight.

Bitbynia, a Province of *Natolia*; *Bursa* is now its chief C. tho' it contains *Nice*, *Chalcedon*, *Heraclea*, *Apamea*, &c. the first and second famous for its Councils; it stretches along the *Pontus Euxinus*, *Archipelago*, &c. *Nicomedes IV*, K. of *Bitbynia*, and great Friend to *Julius Caesar*, dying without Issue, left his Country a Legacy to *Rome* in the 679 Y. of that C.

Bitutus, a Gallick K. who bringing a 100000 Men into the Field against *Fabius Maximus*, was defeated, and carried Prisoner to *Rome*, with his Son, A. R. 633.

Bizacena, an *African* Province, now in the Km. of *Tunis*, and a C

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of the same Name, and Bish. under *Carthage*. The Province is noted for 4 Councils held here; the 1. to recall 4 Bps. banished by *Thrasimond*, K. of the *Vandals*; the 2. about Discipline; a 3. about *Clement* Patriarch of the Province; and a 4. against the *Monothelites*, in 646.

Bizance, or rather *Byzantium*. See *Constantinople*.

Bizebani, i. e. without a Tongue, the Name of the Mutes of the *Seraglio*.

Bizes, Sovereign Governour of *Naxos*, without the Name of K. He found out the way of sawing and polishing Marble.

Blacu, or *Blaauw*, or *Janson* (*William*) also *Jenjonius Cesium*, a Disciple of *Tyche Brabe's*, in the XVIIth Cen. and a great Printer of *Amsterdam*, fam'd for his own Writings in Geography, as much as the five Editions of other Mens. He died in 1638, Aged 67.

Blaire, or the *Blaire of Athol*, a Space or Plain, without Woods, surrounded with Hills, &c. lately fam'd for the Battle betwixt Major-General *Mackay*, and the *Ld. Dundie*; the latter being kill'd on the Place, which put an end to the Efforts of the *Jacobites* in *Scotland*.

Blaise (St.) an *Armenian* Order of Knighthood, instituted by the Ks. of *Armenia*, in Honour of St. *Blaise*. The Knights wore blue, and a red Cross, with the *Armenian* Lion.

Blake (Sir *Robert*) being Admiral of the *English* Fleet, he beat the *Dutch* twice in 1652, near the *Goodwin Sands*, and under *Van Trump*, *de Ruyter*, &c. But 2 more noble Actions, and more worthy an *Englishman*, he did in 1655, and 1656; the first at *Tunis*, *Algiers*, and *Tripoly*, burning the *Turkish* Ships, beating their Men, and setting free all *English* Slaves; and the Y. following fighting the *Spaniard* in the Bay of *Cadiz*, and taking two of their Plate Fleet, for which he was presented

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sented with a Diamond, as earnest of a greater Reward, which his Death, in 1657, prevented.

Blancanus (*Joseph*) a Jesuit of *Bononia*, eminent for Mathematical, as well as other Learning; he dy'd at *Parma*, 1634, and left many Books.

Blanche, Daughter of *Eleanor* of *England*, and *Alphonso IX*, K. of *Castile*, Wife of *Lewis the Lion*, K. of *France*, and Crown'd with him at *Rheims* in 1223; her Wisdom and Piety obliged the K. on his Death to leave her Regent of the Realm, during his Son *Lewis's* Minority; she bore him 9 Sons and 2 Daughters, of whom *St. Lewis* the Eldest she Educated with great Care and Piety, and overcame the Factions made against her Government, both now, and when left Regent by her Son. She dy'd at *Paris* in 1252.

Blanche, Wife to *Charles IV*, of *France*, was Daughter to *Otto IV*, Earl of *Burgundy*, who, with her Sister that married *Philip the Fair*, Brother of *Charles IV*, was found

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Abbat, not far from *Shroftbury* in *Derfetshire*, was admitted of *Christ Church* in *Oxford*, 1635; and being then admitted of *Wadham*, was elected Fellow in 1644; on the Restoration he was made Dr. of Divinity, and Warden of *Wadham*, Prebendary of *Glocester*, and one of the K's. Chaplains. In 1665, he was consecrated Bp. of *Oxford*, and having been made Dean of the Royal Chappel, in 1671, he was translated to the See of *Worcester*, where he dy'd in 1675.

Blancanus (*George*) born in *Piedmont*, or *Saluces*; was Physician in the XVIth Cen. to *Sigismund K.* of *Poland*, whom he is said to have infected with his resin'd *Arianism*, having made his Escape from the *Italian* Inquisition.

Blanka, an Island in the Bay of *Mexico*, 6 German L. in compass, part woody, part Champayne, noted for breeding abundance of Goats, its only Inhabitants, to hunt which the *Indians* and *Spaniards* go to it, as the *Dutch* do for Salt.

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studied at *Oxford*; in 1565 he
held a *Greek* Lecture at *Merton Col-
ledge*, where after he had been
Proctor, he travelled to learn the
Modern Languages: On his Return,
having pass'd thro' several Honou-
rable Embassies, he retired to *Oxford*,
and refusing to come any more to
Court, he applied himself entirely
to forming the *Bodleian Library*,
known to all the learned World.

Bodmin, a Borough T. on the R.
Alan, in *Cornwall*; it was once a Bish.
and now sends 2 Burgesses to Parlia-
ment, which now are, the Rt. Hon.
John How, Esq; *John Hoblyn*, Esq;

Baedromia, *Athenian* Festivals, ce-
lebrated either in Honour of *These-
us*, on his Victory over the *Amazons*;
or of *Ion*, the Son of *Xuthus*, who
succour'd the *Athenians* in their War
against *Eumolpus*, *Neptune's* Son.

Bohemond, Son to *Robert Guiscard*
of *Apulia*; he was first Prince of *Tar-
rentum*, but taking *Antioch* in the
Expedition to the *Holy Land*, it was
given to him as his Share, with the
Title or Prince of *Antioch*, which
he maintained against both Infidels
and *Greeks*; he married *Constantia*,
Philip the First's Daughter by *Ber-
tha* of *Holland*; and dy'd, 1111, and
was buried in *Apulia*.

Boetia, see *Boetia*.

Boethius (*Hector*) a *Scot*, and Histo-
rian of that Country of dubious
Fame, as for the Veracity of his Sto-
ry; he is defended by *Dempster*, a-
gainst the severe Reflections of
Lloyd.

Boetius (*Anicius*, *Manlius*, *Torqua-
tus*, *Severinus*) lived in the latter
end of the Vth Cen. and the be-
ginning of the VIth; descended of
the ancient Family of the *Anicii*,
and *Torquati*, and was Consul in
418; and having been Minister
to *Theodoric*, King of the *Goths*,

ing him, bid him go on; thus discovering where he was, he returned into *England*, and by acquainting the *Barons*, procured his Liberty.

Blondus (Clavius) was born at *Torli* in *Romania*, in the XVth Cen. tho' he was Secretary to Pope *Eugenius IV.* he was too much a Philosopher to gather any Riches, but Fame by his Histories which were extraordinary, allowing for the barbarisms of Language, that Age was not quite purg'd of. He died at *Rome* 75 Y. old, in 1463, and left 5 learned Sons.

Blount, anciently *le Blound*, a Family considerable in the Days of *Wil.* the First, *Robert Le Blound* and *William Le Blound* his Brother, being both General Officers under that Prince; their Father being Lord of *Guines* in *Normandy*. Hence the present Sir *Walter Blount*, and the late famous Sir *Harry Blount*, the present Sir *Thomas Pope Blount*, &c. derive themselves, a Family eminent in Great and Good Men in Learning and

his Studies, as wou'd make him his Preferment to them; but his tyrical Wit did his Business, and was with Applause received by *Italian Academy* in the XVIIth. He published his *Ragguagli di uasso*, and several Pieces suble to it, till he was forced to *Venice* for fear of the *Spaniards*, and Usurpations on the Liberties of he had reflected on in his *Pier Paragone*; but was murder'd in C. while he was on his Politick courses on *Tacitus*, by 4 Men Sand Bags, beating him in his till he was left Speechless, on Chamber-Fellow's Return; but Murderers cou'd ne'er be found

Boccalis, a Law-giver, and *Egypt*, of an uncertain Age, made distinct Laws of the Pre- tive, and the Bounds of private Rights.

Bocchus, K. of *Mauritania*, and Daughter, *Jugurtha*, K. of *Nu* married, on which *Tye Bocchus* ter'd into the *Tunusian War* as

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of the noble Family of *Bochart de Champigny*; he was a Protestant Minister of *Caen*, of which Academy he was, after his Return from *Sackheim*, whither he had been invited by *Christina*, Queen of Sweden; and died suddenly as he was speaking in the Academy. He left a considerable Estate to his Daughter, and viz many learned Books.

Bochius, or *Botqui* (*John*) a Native of *Brussels*, in the XVIth Cen. and a good Latin Poet, several of whose Tracts are printed.

Böcher, or *Buener*, was born in *Somersetshire*, in the XVth Cen. and was an eminent Physician, Historian, Mathematician, &c. he had the Honour of Knighthood, and wrote several Historical, Astrological, and Medicinal Books.

Boegrave, a small Dutch T. on the Rhine, famous for the Battle in 1672, between the French and the Dutch.

Boelstein (*Andrew*) was born at *Carolestadt* in *Franconia*, and thence call'd *Carolestadius*; from being a Canon and Archdeacon of *Wirtzburg*, he became first a Follower of *Luther*, and lastly an Anabaptist; he perswaded the Students to burn all their Books, betake themselves to Trades, and study only their Bibles; he disputed with *Eckius* about Free Will, and the Merit of Good Works, and being expelled *Basel*, *Strasbourg*, *Switzerland*, &c. as a Mutineer, he died 1541.

Boetius (*John*) a Lawyer and Native of *Angiers*, of great Fame in the XVIth Cen. of perfect Knowledge in History; his Application to Learning, made him poor in all things but Reputation; he dy'd in 1585, leaving several Treatises behind him.

Boeley (*Sir Thomas*) was born in the C. of *Exeter*, in 1544, being in Exile with his Father in the Reign of *Q. Mary*, he studied at *Geneva*, under *Chevalierius*, *Bernaldus*, *Calvin*,

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Beza, and *Philibertus Saracenus*; returning with his Father and Religion in the first of *Q. Elizabeth*, he studied at *Oxford*; in 1565 he held a Greek Lecture at *Merton College*, where after he had been Proctor, he travelled to learn the Modern Languages: On his Return, having pass'd thro' several Honourable Embassies, he retired to *Oxford*, and refusing to come any more to Court, he applied himself entirely to forming the Bodleian Library, known to all the learned World.

Bedmin, a Borough T. on the R. *Alan*, in *Cornwall*; it was once a Bish. and now sends 2 Burgesses to Parliament, which now are, the Rt. Hon. *John How*, Esq; *John Hoblyn*, Esq;

Bedromia, *Athenian* Festivals, celebrated either in Honour of *Theseus*, on his Victory over the *Amazons*; or of *Ion*, the Son of *Xuthus*, who succour'd the *Athenians* in their War against *Eumolpus*, *Neptune's* Son.

Bedmond, Son to *Robert Guischaard* of *Apulia*; he was first Prince of *Tarentum*, but taking *Antioch* in the Expedition to the *Holy Land*, it was given to him as his Share, with the Title or Prince of *Antioch*, which he maintained against both Infidels and Greeks; he married *Constantia*, *Philip* the First's Daughter by *Bertha* of *Holland*; and dy'd, 1111, and was buried in *Apulia*.

Beotia, see *Beotia*.

Boethius (*Hector*) a Scot, and Historian of that Country of dubious Fame, as for the Veracity of his Story; he is defended by *Dempster*, against the severe Reflections of *Lloyd*.

Boetius (*Anicius*, *Manlius*, *Torquatus*, *Severinus*) lived in the latter end of the Vth Cen. and the beginning of the VIth; descended of the ancient Family of the *Anicii*, and *Torquati*, and was Consul in 510; and having been chief Minister to *Theodoric*, K. of the *Goths*,

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On Suspicion of holding Correspondence with the Emp. *Justin*, he and his Father-in-law, *Symmachus*, were first imprisoned, and then beheaded at *Parva*. He wrote several Pieces, some of which are extant in Print.

Boga, an *Egyptian* Mountain, noted for being (with the parts adjacent) the Habitation of some Vagabond Christian *Greeks*, that made sudden Inroads as far as *Nubia*.

Bogislaus, or *Bogu/slaus*, the Brother of *Udo*, and youngest Son of *Mistovan*, K. of the *Vandals*, from whence the Princes of *Meckelburgh* derive themselves. Being taken Prisoner by *Bela*, K. of *Hungary*, he turned Christian, which Religion he had a mortal Aversion to, on his Return to Idolatry, as he did assoon as he had got his Liberty. Having 4 Sons he divided *Pomerania* betwixt them; *Pomerania* on this side the *Oder*, he left *Wratislau*, and *Ratibor*, and *Pomerania* beyond the *Oder*, to *Suansepulchur*, and *Bogislaus*.

Bogislaus I. his Brother dying in

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Daughter, who married her Cousin *Eric* II, in 1523.

Bogislaus X. the Great, succeeding his Father *Eric* II, tho' his youngest Son, was Duke of the whole *Pomerania*. His Wars with the Elector of *Brandenburgh* concluded in marrying his Daughter; and returning from a fatiguing Expedition to *Palestine*, he found an Alteration of Religion in his Country, by the Doctrine of *Luther*; he dy'd. 1523, and left 2 Sons.

Bogislaus XIV, the last of the Family, was obliged to admit Imperial Troops in his Country in 1627, which were driven out by the *Swedes* in 1630. *Bogislaus* dying without Children, and his Sister *Anne*, Dutchess of *Grey*, dying 1660, the *Swedes* and *Brandenburghers* divided the Country betwixt them.

Bogoris, K. of *Bulgaria*, who on the Death of *Theophilus*, Emp. of *Constantinople*, broke the League made with the Empire, hoping the Government of *Theodora* was too weak to punish his Breach of Treaty; but

deriving its Name, as 'tis said, from the *Boii*, a *Gallick* People settled there in the 164 Y. of *Rome*; it abounds with Hills and Woods, yet is fertile and pleasant; 'twas divided into 12 Provinces by the Emp. *Charles IV.* erecting *Prague* into an A. whose A. are 10 Crown the Ks. 'Tis said, that in the VIth or VIIth Cen. it being almost hid in Woods, a numerous People were conducted into it by 2 Brothers, *Leche*, and *Czechow*, who cultivated the Ground, and made it inhabitable, after whose Death, the Divisions that hapned for want of Government, made them choose *Cracus*, a young Man, their Prince; who having made them Laws, dy'd, and left 3 Daughters, *Bela*, *Techa*, and *Libussa*; the last married, by the Instance of the People, *Bratimislav*, 49 Y. of Age, whose Prudence and Wisdom gave him a happy Reign from 632 to 676, and left the Km. to his Son. In 808, *Charlemain* fortify'd *Dresden* against their Incursions, and his Son brought them to be Tributary to the Empire. In 862, *Lewis* K. of the *Romans*, waiting on them, made 12 of their Leaders or Dukes *Christians*; the whole Km. being converted by the means of their D. *Borziwei*, who united *Moravia* to it. In 954 *Bolizlar* was made Tributary and Vassal to the Empire; and in 1200, their K. was made an Elector by *Otto IV.* Emp. which was confirmed by the *Bulla Aurea* of *Charles IV.* in 1356; 'tis the first secular Elector, and gives his Vote after the Elector of *Cologne*, assisting at no Electoral Diet, but when an Emp. is chose. It was once a Fief of the Empire, and given by the Emp. on a Vacancy like other Imperial Fiefs; they a n'd the Title of K. in 1086, before the P. ... it's Ks. Gre ... Emp. Here

Religion; first by the *Waldenses*, who spread their Doctrine much here, which was still confirm'd by *Johs Hus*, and *Jerome of Prague*, from 1230 to 1414, when their K. was made a Convert to *Hus*. In 1467, there were above 200 Congregations, who suffered great Persecutions in 1500; in 1536, the Remains of them united with the *Lutherans*; but that Cause was entirely broke at the Battle of *Prague*, in 1620, where the Emp. gaining Victory over the Elector *Palatine*, the Protestant Religion was forbid all publick Exercise. The History of these *Bohemian Protestants* may be read in *Johannes à Lasce*, and *Abps Comenius*.

Boban, an ancient Family, was akin to, and came in with *William* the First.

Bobassa Rajsa, a Lord of *Bohemia*, who in 1480, sent People to enquire about the World for a pure and uncorrupted Church; who on their Return, declared that none but the *Waldenses* were so.

Bojans, the Name of three *Gaulish* People; the 1st. in *Italy*, where *Parma* and *Modena* now is; the 2^d. in *Bavaria*, call'd also *Bojars*; the 3^d. in the *Celtic Gaul*, now *Auvergne*, and *Bourbonnois*.

Bojars, are Lords of the Czar of *Muscovy's* Court, who administer Justice, trying Causes, and are Ministers of State, and cannot leave *Moscow*, but in attending the Czar; there are 30 of them who live in Magnificent Palaces, and when they ride out on Horse-back, they beat their Whips against a sort of little Kettle-drums, to give the People Notice to make way for them. Their Daily Court paid to the Czar, is at his *Loy*, to clap their Hands on their Foreheads, in Token of their Loyalty; the Word signifies *Lord*, and is given to some Noblemen of *Transylvania*, of the Family of the *Vai-vods*.

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Boid, a *Scotch* Family of great Power in the Minority of *K. James III.* of *Scotland*, in 2 Brothers, *Robert*, and *Alexander*; *Robert* being made Regent; and his Son *Thomas* married to the *K's* Sister; but *Thomas* being gone to bring over the new Queen from *Denmark*, the Enemies of this House, the *Kennedies*, found Means to ruin them; so *Alexander* was beheaded, and *Robert* fled to *England*, and *Thomas* being divorc'd, and declar'd a Rebel, dy'd at *Antwerp*, and was honourably buried by the Duke of *Burgundy*. Of this Name are the present Earls of *Kilmarnock*.

Boileau, without Controversy, the greatest Poet, and Master of the *French* Language, that Nation ever saw, there being a Force in his Verse above the Effeminacy of that Tongue, and which none of the other Writers could ever yet find out. He was of the Academy of *Paris*.

Boileau (his Brother *Giles*) was a Counsellour of the Parliament of *Paris*, one of the Academies, and

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Bois-de-Trabison, or *Bois-de-Gaule*, a Forest that runs along the *Seine*, betwixt *Pontoise* and *Paris*; the latter Name is derived from the famous *Gaule*, in the time of *Charlemagne*, against whose Leaders he made here several Ambuscades.

Bols-Lo-Duc, *Bolduc*, or *Bosleduc*, a C. of *Brabant*, on the Confluence of the *Domele* and *Aas*, in a fair plain, once a Wood, cut down by *Hen. D.* of *Brabant*, and this C. founded in its room in 1172, which was finished by *D. Godfrey* in 1184; is now large, fair, and well peopled with Trading Soldiers, for they are called Warlike Merchants; it has one of the noblest Cathedrals of the *Netherlands*; 'tis by its Situation among Rivers naturally strong, to which Art has not been wanting. The *Dutch* have been Masters of it e'er since 1629, when *Frederick Henry* Prince of *Orange*, took it for the States; 'tis 50 m. S. of *Amsterdam*.

Bois Olivier, a *Frenchman*, adopted by Cardinal *Seraphino Oliviero*, into his Family, and by his Interest —

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married *Joseph-Km's*, Daughter, who drew the most powerful of the Noblemen to second his Design, conveying *Cho-gehan* to *Agra* as dead, and there saluting him *K. Bolaki* fled to *Perfia*, where that *K.* allow'd him an honourable Pension.

Boleslaus I, the Cruel, *K. of Bohemia*, usurped the Throne of his Brother *Wenceslaus*, whom he murder'd in 929. The *Emp. Ordo*, in vain, endeavour'd, by 14 Ys. War, to punish, and dethrone him, tho' he compell'd him to Peace, a certain Tribute, Penance for his Fratricide, and to re-call the exil'd Christians. He dy'd in 967, being 68 Years old.

Boleslaus II, the pious, being youngest Son to *Boleslaus I*, defeated the *Emp. Ordo II.* made Incursions as far as *Poland*. After Peace with *Ordo III*, he sent for *Dismar* of *Saxony*, and made him *Bp.* and died in 999.

Boleslaus III, the Covetous, succeeded his Father *Boleslaus II*, lost all he had conquered, was dethroned, had his Eyes put out, and imploring Aid, in vain, from the *Sclavonians*, &c. he died miserably in 1037, 80 Ys. of Age.

Boleslaus I, K. of Poland, still'd *Crobin*, succeeded his Father *Micef-lous II*, in the Dukedom of *Poland*, whose Country being acquitted from all Dependence of the Empire, and he Crown'd *K.* by Pope *Sylvester II.* he spread his Conquests, and was a great Benefactor to the Church; he dy'd in the XIth Cen.

Boleslaus II, the Bold and Cruel, was born in 1043, and chose *K. of Poland* after his Father *Casimir I*, 1058, set out with Virtue and Courage, restoring deposed Princes to their Thrones, and Triumphed over the *Russians*, and *Bohemians*; but suddenly started from his brave Course of Honour, to the Extremity of Effeminacy, in his *Russian* Winter Quarters; which he continued on his

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Return hence to Rapes, Adulteries, &c. and had *Stanislaus*, *Bp. of Cracow*, murder'd at the Altar, for reprehending him. In 1079 being excommunicated by the Pope, hated by his People, and cursed by all Men, he left his *Km.* with his Son *Miese*, and retir'd in 1081, to a Monastery near *Ispruch*, and there died *Incognito*; or, as others say, kill'd himself in despair, a hunting.

Boleslaus III, call'd *Lakiatorza*, being born in 1085, and succeeding *Ladislaus II.* his Bravery and Virtue recover'd that Glory his Uncle *Boleslaus II*, had lost to the Family; the *Bohemians* felt his Prowess as well as the *Emp. Hen. V.* who suing for Peace, *Boleslaus* married *Alice*, that Emperor's Sister, and his Son *Ladislaus*, his youngest Daughter *Constantia*. He often vanquished and forgave his Bastard Brother, and put him not to Death, 'till forced by his Subjects, for his many repeated Treasons; and dy'd full of Honour and Glory, in 1139, after 37 Years Reign.

Boleslaus IV, younger Son to the former, on his Brother *Ladislaus's* Banishment, was chose *K. of Poland*, who gave his Brother *Silesia*, reduc'd the *Prussians*, and made them receive the Gospel; and having reigned 27 Years, dy'd in 1173.

Boleslaus V, called *the Chast*, from a neglect of the Matrimonial Duty to his Wife *Cunegunda*, Daughter of *Bela IV, K. of Hungary*; in his Reign of 52 Years, he suffered various Turns of Fortune, being first seiz'd, yet a Minor, by his Uncle, Duke of *Masovia*; rescued from him by *Hen. Duke of Breslau*, who administred the Government for him, as his Son *Henry the Pious* did after his Death; who being slain by the *Tartars*, *Boleslaus* retiring to his Father-in-law, was recall'd by his Subjects, weary of their Divisions about the Government, and beat the *Tartars* back,

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as his General the Palatine of *Cracow* did in 1250; he died in 1279.

Belgius or *Belgius*, Son of *Cerethrius*, and Prince of *Galatia*, warring on the *Macedonians* he killed their K. *Prosemy Ceraunus* in Battle.

Boll (*John*) was born at *Malines* in the *Low-Countries*, and was an eminent Painter for Miniature and Landscapes; he drew Tapestries for the *Arras* Workers of *Brussels*, and dy'd in 1593.

Bollandus (*John*), born at *Tillemont* in the *Netherlands*: A Jesuit of Reputation for his great Learning; he began to write the Lives of the Saints, which after the publishing 5 Volumes for two Months only, he dy'd in 1665, and *Rapine* writ an Elegy on him.

Bolteburn a Lake in *Westphalia*, remarkable for its overflowing twice every day, with a great Noise, and then retiring within its Bed.

Bologne or *Bolonia*, a C. Port, and Bish. of *Picardy*, suffragan to *Rheims*; the *Incus Portus* of *Cæsar*, on the

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Shore of the Civil-Law of *Boumania*, in the XVth Cen. as his Writings may testify.

Bolsee (*Jerome Hermes*) a *Parisian* by birth, and by Profession a Physician, lived in the XVIth Cen. and won by the Friendship of *Calvin*, he for some time followed him to *Geneva*, and his Opinions, which on his Return to *France* he left for his former of the Church of *Rome*. In 1577 he wrote *Calvin's* Life, and 5 Years after published *Berg's*, which with other Pieces, shew his Merit of the Republick of Letters.

Bolsena, a T. in the Patrimony of the Church, once subject to the *Tuscan* State, and a Bish. now only remarkable for giving Name to a Lake, in one of the Islands of which, *Amalazuntha* Q. of the *Goths*, was ingratelously put to death by *Theodatus*.

Bolsover, a Market T. of *Derbyshire*, remarkable for its glaz'd Pipes, and an old Castle supposed to be built by the *Danes*.

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Bomberg (*Daniel*) a Native of *Antwerp*, and an eminent Printer, who settling at *Venice*, has made himself known to *Jews* and *Christians* by his fine Editions of both the *Hebrew Bible*, *Talmud*, &c.

Bombini (*Paul*.) a Native of *Calabria*, a good Orator, Philosopher, and Divine, in the XVIIth Cen. He abridg'd the *Spanish History* in 1634.

Bomilcar, an *Assassine*, that at *Jugurtha's* Instigation murder'd *Massiva*, and designing the same against *Jugurtha*, being discover'd he was put to death.

Bomilcar, a *Carthaginian* General, that struck with Terror at the Success and Actions of *Agathocles*, designed to deliver up *Carthage* to him, but his Treachery and Pusillanimity being discovered, he was hang'd in the Market-place of *Carthage*.

Bommel, a strong Fortrefs of *Guelderland* that names the Isle *Bommel*, which the waters of the *R. Vahel* and *Mense* surround. 'Twas wall'd in 1229 by *Otho VII* Count of *Guelderland*, and dismantled by the *French* in 1672, when they abandoned it.

Bomonicks, from *Βόμω* an Altar: Youths that were voluntarily scourg'd at the Altar of *Diana* in *Lacedaemon*.

Bona, born in *Piedmont*, was a Man of no less Devotion than Learning, and having been made Cardinal by *Clement IX*, if the Desire of the People had prevailed, had succeeded him in the Papacy; but his Goodness that recommended him to them, was what the Electors thought the most unfit for that Post; having writ many Books hedied in 1674.

Bona Dea, both a *Greek* and *Roman* Goddess; In *Greece* she was supposed one of the Nurses of *Bacchus*, and not to be named; in *Rome*, the Wife of *Fornus K.* of *Italy*, and chief of the *Dryades*. No Man was admitted to her Rites, which were performed by the Women, in token of her

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Chastity; but *P. Clodius* came into *Caesar's* House, then *Pontifex Maximus*, in Women's Cloaths, to debauch his Wife *Mutia*; nor was any Myrtle about her Altar, either because consecrated to *Venus*, or because she having been beat to death by Myrtle Twigs, her repenting Husband erected her an Altar, in which the use of Myrtle was forbid.

Bona Sforza, Daughter of *John Galeas Sforza D.* of *Milan*, and Wife to *Sigismund L. K.* of *Poland*, was a Lady of a high Spirit, but so good a Wife, that after 30 Y. marriage, she stay'd perpetually by her Husband in his long and languishing Illness, having had by him 1 Son and 4 Daughters; *Sigismund II*, her Son, succeeded his Father, but had many Disagreements with *Q. Bona*; his marrying *Barbara Radziwvill*, Widow to a *Polish* Lord, was the first, as below him, which ceasing on *Barbara's* sudden Death, reviv'd again to extremity on *Sigismund's* Reply, that she was less derogatory to his Family, than *Pappacoda*, a *Neapolitan* whom she had privately married; which Breach was fomented by *Charles V*, to hinder the Succour *Isabella* of *Hungary* might hope from their Agreement; he therefore invited her to leave *Poland*, which she did, under pretence of going to her Lands in *Apulia*. She died at *Venice* in 1558, being, as some say, reconcil'd to her Son before her death.

Bona, a poor Girl of the *Valtellino* in *Lombardy*, who feeding her Sheep, as *Peter Bruno* of *Parma* lead his Army, was seen and lik'd by him, and carried to the Wars in Man's Clothes; her Valour and Spirit won him much, but her Love and Zeal for his Liberty won him more; for after an Experience of the first in many Battles, both under *Alphonfus K.* of *Naples* against *Francis Sforza*, and under *Sforza* against *Alphonfus*, being

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by the last clapt up in Prison on the Discovery of his Design of returning to the Service of *Sforza*; *Bona* addresting her self to the chief Princes and States of *Europe*, got Letters from all of them to *Alphonfus* for his Liberty, which he durst no longer deny, so great Princes having interested themselves in the matter: And now at liberty in *Venice*, she perswaded the Senate to make *Brunoro* Commander of their Forces against *Sforza*, with a Pension of 20000 Ducats; this made *Brunoro* marry her at *Venice*, who experiencing their Conduct and Courage at the taking of the Castle of *Pavona*, sent them to the *Negropont*, which the *Turk* durst not attack while he lived; but he dying there, she returning to *Venice*, died in the *Morea* in 1466, having two Children.

Bonacioli (*Lewis*,) a Physician of *Ferrara*, as much celebrated by other Authors, as commended by his own Works.

Bonaventura (*Michael Angelo*) was born

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led him to the General of his Order. The Cardinals not agreeing 3 Years, they agreed to chose whom-ever he shou'd name, and having named *Theobald* call'd *Gregory X.* he in return made him a Cardinal, and Bishop of *Alba*; and he died at *Lyons*, having sat in the first Session of that Council in 1274, leaving 8 Tomes of his Works behind him.

Bonaventure (*Frederick*) a Native of *Urbis* in the XVIth Cen. a great Favourite of that Duke, and a great Master of Greek, and Philosophy. He writ many Books.

Bonciari (*Mark Anthony*) a learned Author of the XVII Cen. born at *Perugia* in *Italy*.

Bonconvento, a little C. near *Sienna* in *Italy*, only noted for the place where *Hen VII* Emp. was poison'd.

Boucourt, a Village on the R. *Eure* in *Normandy*, famous for a Narrative publish'd by the Intendant of the Pr. attested by Oathes of Reputation. Of a blanchif Fier. like an *Amis*

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Charles V. Emp. in 1535, and demolished; and has since been peopled and fortified by the *Turks*.

Bonifinus (*Anthony*) born in *Ascoli* in the XVth Cen. at the Persuasion of *Matthias Corvinus* K. of *Hungary*, his great Friend, he wrote the History of that Nation in 45 Books, besides several other Works.

Bogomiles, or rather *Bogoniles*, Heretical Followers of *Bogomilus* a Monk, Despisers of Mysteries, and the *Eucharist*, us'd only the Lord's Prayer, deny'd the Resurrection, and put all in Repentance and a good Life. The Council of *Constantinople* condemned them in the XIIth Cen.

Boni, a small *French* T. on the *R. Loire* in *Paisie*, only remarkable for an important and much contended Pass near it, taken and retaken by the Protestants, Papists, Leaguers, and Royalists, by which this Town suffer'd much. 'Tis 30 m. N. E. of *Bourges*.

Boniface I, a *Roman* born, was chose Pope in 418, against whom an Antipope was set up, and for a time confirmed by *Honorius*; but afterwards *Boniface* in a Council of Bishops at *Ravenna*, carried the Papacy; he sent the *Pelagian* Letters to *St. Augustin*, which he answered; he ordain'd that no Woman should touch the Incense, &c. nor that any Slave or Debtor should receive Holy Orders, and dy'd in 423.

Boniface II, born in *Rome*, and elected Pope in 530, tho' not without an Antipope, who died soon after; these Disturbances in Elections made him endeavour the choice of a Successor before his Death, but owning his Error in the Novelty, he died in 532. He decreed that the Election of a Pope should not exceed three Days; and that the Clergy should be separated from the Laity at Mass.

Boniface III, born also at *Rome*, and being elected Pope, in his short Reign of 10 Months obtained of *Pho-*

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cas, that the Pope only should have the Title of *Universal* B. he made Decrees against *Simoniack* Bribes to come at the Papacy, or any B.

Boniface IV born at *Valeria* a City in the *Dm. of Marsi*, was Successor in the Papacy to *Boniface III*, after 10 Months Vacancy in 607; he first consecrated the *Pantheon* into a Christian Church; sat above 6 Y. and died in 614.

Boniface V, was born at *Naples*, and chosen Pope in 617; he died in 625. Two or three of his Decretal Epistles are still extant.

Boniface VI, was regularly and canonically chosen in 896, tho' expell'd in 15 Days.

Boniface VII set up as *Antipope* in the VIIth Cen. strangled Pope *Benedict VI* in 974; but being banished on the regular Choice of *Benedict VII*, he bore with him the Treachery of *St. Peter's Church* to *Constantinople*, whence on *Benedict's* Death returning, he got again into the Chair for 4 Months, and having put *John XIV* to death, he died soon after himself suddenly, and was dragged naked round the Streets.

Boniface VIII, his Name before was *Benedict Cajetan*. He had a liberal Education in the Sciences, and gave himself to the Study of the Civil and Canon Law with that success, that he was made Doctor of it extremely young, and by Assurance and Address having got Interest in the *Roman* Court, he was made Prothonotary, and Consistorial Advocate; and next, Canon of *Lyons*, and by Pope *Martin II* Cardinal. Having been *Nicholas III's* Legate in *France*, he persuaded Pope *Gelasius* to quit the Papacy to save his Soul; he was chose in his room, and assum'd the Name of *Boniface VIII*. To carry on the Usurpations of that See, he would have engag'd the Christian Princes in a new *Crusade*; which unable to effect, he fell out

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with *Philip the Fair of France*, whom he treated with the last Insolence, pretending to dispose of all Benefices of *France*, and even of the Crown too, if offended by the Disobedience of that Prince; denying to come to a Council at *Lyons*, he was taken by a *French General* and forc'd to *Rome*, where he dy'd of a burning Fever, knawing the Flesh off his Hands. There are several Writings attributed to him; by his Order there was a Collection of Decretals made; his Bull of Excommunication against *France*, &c. was condemn'd to be burn'd by the Parliament of *Paris*.

Boniface IX., a Native of *Naples*, of a noble, tho' extreamly decay'd Family, his own Name being *Peter Thomacella*; he was made Cardinal in 1381, and Pope in 1389; the *Avignon Cardinals* chose, successively, 2 Popes against him, which made his Intrigues sometimes too visible to keep himself on the Papal Throne; he celebrated a Jubilee in 1400; he was succeeded by *Gregory XII.*

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Colleague *Cassius*, in *Spain*) so as to be able to defend himself by the help of *Gensericus*; but having made Peace with the Emp. *Valentinian III.*, he was driven out of *Africa* by the *Vandals*, and being wounded in a Fight against *Ætius*, he dy'd in 434. He had been intimate with *St. Austin*, who having dissuaded him from turning Ecclesiastick, *Boniface* married an *Arrian*; was excommunicated and reproved by *St. Austin*, and repented.

Boniface (St.) was a Native of *England*, and by Name *Wilfride* or *Winfride*: after having 13 Y. preach'd the Gospel in *Lower Friesland*, under *Willibrod Bp. of Utrecht*, he went to *Rome* to visit the Sepulchres of the two Apostles *Peter* and *Paul*; whence being sent Legate by Pope *Gregory II.*, he again fixt the Christian Faith in *Hesse*; having been chose then Bp. of *Mentz*, by the Council there, he was confirm'd the A. of that C. which he resign'd on the Death of *Willibrod*, to be Bp. of

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of the Electors, whose Castle and Gardens are curious, the Town-House, and the Paintings, with the Cathedral of *Sts. Cassius, Florentinus*, and *Malusius*, are the chief Ornaments of this poor C. it has not been very strong, being defended but by ill Walls, and a dry but broad Ditch; yet it cost the *French* both Time and Men to take it for the Cardinal of *Furstemburg*, and afterwards by the Elector, of *Brandenburgh*; but is now, with most of that Electorate, put into the Hands of the *French*, by a Policy peculiar to the House of *Bavaria*; it is the *Ara Ubiorum*, and *Colonia Julia Bons* of the Antients. In 1314, *Frederick* of *Austria*, was here Crown'd Emp. it being then a free Imperial City.

Bonne-courcy (*John* of) a *Cordelier* of the XVth Cen. who writing that the Pope was above the K. in Temporals, after a Censure of the Parliament of *Paris*, and a publick Recantation, in a party colour'd Coat, and with a Flambeau of various Colours in his Hand, he was banish'd *France* upon Pain of Death.

Bonnesoy (*Ennemond*) or *Bonesidius*, was born in *Dauphiné*, and in 1572 was Divinity Professor of *Valentia*; and he was a Lawyer of the first Degree, who being as well as *Joseph Scaliger*, design'd for the Massacre, he fled to *Genova*, nor wou'd ever think of returning to *France*.

Bonner (*Edmund*) a Bastard of two Descents, he being Bastard of *George Savage*, a Priest, and he of *Sir George Savage*, Knight of the Garter in *Hen.* the VIIth's Time; having pass'd his Degrees at *Oxford*, in Civil and Canon Law, he being now one of the K's Chaplains, was for all the Measures of *Hen.* VIII, for the *Lutherans*, the *Divorce*, &c. and having pass'd several Embassies, in one of them, he was chose Bp. of *Hereford*, and then of *London*; on the Death of *Hen.* VIII, he in a little time de-

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clin'd his first Heat for a Reformation, and was soon depriv'd of his Bish. and committed Prisoner to the *Marshalsea*, whence relieved by *Q. Mary*, and restor'd, he executed all the Cruelty of the old Tyrants on the Protestants, 'till *Q. Elizabeth* remanded him to his Lodgings in the *Marshalsea*, where after 10 Years he dy'd, in 1569.

Bonnon, or *Bavon*, an Abbot of *Corvey* in the IXth Cen. he wrote an accurate History of his own Times.

Bonomi (*Francis John*) a famous Author of *Bononia*, in the XVIIth Cen. who has wrote various Books.

Bononia, an *Italian* C. Arch. and University in *St. Peter's* Pattimony, on the E. of *Lombardy*; the Fertility of its Soil has given it the Name of *the Fat*, it is very well built the Streets fair, and by its Piazzas, secured from Rain and Sun; the Cathedral Church is both dedicated to, and like that of, *St. Peter* at *Rome*; its Streets are large and numerous, as its Squares, or Market-Places, and Palaces: the Dominicans Convent, and the Church of *St. Petronia*, in which *Charles V.* Emp. was Crown'd, are extremely Magnificent, but this will scarce ever be finished; the University pretends to *Theodosius the Younger* for its Founder; and were that false, 'tis yet the chief U. of *Italy* for the Common and Civil Law, and its Colledges are well built, and replenish'd with Teachers. Here are the Manuscripts of *Ulysses Aldrovandus*. The C. is but indifferently fortify'd, and about 5 or 6 m. in Compass; as for its Antiquity there is no certainty, more than of its having been a *Roman* Colony: 'twas subdued by the *Lombards* in the VIIIth Cen. freed from them by *Pepin* and *Charlemain*, 'till the distance of the Emperors gave it Opportunity of setting up for a Republick; which, with great

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Power it maintained 200 Ys. 'till Domestick Division weaken'd and almost destroy'd it; the Factions of *Jeromei* and *Lambertazi* emptying it of Citizens, at last it came under the Pope, but with an easy Yoke, it being rather Tributary than Subject; it has afforded 5 Popes, who have given it various Advantages; the Inhabitants are thought 70000; and here is also the Academy of *Gli Ortolani*.

Bonifur, a Drunken Commander of the *Romans* in the III^d Cen. who being the Son of a Spanish Rhetorician, advanced himself in the Military way so far, as to be able in *Gaul* to proclaim himself Emp. but was there defeated by *Probus*, and hang'd in about 280.

Bonifus, Bp. of *Macedon*, condemn'd in the IVth Cen. for denying that the Virgin *Mary* was a Virgin *post Partum*, by a Provincial Synod at *Thessalonica*.

Bont-konnes, a sort of *Auslin Friar* in *Poland*.

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Bootes, or *Alaphylax*, a little Star that follows *Charles Wain*, near *Ursa Major*; he is feign'd to be *Icarus*, an *Athenian*, who having given the Shepherds some of the Wine he had of *Bacchus*, they grew drunk, which the Beholders taking for Poison kill'd *Icarus*, on which his Daughter *Erigone* hanging her self, they were all translated by *Jupiter* into Stars.

Booth, the Name of the Family of the Earl of *Warrington*, deriving themselves from Sir *George Booth*, made Lord *de la Mere* on the Restauration of *Charles II.* for his Loyalty, being in the Tower on his Account when he came over.

Barborites, Gnosticks of the II^d Cen. that besides the common Notions of those Hetericks deny'd the last Judgment.

Bordelong, *Bardolona*, or *Bordelone*, a C. and Sea-Port of the Km of *Siam*, beyond the *Ganges*.

Bordani, a silly Fellow of *Marjisi*.

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by the *Persian* K. that he chose rather to be burnt in the City, than yield it to the *Grecians*..

Borgia, a noble *Spanish* Family deriving themselves from the Ks. of *Aragon*.

Borgia (*Cæsar*) he was the 2d Son of a *Roman* Lady called *Vanoza*, Wife to *Dominico Arimano*, by Pope *Alexander VI*, who designing him always for the Church, while a Student of Law at *Pisa*, he made him Bishop of *Rampeluna*, and the Archbishop of *Valencia*, and Cardinal. He murder'd his Brother the D. of *Candia*, that he might neither rival him in his Ambition with his Father, nor in his criminal Love with *Lucretia Borgia*, their common Sister and Mistress, who being dead, he threw off his Ecclesiastical Habits, and being made D. of *Valentinois* by *Leon XIII* of *France*, by the help of his Arms endeavoured to bring about his Ends, in oppressing the *Italian* Princes; he murder'd the *Orsini* at a Feast, and designing the same to Cardinal *Adrian Cornette*, his Father and he by mistake drank of the poisoned Wine design'd for the Cardinal; the Pope died; but *Cæsar* by his Vigour and other Applications liv'd to be divested of his ill-got Dominions, and experience Imprisonment in *Spain*, whence escaping, and besieging a Castle of the Constables of *Castile*, he was killed in 1507.

Bergo (*St. Donnino*) an *Italian* City and B. suffragan to *Genoa*, that once belong'd to the House of *Palavicini*.

Borichus, Bastard Son of *Colomanus* K. of *Hungary*, who being in the Army of *Lewis* the young of *France*, and demanded for conspiring against the K. on his Intreaty and Appeal to the Protection of *Lewis*, was deny'd by him; yet soon after fled away by night to some place of more Security.

Boriquen, one of the chief *Leeward*

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Island of small Extent, but possess'd by the *Spaniard*; it yields Sugar, *Cassia*, Ginger, and Leather.

Boris Gudunow, was Great Master of the Horse to the Czar of *Muscovy*, and married his Sister; but being unsatisfied with this Honour, he usurp'd the Throne; for being Regent during the Minority of *Fedor* or *Theodorus*, he had *Demetrius* Son of the Czar *John Basilowitz* murder'd, and poison'd *Fedor*; but the Vaivod of *Sandomiria* setting up *Gricks* or a counterfeit *Demetrius*, and carrying all before him, and being join'd by the *Grandeers*, *Boris* died with Grief, and his Wife and Son were strangled in the Castle in 1605.

Borissenes or the *Nieper*, a *Polish* R. rising in *Muscovy*, it runs thro' *Lithuania*, *Polandia*, and part of the *Ukraine*, and so passes the Country of the *Cossacks*, where forming many Isles for their shelter, it falls into the *Black Sea* near *Ocziacow* a *Turkish* Port; 'tis render'd unnavigable but in small boats, by the Cataracts or Falls of Water over Ridges of Rocks, 12 in number, some of which are by very much higher than others: 'tis navigable for 600 Furlongs, and at its mouth yields natural Bay-salt, and huge finless Whales, and is the second large R. of the ancient *Scythia*.

Bornio or *Borms*, Capital of the *Valtolina* Ts. stands on the R. *Adda* in the *Grisons*.

Borneo, one of the most considerable and large Islands of the *Indian* Sea, 1600 m. in Circumference, and divided into several Kms, of which *Bornes* is the Principal, whose Capital C. is like *Venice*, built in Water, in an unwholesome Air, tho' with a good Haven; its K. is *Makometan*, as most of the maritime People are, the Inlanders being Idolaters, and go naked. The Isle lies round, and under the Equinoctial Line, yields Gold, Dia-

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Diamonds, and Bezoar-stone. The K. has 3000 Horse, besides a great Army of Foot. The *Indian* Inhabitants are said to be governed by a Woman, that they may be sure their Prince is of the right Line; and here the *Sparrow of the Sun* is found, a small Bird of wonderful Feathers.

Bornerus (*Gaspar*) a learned Professor of *Leipfick*, of the XVth Cen. born in *Misnia*, he left several learned Books.

Bornheim, a T. and Castle of the *Low-Countries*, that gives Name to the adjacent Country.

Bornholm, a *Danish* Island in the *Baltick*, yielded to the *Swedes* by the Peace of *Roschild* in 1658, but exchanged since in consideration of other Lands.

Borno, a Desert, Lake, C. and Km. of *Nigritia* in *Africa*, of the Manners, Rites, and Customs of that People there is nothing certain. The Lake of *Borno* is remarkable for the R. *Niger's* running thro' it.

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that since the Apostles all Churches are sunk from their Purity, by suffering fallible Men to put on us their Expositions, &c. as if they were infallible.

Borrhaus (*Martin*) alias *Cellaris*, born at *Stutgard* in *Wirttemberg*, was one of the most learned Divines of the Protestants, having wrote many Books and taught Divinity, Rhetoric, and Philosophy at *Basse*, where he in 1664 died of the Plague.

Borromea (*Biancha*) a learned Woman of the XVIth Cen. who being Mistress of the Languages, taught at *Padua* with great Praise and Approbation of the learned; nor was her Vertue less than her Learning.

Borromeus (*St. Charles*) was the Son of *Margareta di Medici*, Sister of Pope *Pius IV.* and Count *Gilbert Borromeus*, being made Cardinal and A. of *Milan*, he held several Provincial Synods, and was very active in fixing the Council of *Trent*, which had been long, to little purpose, bringing about; having been a B. of sin-

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Adrian Emp. of *Rome*, to which he built a Monument, and wrote his Epitaph.

Berzinger I, or *Berivari* succeeded his Father *Hefivitus* in the Km. of *Bohemia* in 856. the first Prince of that Country that was christened in 894, for which being banished by his People, and recall'd, he abdicated the Crown to his Son, and retir'd to the Desert to his Devotions, dying soon after.

Berzinger II. declared K. of *Bohemia* by the Emp. *Henry* IV. was thrice driven out, and restor'd, being not chose by the People, and in 1107 was oblig'd to retire after 7 years Supplication in vain, into *Germany*.

Bessa, *Bossa*, or *Bosi*, a C. of *Sardinia*, only remarkable for its Antiquity, and B. under the A. of *Tore* or *Savari*.

Boscager (*John*) was born at *Beziars* in 1601, and coming young to *Paris*, he was bred under and succeeded his Uncle the famous *Forret* in the Professorship of Law in the University of *Paris*, which he discharged to the Admiration of all. His Method being new and very instructive, he never printed; tho' his Institutions of *French* and *Roman* Law turn'd to *French* at Mr. *Colbert's* desire, were afterwards publish'd. He died in 1687, being near 87 Y. old.

Boscobel, a Wood and Seat belonging to the Family of the *Giffords* or *Fitzherberts*, in *Staffordshire*, made known by being the Refuge of *Charles* II. after his Defeat at *Worcester*, hiding himself in a great Oak in this Wood all the day, till he made his Escape.

Bosius (*Anthony*) a *Milaneze*, by Profession a Lawyer, but being curious into Enquiries of Antiquity, began his Work of *Roma subterranea*; he died before he had finished it, after the Labour of 33 Y. *John Severani*, Priest of the Oratory, finishing and publishing it.

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Bosius (*James*), born in *Milan*, and Uncle to the former; being Agent at *Rome* of the Knights of the Order of *St. John of Jerusalem*, of which he was one; he wrote the History of his Order, and of the Holy Cross.

Baskena, a Cape on the W. of *Cornwall*, on which is a Trophy erected by the *Romans* or *Saxons* for some Victory, being 18 Stones in a Circle, 12 Foot each asunder.

Bosnia or *Bosina*, once a Km. now a Prov. dependant on *Hungary*, deriving its Name from the R. *Bosius*, lying betwixt the Rs. *Save*, *Drina*, and *Unna*, is bounded N. by *Sclavonia*, S. by *Dalmatia*, E. by *Servia*, and W. by *Croatia*; once it was part of *Pannonia*; since the *Romans*, it has had Ks of its own, the last being taken and flea'd by *Mahomet* II. Prince *Lewis* of *Baden* retook the whole Country from the *Turks* in 1688. Its Capital City is *Sari* or *Bosna*.

Boson or *Bozon*, Son of *Buvis* or *Buvon* Count of *Ardenne*, and the Daughter of *Lotharius* K. of *Lorraine*; he had a Sister with whom *Charles* the *Bald* of *France* having been in love some time, on the death of his Wife *Hermetruda*, and for her sake gave *Boson* the Government of *Burgundy*, and made him D. of *Aquitain*, &c. being adopted Son of Pope *John* VIII, he by him was made Temporal Governour of *Italy*. In 878 he married *Hermengarda* the K. of *Italy's* Daughter; but on the death of *Lewis* of *France*, missing his Aim at the Crown, he caus'd himself to be crown'd K. of *Arles*, and tho' by *Carloman* once reduced low, he recovered his Strength and Power, confirm'd by the Succession of *Charles the Great* to *Carloman*, who on *Boson's* Homage, allow'd him what he had got; which enjoying some time in Peace, he died in 888.

Bosphorus Cimmerianus, or the Straights of *Cassa*, it was an ancient C. that gave Name to the Straights, now

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now taking their Name from *Cajsa* a City on the *Pininsula* form'd by the Sea of *Tana* and that of *Zakache*; 'tis the Streight that joins the *Paius Maotus* and the *Black Sea*.

Bosphorus of Thrace, the narrow Channel that flows betwixt *Thrace* and *Asia Minor*, called the Streights of *Constantinople* from that City's standing on the *Thracian* Bank of it.

Bosra or *Bosra*, a C. in *Arabia Petraea*, now *Bosroeth* or *Bosoret*; here sat the Council against *Berillus*, and here was the Emp. *Philip*, *Gordianus's* Successor, in the III Cen. and from him called *Philippopolis*.

Bosso, or *Bossius* (*Matthew*) Native of *Verona*, was Abbot of the *Austin* Fryers in the XVth Cen. and wrote many Books.

Bessu, a small T. only famous for the valiant Counts it has produc'd. *Maximilian* Herault Count of *Bosse*, being taken by the Dutch, serv'd them against *Gen John* of *Austria*:

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Mayor, Aldermen, &c. and send Members to Parliament, who are *Peregrine Bertie*, Esq; and *Ed Irby*, Esq; The Tower to its Ch is look'd upon as one of the in the World.

Boston, the Metropolis of *New-land*, had its Name from the fo *Boston*, it is a convenient Sea and one of the best built and gest Ts of all our *American* Plations.

Bosworth, a Market T. of *Leicshire*, famous for the Battle bet *Richard III.* and *Henry VII.* *Richmond*.

Botal (*Leonard*) a Native of *mont*, and Physician to *Henry II France*; he brought *Phlebot* mightily into Use there, and divers Books of this Art.

Baton (*John de*) born in *Da*re, was a Monk of *St. An* of *Vinnis*, an extraordinary *Ma*trician of the XVth Cen. a:

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riable, and for Complexion and Stature like the *Europeans*.

Battifanga (*Julius Caesar*) a *Portuguese* Knight of the Order of the *Milisia of Christ*, born at *Orvieto*, and of so universal a Genius, that without learning he cou'd work at all manner of Arts, play on and make all musical Instruments, &c. if you can believe it; and was besides a good Poet, having wrote in Verse and Prose.

Boucaniers, or rather *Bucchaniers*, originally Hunters of the *Indians* in the Woods of *Hispaniola*, since apply'd to the Privateers of all Nations, who have undertaken, in conjunction, Expeditions for the rifling and destroying of the *Spanish* Dominions in *America*.

Bouchani, a Capital T. of *Ostervand* a Country in *Hainault*, that gave formerly Title to the Count of *Hainault's* eldest Son; it stands on the *Schoeld*, and is fortified with a Castle, taken by the *French* in 1676.

Bouchard, Constable of *France* to *Charlemain*, whose Valour and Conduct appear'd often for his Master, particularly in the Defeat of the *Saracens* in 806, at Sea.

Boucicaut, or *John le Maindre* Count of *Beaufort*, and Viscount *Turcine*, being Page of Honour to *Charles VI*, K. of *France*, he fought near his Person at the Battel of *Rosbec* in 1382. and being taken by *Bajazet* at the Battel of *Nicopolis* in 1396, his Beauty sav'd him from being murder'd with 600 more doom'd by that Prince; he was ransom'd by the K. and rais'd the Siege of *Constantinople*; and after much Glory in *Italy*, and the E. was taken Prisoner at the Battel of *Agincourt* by the *English*, and died in *England* in 1421.

Boudicca, *Bonduca*, or *Boadicea*, a noble Q. of the *Iceni*, whose Husband *Prasutagus* dying, in hopes of protecting his Family from the Inults of the *Romans*, left the Emp.

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his Heir; but he being dead, his Palace was plunder'd, and his Daughters ravish'd by the *Romans*; which to revenge, the martial Queen arming 12000 *Britains*, fought the *Romans*, but losing the Battle, poison'd her self and Daughters.

Bouet (*Charles*) Lord of *La Noüe*, his Fidelity to *Henry III*, of *France* against the *League*, rais'd his Fortune; and *Henry IV* employ'd him in several Affairs of Importance, in particular, with the Counts of *Rocheport* and *Schomberg* in negotiating a Peace with the D. of *Marceur*, which ended the Civil War, and soon after his Life.

Boufflers, a Country in *Picardy*, that has given Title to one of its best Families.

Boufflers (*James*) Lord of *Boufflers*, *Noüe*, &c. was born in 1436, and cou'd never drink out of a Glass without Pain, or his Lips swelling.

Boufflers (*Lewis*) stiled *the Strong*, born in *Picardy*, was eldest Son of *Adrian*, Lord *Boufflers*; he was a *Hercules* for Strength, being able to take up a Horse, drag an Ox, fix himself on his Feet that none cou'd move him, kill a Bird on the Wing, or a Beast as it ran, would leap Arm'd into his Saddle without touching the Horse, and had Agility equal to his Strength: but a Musquet Bullet was too strong for him at the Attack of *Pont Sur Tonne*.

Boufflers (*Adrian*) who succeeded him, was a Man of Letters as well as War, writ a Comparison betwixt the Ancient and Modern Historians, &c. and was Grandfather to the present Marshal *Boufflers*, famous for his Valour in the last and former Wars, and negotiating the Peace of *Reswick* in 1697.

Boulain, a *French* Island between *Poitau* and *Britain*, something lower than the Mouth of the *Loire*.

Bovigues, or *Bovignes*, the Name of

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a C. in *Namur*, and a Village in *Flanders*; the first remarkable for its obstinate Resistance of the *French* in 1154, tho' without Garrison; and the latter for the Victory of *Philip Augustus* over the Emp. *Otho* IV, and his Confederates.

Bouville, or *de Bouelles* (*Charles*) a Philosopher, Divine, Mathematician, and Grammarian, Canon of *Noyon*, and Author of several Books, in the XVIth Cen.

Boullaud (*Ismael*) born at *Lou-dun* in 1605, was an Astronomer of great Name in the XVIIth Cen. and wrote several Mathematical Treatises.

Boulonois, a little Territory of *Picardy*, in which the C. of *Bologne* stands; 'tis fertile enough, and has an extraordinary breed of Horses. Also the adjacent Country of *Bononia* in *Italy*.

Bourbon L'Anci, *L'Antien*, or *L'Antenne*, a Castle and T. with a *Balliage* in *Burgundy*, the Per. is in the B. of *Auxois* and separated from the

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1327; it stands in a Valley, and its Walls are adorn'd with 24 Towers, and defended on the W. by a Castle; the Chappel is extremely curious, (especially the Windows with Scripture Stories, that are painted in the Glass) in which the Princes of *Bourbon* founded 12 Canons and a Treasurer. Hen. IV, was the first of the House of *Bourbon* King of *France*.

Bourbon, an Isle in the *Aethiopian* Ocean, near *Madagascar*, belonging to the *French*, in which there is an ignivomous Mountain; 'tis 25 L. in length, and pretty fruitful.

Bourbon (*Nicholas*) a *Frenchman* that wrote Latin Verses, having been Professor of Greek and Rhetorick, and imprisoned for a Latin Lampoon and Satyr. *Balzac* and he after some Difference, were reconciled by Mr. *Chaplain*. There is a Volume of his Works, and bedy'd in 1644.

Bourbonnois, a Prov. of *France*, divided from *Burgundy* E. by the R.

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and made Cardinal; he Crown'd *Edw. IV, Richard III, and Hen. VII.* and having fate in that See 51 Ys. he dy'd in 1486.

Bordeaux, on the *Garonne*, the capital C. of the Prov. of *Guienne*, has a Parliament, U. and A. with 10 Suffragans; the Cathedral of *St. Andrew* large and beautiful, is adorn'd with 2 high Towers, and the Clergy depends immediately on the Pope, and the Chapter is composed of a Dean, 3 Archdeacons, a Singer, Treasurer, Vestry-Keeper, Prebend, Sub-Dean, Sub-Cantor, and 23 Canons. The Civil Government is executed by the Mayor, always a Person of Quality, and 4 Jurats or Sheriffs; and besides the Parliament it has a Chamber of Justice, a Mint, Court of Admiralty, &c. It has a noble Key, to which the biggest Ships can lay their Sides, and to this most of the chief Streets lead; near the Key or Haven is a Castle built, not only to defend the City, but also to keep it in Awe, it having been apt to be mutinous, or struggle for its old Liberty; 'tis one of the wealthiest and best traded Cs. in *France*, once belonging to the *English*, 'till united to the Crown by *Charles VII* its Form is like a Crescent or Bow, and the *Garonne* is the String.

Bordeille or *Bordeille* (*Elias*) of a noble House of *Perigord*, and Son of *Arnaud de Bourdeille*, was Cardinal and A. of *Tours*, who by writing against the pragmatic Sanction, and all that arrested Ecclesiastical Persons, was much in the Favour of the Papal Authority; but ing by the Parliament condemned to recant, and refusing, he had his Revenues confiscated, &c. the Pope gave him a Cardinal's Cap for his Zeal, tho' *Lewis IX*, had made up the Affair himself. He dy'd near *Tours* in 1484.

Bordeille (*Peter de*) alias the *Sieur*

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Brantome; he liv'd in the XVth Cen. and left Memoirs, which are at last printed. He dy'd about the Y. 1600.

Bourdelot (*John*) a learned Advocate of the Parliament of *Paris*, at the latter end of the XVth Cen. and beginning of the XVIth. he translated *Lucian* and *Heliodorus*, writ several Comments and other Books, was Master of the Requests to *Mary di Medici*, Queen of *France*, and dy'd at *Paris* in 1638.

Bourdillon, or *Imbert de la Blatiere*, Lieutenant General in *Champagne*, advanced by his Valour and Merit, succeeded the Marshal of *St. Andrew*, as Marshal of *France*, having been at the taking *Hav're de Grace* from the *English*, he was deputed at *Garonne*, to quash the Troubles betwixt the Protestants and Papists there. He dy'd at *Fountain-bleau*, in 1567.

Bourg, a Preisdial, Bailliage, and T. on the R. *Reissouze* in *Bresse*, stands in a fruitful, tho' a Marshy Soil; it has a Collegiate Church, and several Convents of both Sexes. The Church of our Lady de *Bion* near this C. cost *Margaret of Austria* 200000 Crowns the Building.

Bourg (*Anas de*) was born at *Ryon* in *Auvergne*; his Father, *Stephen de Bourg*, Lord of *Sillexaux*, was Comptroller General of the Customs of *Languedoc*, and his Brother, *Anthony de Bourg*, was Chancellour of *France*, having before been President of the Parliament of *Paris*; he was ordained Priest, and taught the Law at *Orleans*, and then made Counsellour-Clerk of the Parliament of *Paris*; and declaring for the Protestants, and favouring them in their Judgments, he was accused, and delivered over to Commissioners to try him by K. *Hen. II.* and the A. of *Paris* had declared him an Heretick; nor cou'd the K's Death put stop to it, nor the Mediation of several great Princes, for the Clergy

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pardon none; and laying the Death of the President *Minart* to his Charge, tho' a Prisoner, he was hang'd in 1559.

Bourges, the capital C. of *Berri* in *France*, on the R. *Auron* and *Eure*; it has a U. and A. with the Title of Patriarchate, and a Bailliage, and Presidial; 'tis a large C. and well built, the Streets are neat and clean, the Palaces magnificent, and the Fountains numerous; the K's Palace, the Town-house, Amphitheatre, and other Antiquities, are remarkable; besides its Cathedral it has seven Collegiate Churches, 18 Parishes, several Monasteries, the Jesuits Colledge, and three Abbeys; the Dio. being one of the most extensive of *France*, contains 900 Parishes, 12 Archdeacons, 34 Collegiate Churches, 35 Abbeys, 10 Commendaries of *Malta*, and 20 Arch-Priests; the C. is very ancient, and mentioned by *Cæsar*, &c. the U. was founded by

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ring *Clement* the Fryer that slab'd *Hen. III.* to *Judith*, was condemned and torn by four Horses.

Bourgoin, a little T. of *Dauphiné*, only famous for its Trade in Hemp.

Bourignon (*Anvenista*) a *Flemish* Maid born at *Lisle*, she began at 18 to set up for retiring to a Solitary Devotion in the Desarts, but being assign'd a Solitude in the Bish. of *Cambray*, she lik'd it not, and was forc'd to quit it, not being permitted to live there with other Virgins, without any Rule but the Love of God; she, on her Parents Death, contributed to the Foundation of an Hospital, where she spent her time in teaching young Virgins; here too dissatisfied, having liv'd 4 Y. alone in a Chamber, she at last travelled from Place to Place, writ several Books of Piety, and dy'd in 1681.

Boutan, a Km. in the midst of *Asia*, very well inhabited, and of a very great Extent, N. of *Patua*,

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Burington and *Orvery*; the late Mr. *Robert Boyle*, has given more Honour to the Name than any Titles can, and much is to be expected from the first Appearances of Mr. *Charles Boyle*, Esq;

Boyne, a R. of *Leinster* in *Ireland*, famous for the great Victory of K. *William* the III^d, of Glorious Memory, over the *Irish* and *French*, by the Force and Bravery of the R. carried over that R. which brought immediately *Drogheda* and *Dublin* into the Hands of the *English*, tho' his Majesty was twice in danger of a Cannon-Ball, once losing a piece of his Boot, and the other time it bearing off a piece of his Coat, Waistcoat, and Shirt, and raz'd the Flesh of his Shoulder.

Bozins, or *Bozis* (*Thomas*) a Father of the Oratory in *Rome*, who in the opening of the XVIIth Cen. wrote several Historical, and other Treatises; as his Brother *Francis*, a Priest of the same Order, did also.

Brâ (*Henry*) or *Henricus à Brâ*, was born at *Dockham* in *W. Friesland*, took his Doctor's Degree at *Brâsil*, in 1585, having pass'd thro' several *Italian* Universities; his Medicinal Works got him great Reputation.

Brabant, one of the 17 Provinces of the *Netherlands*, and a Dm. the Rs. of *Muse*, *Demer* and *Scheld*, with the Sea by *Breda*, and *Bergen-op-Zoom*, make it almost an Island; 'tis bound'd N. by *Holland*, and part of *Guelderland*; S. by *Hainault* and *Namur*; E. by part of *Guelderland* and *Liege*; and W. by *Zeland*. The Circumference of *Brabant* is 80 m. and 20 the length, the Antiquity of its Name is uncertain; and its capital C. is *Brussels*, besides which there are 25 Wall'd Ts. *Antwerp*, *Malines*, *Lire*, *Tillemont*, *Nivelle*, *Bergen-op-zoom*, *Breda*, *Maeftrecht*, &c. the People are suppos'd the Descendants of a Co-

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lony of *Saxons*, planted there by *Charlemain*; in whose Family it continued a while, since which it has had Earls and Dukes of its own, 'till Mary of *Burgundy* carried it into the House of *Austria*, by marrying *Maximilian*, afterwards Emp. This Province has produced Men of eminent Parts for Learning and War.

Brabo, a Noble Roman, aed Relation of *Julius Caesar*, attending whom in his Gallick Expedition, he gave his Name to the Dutchy of *Brabant*. Those of *Antwerp* tell a ridiculous Story of a Giant vanquished by *Brabo*, that having a Castle where *Antwerp* stands, used to cut off the Hands of all that he took, and threw them into the *Scheld*; *Brabo* serv'd him in the same manner. In *Antwerp* they show a Marble Statue of *Brabo*.

Braccio, a Native of *Perugia* in *Italy*, and of the Family of *Forte Bracci*, pass'd through several Military Exploits, to be chosen Commander of the *Florentine* Army against *Naples*, in the Quarrel of *Lewis II*, Duke of *Anjou*, in 1409. He was afterwards General to Pope *John XXIII*, and Governour of *Bononia*; and he restor'd the *Perugian* Gentry, expell'd by the People; he reduced *Bononia* for Pope *Martin V*, beat *Sforza*, General of *Lewis* of *Anjou*; and in consideration of the Service was made, by *Joan II*, Queen of *Naples*, Prince of *Casua*, and high Constable of the Kingdom; but being wounded at the Siege of *Aquila*, in his aspiring Attempts on the Crown, and taken Prisoner, he wou'd neither eat nor speak, but dy'd with Grief, having been Master of *Marca di Ancona*, *Umbria*, part of *Naples*, and *Tuscan*, in 1424.

Braccioli, or *Brandolin* (*James*) the Son of *Poggio* of *Florence*, and a Man of great Eloquence, he wrote several Books, of which a History his

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his Son *James* translated into *Italian*; being convicted of being in the Conspiracy of the *Pozi*, he was hang'd out of the Window of one of the Plotters.

Bracelli (James) a Native of *Zarzano* in the *Genoise*, in the XVth Cen. having been Secretary of State at *Venice*; he wrote several Books.

Bracheli (Adolphus) a Native of *Cologne*, and Author of a History of his time; he liv'd in the XVIIth Cen. which History is brought down to 1671, by others.

Brachites, Hereticks of the IIIrd Cen. compos'd of *Manicheans* and *Gnosticks*.

Brachman's ancient Philosophers of the *Indies*, of whom *Pythagoras* is thought to have learnt the *Metempsychosis*, or Transmigration of Souls; some liv'd in Woods, and studied the Stars, and Works of Nature, and some in Cities to teach Morality, and give wholesome Counsel to *Princes*.

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vado, 5 L. from the Sea, betwixt the Province of *Dura* and *Minho*; and was once a part of *Gallicia*; it has an A. who contended with *Toledo* for the Primacy of *Spain*, and was once the Royal Seat of *Ks.* here have three or four Councils been held, and it stands 75 m. S. of *Compostella*, and 180 N. of *Lisbon*.

Bragadin (Marcus Antonius) a *Venetian* Nobleman, who being in 1570, Governour of *Famagusta* in *Cyprus*, was by the Delay of Succour from *Venice* forc'd, on honourable Terms, to surrender to *Mustapha*, after he had lost 80000 Men before it, enrag'd at which he broke the Treaty, massacred several Christians before his Face, and having cut off his Nose and Ears, and abus'd him with servile Work in the fortifying of the T. he tortur'd and slew him alive; all which with great Constancy, he suffer'd and dy'd, upbraiding *Mustapha* with Breach of Faith: After this his Ship being seen'd

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hereupon declared K. in *Morocco*, the General *Abdalmumen*, made K. by the Army, took the C. strangled him with his own hands, and so extinguished the Race of the *Almoravides*.

Braidalbin, is the highest part of *Island*, and gives the Title of E. some of the Family of *Campbel*.

Brama, one of the chief Gods of the Common-people of *Torquin*; the Learned, and the Noble-men, only adoring the Heavens.

Bramens or *Bramins* answer the old *Brachmans* of the *Indians*, and are the Teachers and Priests of the modern *Pygms* of *Indostan*; they teach that God, whom they call *Achari* or *Wisdom*, created the World by the Administrations of three perfect Beings he had before made for that End.

Bramba, or *Brahma*, *Brescheu*, and *Mahadeu*; by *Brahma* i. e. *Penetration*, he created the Universe; by *Brescheu*, i. e. *existing in all things*, he preserves it; and will destroy it by *Mahadeu*, i. e. the great Lord.

From *Brahma* they pretend to have received 4 Books, in which are comprehended all Knowledge; and they hold the *Metempsychosis* or *Transmigration of Souls*, through several Beasts and human Bodies, e'er they can come to enjoy a Pleasure and Being purely spiritual; and this makes them teach that 'tis not lawful to kill, or eat any thing that is killed, and none of their Tribes but that of the Soldiers eat any, and ev'n they abstain from the Flesh of Cows, and Peacocks as sacred; nay they build Hospitals for the lame and disabled Beasts, and will buy Ends of the *Mahometans* to set them at liberty. The *Bramins*: by their visible Austerities of great Fasts, &c. and by teaching the People, and expounding their Mysteries of their Religion, have got a very great Awe on the People all over the *Indies*, especially on the Coast of *Malabar*, the Bride is committed to the Bra-

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men to be blest by him, that the Marriage may be happy.

Bramhal (*John*) was born at *Pontefract* in *Yorkshire* in 1593, of an ancient Family in *Cheshire*; *Cambridge* gave him Education, and *Yorkshire* his first Church Preferment, first as Parson, then Chaplain to Abp. *Mathews*, and Prebend of *Tork* and *Rippon*; all which Preferments resigning, he went into *Ireland*, and was chose Bp. of *Londonderry*: And there being skill'd in the Law, he secured the Ecclesiastical Revenues, in a fair way of being extinguish'd. He was impeached by Sir *Bryan O Neal*, and acquitted, and afterwards delivered from a villanous Design on his Life, by Sir *Chelim O Neal*, Head of the Rebels, by the Instrument that was to do it. Coming into *England* on the farther Troubles of that Country, he serv'd the K. in the Civil Wars; but after the Battel of *Marston-Moor* against which he declared, he left *England* and retir'd to *Brussels*; and on his Return after the Restoration, he was made Ap. of *Armagh*, and Speaker of the House of Lords in *Dublin*. His Life and his Learning may be found in his Works.

Brampour, the Capital C. of the Prov. of *Candis* in the *Indies*, subject to the Great *Mogul*, and the Residence of the Governour, who is always the King's Son, it being one of the Chief Commands of that Empire; 'tis noted for the abundance of Cotton Cloth made there, and all over that Prov. which are sold in *Persia*, *Muscovy*, *Agypt*, *Poland*, &c. the Houses are but ruinous.

Brancacio (*Francis*) of the noble *Neapolitan* Family of *Brancacio*, Bp. of *Viterbo*, and Cardinal; his Merit and Learning was so great, that had it not been for the *Spanish* Faction he had been elected Pope, on the Death of *Clement IX*, in 1669. among other Books he wrote one of *Chocolace*.

Branchides, Priests of *Apollo* in his Duty.

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Didymæan Temple in *Ionis*, on the Confines of *Caria* in *Asia* the *Less*; and of the Inhabitants of *Didymus*, who having betray'd the Wealth of the Temple to *Xerxes*, which he bore away, they fled to *Sogdiana*, and built a City with the Name of *Branchides*, which, with its People, *Alexander the Great* destroy'd, after his Victory over *Darius*.

Branchus, K. of the *Allobroges* or *Dauphiné*, who being confirm'd in his Km. against his Brother by *Hannibal*, supply'd him for his Passage over the *Alps*.

Brandenburg, a German Country, the Prince of which is *Marquis*, and Elector of the Empire, and lately crown'd K. of *Prussia*; this Country is bounded by *Brunswick*, *Lusatia*, *Saxony*, *Pomerania*, *Mecklebourg*, and *Prussia*, divided into *Altmark* W. of the *Elbe*; *Mittelmark*, betwixt the *Oder* and the *Tilbe*; and *Newmark* E. of the *Oder*, which two Rs by a Channel cut to the *Havel*, are lately united.

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As to the *Aborigines* of this Country there is little Certainty, but the *Teucones*, *Senones*, *Sueviani*, *Vandali*, and *Saxons*, have all possessed it successively. The Soil is various, and admits therefore of no general Character; Coral, Eagles-stone, Plum-Allom, &c. are found there. The Origin of the Elector's Family is as uncertain as that of the People, some deriving it from the same root as that of *Austria* and *Baden*; others derive it from the House of *Zolern* in *Suevia*, and *Peter Colonna* a *Guelph*, exil'd *Italy* for that reason by Pope *Paschal II*, and presented by the Emp. *Henry V*, with large Possessions in *Suabia*. *Conrade* made *Burgrave* of *Nuremberg* by *Frederick Barbarossa* in the XIIIth Cen. from whence *Frederick VI*, *Burgrave* of *Nuremberg*, and first Elector of *Brandenburg*, of the House of *Zolern*, was deriv'd; and from him, by a long and illustrious Line, of warlike, brave, and learned Princes, the present Elector *Fre-*

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on the mouth of the R. *Pregala* at its Fall into the Gulph of *Frisch-Haff*; 'tis also called *Bransberg* and *Bransberg*.

Also an Island on the Coast of *New Guinea*, noted for a burning Mountain like that of *Aetna* or *Vesuvius*.

Brandons, the Name of a little bit of Cloth, that having touch'd the Bodies of the Saints and Martyrs, was in a Box sent as a Relict to those that desir'd it; as was a piece of the Corporal on which the *Eucharist* or *Hof* had been laid; and this as early as 600.

Brandinylor (*John*) born in *Biberach*, was a Minister of *Basil*, having publish'd 540 Sermons, he dy'd in 1586, and had a Son call'd *John James* lately a Professor of Law at *Basil*.

Brandolini (*Aurelio*) a Native of *Florence*, and surnamed *Lupus*, was an *Austrian* Fryer of the XVth Cen. his Works in History, Poetry, and Oratory, got him no small Reputation, the justness of which you may judge of by his Writings.

Brandon (*Charles*) being the Son of *Sir William Brandon* kill'd in *Bosworth Field* by *Richard III.* he was brought up with *Hen. VIII.* by which, and the Likeness of their active Spirits, they contracted a firm Friendship, being now D. of *Suffolk*, and bringing over the King's Sister, Widow to *Lewis XII* of *France*, he fell in love with her, and so far prevail'd that she married him privately; but after a formal Disgrace the K. forgave and receiv'd him into Favour, which he us'd with that Moderation that he made no Enemies; he died in 1544, leaving 2 Sons, *Henry* and *Charles*, who died 6 Y. after him; and the Mother of the Lady *Jane Gray* oppos'd to Q. *Mary*, and another Daughter.

Brankley, an Island against the Inlet of the Sea into *Pool Harbour*, in *Dorsetshire*, where are *Copperas* works,

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Brant (*John*) a *Flemish* Lawyer of *Antwerp* of the XVIIth Cen. wrote several Books.

Braquemont (*Robert de*) being Admiral of *France* to *Charles VI.* he beat the *Moors* at Sea for the K. of *Castile*, in 1417, who had before given him a Commission to conquer the *Canaries*, in consideration of his Service in the *Portuguese* War, which Commission *Braquemont* gave his Cousin *John* of *Bethencourt*, &c. Vide *Bethencourt*.

Brasidas, a *Lacedaemonian* General in the LXXXIX *Olym.* that extended his Conquests into *Thrace*, vanquish'd the *Athenians* by Sea and Land, and so made *Lacedaemon* terrible to the *Greeks* and *Barbarians*. The People of *Amphipolis* made him a pompous Funeral, he dying in a little time after he had defeated the *Athenians* as they advanced to surprize that City; and the *Ephori* declar'd publick Honours to his Mother, for preferring the Glory of her Country to her Son's Encomiums, which she receiv'd with the highest Modesty.

Brasil alias *Bresil*, a vast maritime Region of *S. America*, extending from *Paraguay* to the R. of *Amazons*, and its Shores form a Semicircle of 1200 L. it having three parts surrounded by the Ocean; 'tis inhabited by various Nations since known, the chief of which are the *Toubinambours*, *Morpiens*, *Tobajares*, *Petiguaris*, &c. and near 100 more, but those unknown are suppos'd much more numerous. The *Portuguese* divide their Posts into Captainships and Commanderies (*Alvarez Cabral* a *Portuguese* having discovered it, by being driven by a Storm on it in 1501) along the Coast, as *Tamaraca*, *Bahia de Todos los Santos*, *Peruambuco*, *Paras*, *Ciara*, *Rio Grand*, *Marabam*, *Los Ifnos*, *Seregippe*, *Paraiba*, *Porto Seguro*, *Spirito Santo*, *Sto. Vincentis*, and *Rio Janeiro*; its chief Cities being *Salvador*,
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Olinda, St. Sebastian, &c. it lies under the *Torrid Zone*, and yet enjoys a Temperance of Air, and wholesome Waters, and such a Portion of Health, that some of the Natives live 150 Ys; they are of middle Stature, brown, but of a ruddy Complexion; a Root furnishes them with Bread; and they are addicted to Hunting and Revenge, but great Lovers of Fasting; great part of them are converted to the *Christian Faith* by the Missionaries, and live among the *Portuguezs*; but their Languages are of 60 different kinds. Here is Gold and Silver Mines, and the *Brasil* Wood for dying, Saffron, Cotton, Balsam, Tobacco, and Sugar of various kinds, and in great Plenty.

Braslaw, a *Lithuanian C.* and *Castle*, capital of the Palatinate of the same Name, standing on a Lake on the Frontiers of *Livonia*, which falls into the *Duina*, and is 71 m. S. of *Wilna*.

Braslaw, a *C.* and *Bk.* of *Transilvania*.

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with Arrows, but have now chang'd them for Fire-arms.

Braver (Adrian) was born at *Oudenard* in *Flanders*, prov'd an excellent Droll Painter, as well as a Master of Miniature, and tho' his Pieces sold at a good Price, yet he was so poor when he dy'd at 31 Ys old at *Antwerp*, that he left not Money to bury him; but being first buried in the *Carmelites Cloisters*, he is since removed to the Church, and a Tomb set over him by the Magistrates.

Bray, signifying In the old *Gaulish* Language Wet or Marthy Ground; it is still found in many *French* Names of Places, and always from the Nature of the Soil where they stand, as *Guibray, Vaubray, Fallunbray, &c.*

Brecknock, is the County T. of *Brecknockshire* in *S. Wales*, and stands on the *Uk* where it joins with the *Outhy*; it has two Churches and a Collegiate; the T. is well built and well inhabited, surrounded with a Wall,

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Adel, enters the C. and forms several Channels: It is of Form triangular, and in each Angle a brick Gate, and 15 Bulwarks mounted with great Guns, flank its Curtains; the old Fortifications being lately repair'd and improv'd by the Prince of *Orange*, and standing in a marshy Ground, 'tis thought impregnable; the Ramparts set round with Trees the higher than the Houses, which are but indifferently built, tho' it hath one Street fair enough. It has had various Masters; once Lords of its own, then the Ds of *Brabant*, and lastly the House of *Nassau*, by marrying *Jehanna* only Daughter of *John Palen* Lord of *Lieck* in 1404; since which it has been taken and retaken

by the *Spaniards* and the *Dutch* more than once. The Bar. has yet 17 Villages depending on it, as *Bergen-op-zaam* once did.

Braderode (*Henry*) of the noble Family to whom the Castle near *Harlem* of that Name belongs, one of the chief of the Confederated Provinces of the *Netherlands*, who having in vain presented Remonstrances to *Margaret* of *Parma*, he coined Money with the Motto of *Per tela, per Ignes*, &c. but was at last forced to fly with his Wife and Goods by Ship to *Germany*, where he dy'd of Grief; the Elector Palatine married his Widdow, who was of the House of the Es of *Meurs*.

Braderode Lancelot, another of the principal Confederates, being taken at the Siege of *Harlem*, was hang'd.

Braderode (*Peter Cornelius de*) was an eminent Lawyer of the XVI Cen. at the *Hague*; he wrote several juridical Books.

Bremen, a *Hanse* T. on the *R. Weser* in the *Lower Saxony*, in a Peninsula, at the end of which is a strong Castle; it is divided by that R. into the Old and New T. of unequal Signels, and joined together by Bridges; the Streets of the old T.

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center in a great Square, in which the Statue of *Charlemagne* stands, who erected it into an Apk. and made it the Metropolis of the N. by uniting the Church of *Hamburg* to it in 788; in the Market-place also is the T. House and Cathedral of *St. John*: In the New T. is the College, Arsenal, and several Hospitals; both together make a T. of War and Traffick, it being a free Commonwealth, having cast off its B. on receiving the Reformation in the XVI Cen. its Dominions extend not above 3 or 4 L. and 'tis famous over *Germany* and *Holland* for its Beer.

Bremen, the Dutchy which takes its Name from the foregoing T. which being a Bk. seculariz'd, and given to the *Suedes* by the Treaty of *Westphalia* in 1648, in 1672 was taken from them by the *Germans* and *Suedes*: 'Tis surrounded by the *Elbe* *Weser*, and the Sea. Besides *Bremerferd*, the Seat of its Governour, it contains *Staden*, *Harnesport*, and other Ts.

Brene (*Walter*) stil'd D. of *Athens*, was sent by *Robert K.* of *Naples* with an Army to the Assistance of the *Florentines* against those of *Pisa*; where prevailing by his cunning Insinuations, he destroy'd the Interest of *Malatesta*, an Assertor of the Liberties of that C. and gain'd the Gt. of *Florence* by the Consent of the People; but not content with that he aimed at the Tyranny; but finding his Arts incapable of lulling them asleep, he punished many for informing him of Designs against him, by that Ostentation of Confidence to confirm the People to him; but his Outrages and Oppressions were too numerous and sensible to suffer them to sleep, so that at last, by the Conduct of *Adimari*, *Medici*, and *Donati*, he was compelled with his Family to quit the C. and surrender his Advisers up to the People, whose Rage indeed prov'd monstrous

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and highly barbarous, broiling and eating their Flesh when they had murder'd them.

Brenius (*Daniel*) tho' a Scholar of *Episcopus* the *Arminian*, was a *Soci-nian* by Principle, as his Comments on the Bible show. He join'd the *Mennonites*, among whom are many *Anti-trinitarians*; and believed the *Millennium*, deny'd by *Socinus*, as destructive of *Christianity*, and only subservient to *Judaism*.

Brennus, a Leader or K. of the *Gauls*, whether a *Britain* by Birth, or a *Gaul* uncertain; but passing the *Alps* at the Head of a vast Army of *Gauls*, he enter'd *Italy*, and being provoked by the *Romans* assisting those of *Clusium*, march'd against *Rome*, besieg'd, took, and ransack'd it, but waiting for the Ransom of it from *Fire*, as the Gold was weigh'd according to Agreement, *Brennus* demanded the Weight of his Sword more, which being a Breach of the Treaty, disputes arising. *Camillus*

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in 1499; he was Fellow Student at *Heidelberg*, with *Bucer* and *Malan-Ebon*; where, by the Conversation of understanding Protestants, and their Books, being convinced, he preached the Protestant Doctrine publickly, and was a faithful Follower of *Luther*, after whose Death he was Head of the *Lutherans*, and is look'd on as Patriarch of those that hold the Ubiquity of Christ's Humanity. He was extremely favoured and rewarded by *Christopher D.* of *Wirttemberg*; and his Life was pursu'd by *Charles V.* Emp. He had by 2 Wives 16 Children, 4 by *Margaret Greterine*, who was a young Widow when he married her, and 12 by *Catharine Iffemane*; he dy'd in 1570, being 72 Y. old.

Bresch, a populous and ancient T. in the Km. of *Tremesen* in *Barbary*, noted for abounding in Weavers, which are most of its Inhabitants; 'tis 2 L. W. of *Algiers*, and was taken by *Barbosa's* the *Turkish* Admi-

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which is both its Defence and Ornament. as well as the *medium* of its Trade, by bringing Merchandise from all Parts to it; the small R. *Oden* waters the other side, here falling into the *Oder*; the Streets are long and large, the Squares or Market-Places various and fine, the Churches magnificent, and the Town-House, which is one of the Market-Places, is one of the finest of *Germany*, of which it is one of the most populous and fairest Cs, it depends on the Empire, but is governed like a Commonwealth, and consists both of Protestant and Papist Inhabitants; its Priviledges it derives from several Emperors, tho' chiefly from *Charles IV.* and *Wenceslaus*.

Brest, a Prov. of *France*, 16 L. long, and bounded by the R. *Ains* on the E. by the *Soane* on the W. the *Seille* on the N. and the *Rhône* on the S. by the last 'tis divided from *Savoy* and *Dauphiné*; as from *Burgundy*, *Franche-compte*, *Lyonnois*, &c. by the *Soane*, 'tis divided into Upper and Lower. The Country is in some Parts watry and unwholsome, but generally fruitful enough in Vines, Fruit, and Corn. It has belong'd to several Masters in several Ages, being after the expiration of the *Roman Empire* part of the Km. of *Burgundy*, then of that of *Arles*, &c. subject to Lords of its own, then to *Savoy*, and lastly fix'd to *France* by *Hcn. the Great of France*.

Brest, a T. in *Cujavia* in *Poland*, well built, with a good Castle, noted for 2 Councils held here; the one in 1595, for re-uniting the *Lithuanian Greeks* to the Latin Church; and the other in 1620

Brest, a C. and famous Harbour of *Bretagne*, and the most considerable of all the *French Ports* for Men of War, being the Magazine of the *French Navy* for the Ocean; it stands in a Bay on the Descent of a Hill on the Haven, whose Mouth is

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guarded by a strong Fort, and several Outworks.

Bretagne, a Dm. and one of the largest Prov. of *France*, being 70 L. long, and 35 and 40 broad; its bounds are *Anjou*, the lower *Poitou* *Normandy*, and *Maine*, and the Ocean, which touches it W. N. and S. being divided into Upper and Lower; its Capital *Rennes* stands in the Upper, which is a Parliamentary and Episcopal C. as does *St. Malo*, *St. Brieux*, *Monfort-la-Cane*, *Jocelin*, *Cliffon*, *Chateau-Breant*, &c. and in the Lower stands *Hennebon*, *Quimperlay*, *Lo Conqué*, *St. Paul de Leon*, *Brest*, &c. There are three Languages spoke in *Bretagne*, *French*, *British*, and a mixture of both; it contains 9 Bpks. which are suffragans to the Abp. of *Tours*. Some derive them from a Colony of *Britains* from *England*, on the *Saxon Invasion*; others make them the Original *Britains*, that gave their Name to this Isle. After the *Romans*, *Conan Mariadoc*, by the Consent of *Maximus*, made it a Km. which *Clovis* and *Chilperick* reduced to an Earldom; but *Dagobert II.* first entirely subdu'd them, and after him *Charlemain*; after which setting up again for themselves, *Anne*, Daughter to the last Duke of *Bretagne*, marrying *Charles VIII.* and *Lewis XIII.* united it to the Crown of *France*. The People are good Seamen, and want no Sense. *Belle Isle*, and *Ouessant* are its chief Isles, and its principal Rs. are *Le Rauce*, *Blavant*, *Le Villain*, &c.

Briançon, a *French C.* of *Dauphiné*, and the chief of the Bailiwick of *Briançon*, in the Mountains near the Confluence of the *Dure*, and the *Ance*, beneath a Rock, on whose Top is a Castle, and is remarkable for being esteem'd the highest situated C. in *Europe*, has a fine Church, and 3 Monasteries is 36 m. W. of *Pignerol*, and 23 N. E. of *Ambrun*. Also the Name of a Vil. in *Provence*. where Inscriptions show

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setshire, and *Gloucestershire*, erected into a Bish. by *Henry VIII.* and with the Co. of *Dorset* makes up the whole Dio: it has one Archdeacon, a Dean and Prebendaries; and is one of the most considerable Places of Trade in *England* next *London*, containing about 17 or 18 Parish-Churches, which, with the Cross, Tolstal, with its new Square, are its principal Ornaments for Buildings; in the Castle, now built into Streets, *Maud* the Empress kept *K. Stephen* in Custody. The Tide rising 40 Foot at *Bristol*, brings in its Wealth, and spreads its Commerce to all the known World: We must not forget its hot Wells, and its Rock of Chrystal, call'd *Bristol Stone*; it gave the Title of Earl to the noble Family of *Digby*, 'till extinguished in 1699, by the Death of *John*, who left no Issue. Also the Name of one of the chief Ts. of *Barbadoes*, defended by 2 Forts, and furnished with a good Haven.

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disputing. See *England*, *Scotland*, and *Wales*.

Britanicus, Son of *Messalina* and the Emp. *Claudius*, who on his marrying *Agrippina*, put *Britanicus* from the Succession to the Empire, and prefer'd *Nero*, *Agrippina's* Son; she poison'd *Britanicus* afterwards at the Feast of the *Saturnalia*.

British-Sea, the Name of the Channel or Sea betwixt *England* and *France*; from its Form or Shape call'd *La Manche*, or the Sleeve.

Britomartis, a Cretan Nymph, Daughter of *Jupiter* and *Charmes*, and Favourite of *Diana*, call'd also *Diclys* from her Invention of Hunting Nets; pursu'd by *Minos*, to shun his Embraces, she leap'd from a Rock into the Sea.

Britomarus, or *Viridomarus*, K. or Leader of the Gauls of *Insubria* or *Gisalpine*, who vowing not to lay aside his Sword 'till he had enter'd *Rome*, was vanquished by *Marcellus*, A. R. 512.

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they offered Boats full of all sorts of Commodities but Fish.

Brimley, a m. T. in *Kent*, on the *Riverbourne*, noted for its fine Colleges for Minister's Widows, and the Neighbourhood of the Bp. of *Rochester's* Palace, 10 m. from *London*.

Bromsbo, or Bromsboos, or Bronsboos, a Swedish T. noted for its Treaty betwixt *Sweden* and *Denmark*, in 1645, by which *Jemtland* and *Herendal* were forever surrender'd to *Sweden*; and the Isles of *Gotland*, and *Oesel*, and the Prov. of *Holland*, for 30 Ys.

Bronckhorst (*Everard* and *John*) Son and Father; *Everard*, the Son, born at *Drumter*, was Professor of the Civil Law at *Leyden*, in the Low-Countries; and *John*, the Father, at *Nimwegen*, and was Head of the College of *Drumter*, taught the Mathematicks at *Rostock*, and dy'd at *Cologne* in 1570; and his Son at *Leyden* in 1647, leaving several Books of Civil Law, as his Father did some of other kinds.

Bronzes, one of the *Cyclops*, or Journey-men to *Vulcan*, so named from *Bron's* Thunder, which he forg'd for *Jupiter*.

Bronzeus, an old Appellation of *Jupiter* from his Thundring; it has from the Noise of Drunken Quarrels, been given also to *Bacchus*; and the brass Engine in the Theatres, by which they thunder'd, was called *Bronzeus*.

Bronzerio (*Giovanni Hieronymo*) a Physician of *Italy*, well acquainted with the politer Studies, but eminent for Physick and Astrology. He dy'd in 1630, and left several Books of his Art behind him.

Brosse, or *de Broche* (*Peter la*) was a Native of *Touraine*, who from a low Birth, and a Mechanick Employ, rais'd himself by his Address and Cunning, to the greatest Favour with *Philip the bold*, K. of *France*, of any Subj; being well skill'd

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in Chirurgery; he was made Chirurgeon by *St. Lewis* to *Philip*, who becoming K. was rul'd by him in every thing, made Great Chamberlain, &c. he poison'd the K's Son *Lewis*, and perswaded him it was done by his Step-Mother, *Mary* of *Brabant*, to advance her own Children to the Crown; which being at last discovered to the K. he was seiz'd, try'd, and condemned, and was hang'd in 1276, the Dukes of *Burgundy*, *Brabant*, &c. being by.

Brosses, (*Françisco Sancho*) or *Santissimo Brocensis*, a Spanish Grammarian of the XVIIth Cen. that made a great deal of Noise among the Writers of that Time.

Brotherton (*Thomas*) of *Hey* in *Lancashire*, of an ancient Family bred at *Jesur College* at *Cambridge*, study'd Law at *Gray's-Inn*, and is the Author of some Experiments of Trees; asserting that the Juice ascends in the woody parts of the Tree, not in the Bark; the Descent of which causes the Growth of the Tree in thickness, and 3dly that all the Summer Season the Juice circulates.

Brower, the Name of a Streight of *S. America*, in the *Magellanick*, taking its Name from its Discoverer, a Dutchman, in 1643. Also a Port in *Zeland* call'd *Brower-Shaven*.

Brown, the Name of several Families of *England*, especially *Francis Brown* Viscount *Montacute*, in 1629, was descended from *Lady*, Daughter of *John Neville* Marquis of *Montacute*; his Great Grandfather was exalted to this Title by *Q. Mary*, in 1554; was Embassador to the Pope from her and the Parliament, and from *Q. Elizabeth* into *Spain*; and was one of the Lords that sat on *Mary Q.* of the Scots.

Brownists, Hereticks deriving their Name from one *Robert Brown* of *Northampton*, formerly a School-master in *Leamington*, then Ring-leader of this Sect, which denies all Forms

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of Prayer, and all Orders in the Church, both Episcopal and Presbyterian; affirms Marriage to be a civil Contract, and the Benediction of the Priest superstitious; declaim violently against Bells as Idolatrous, &c.

Bruceus (*Henricus*) a Native of *Alost* in *Flanders*, and a learned Mathematician and Physician of the XVIth Cen. who published several Books of value.

Bruce, the Name of the noble Family of the E. of *Ailesbury*, descended from *Robert de Bruce*, that came in with *William the Norman*, and passing afterwards into *Scotland*, gave *Robert* and *David Bruce* to the *Scottish Throne*; on *James I.* of *England's* accession to the Throne, *Edward Bruce* of *Kingloft* in *Scotland*, his Brother *Thomas* was made *Ld. Bruce* of *Wharton* in *Yorkshire*, and his Son *Robert* was created E. of *Ailesbury* in 1664.

Brudenel, the Name of the Family of the E. of *Cardigan*, deriving it

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Trade in Wool, Cotton, Silks, &c. they make Cloth, Stuffs, Tapistry, &c. this C. stands in a Plain on the Canal of *Reye*; and the new one cut from thence to *Ostend*, brings up Ships of 400 Tun: But it is not so flourishing as it has formerly been; it was once the Staple of Wool of the *English*, and the Birth-place of *Philip I. K. of Spain*; and has given Name to several of its learned Citizens.

Bruges (*John*) a *Flemish* Painter of a great Name, much given to Chimiſtry, and the first that invented painting in Oil; his first Picture he presented to *Alphonso I. K. of Naples*, which surprized all the *Italian* Painters.

Bruma, a Hieroglyphick God of the *Brachmans*, to whom they attribute the forming as many Worlds, as answered the chief parts of his Body, as his Brain, Eyes, Mouth, &c. 14 in number, to the very Air that surrounded him; which are

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venge, Cruelty, Avarice, and Prostitution, yet obtained the Panegyrics of Pope Gregory and *Germanus* Bp. of Paris. Her second Husband was *Merevus* Son of *Chilperic*, and retir'd to her Son *Childebert*; against whom she sided with *Gondebaud* the pretended Son and real Murderer of *Clotaire*: After this she go'erned *Theodebert's* States of *Austrasia*, with a bloody and cruel Hand, to gratifie both her Lust and Ambition, which made the Nobles turn her naked out of the Km: but she was conducted to her other Grandson *Thierry* by a poor Man that knew her, whom she rewarded with the Bpk of *Auxerre*, having there got the sole Administration of Affairs; and to amuse the young Prince from Desire of Rule, she furnish'd him with Mistresses her self, and enjoy'd her Gallants, one of whom she made Mayor of the Palace in the Place of *Bertoaldus*; but being rebuked by *St. Didier* Bp. of *Pienne* for her ill Courses, in an Assembly of Bps at *Chalons*, she had him condemned, and after ston'd to death, in 605, by her Guards; and having perswaded *Thierry* to war with his Brother *Theodoret*, and to the Extirpation of his Family, she poison'd him too, in 612, but was at last seized, condemn'd as Murderer of 10 Kings, rack'd 3 days in 614, and drawn betwixt 4 Horses, and burnt.

Bruni (*Leonardo*) a Native of *Arezzo*, in the XVth Cen. and thence called *Aretin*, was a great Master of Greek, and a Philosopher, Historian, and Orator; was prefer'd by *Immacolus* VII to be Master of the Briefs; and by the *Florentines*, to be Secretary of their Republick; he was Author of many valuable Translations from the Greek; he lived single, was noted for Avarice, and dy'd in the 74th Y. of his Age; his Praise is wrote by several learned Men, and he lies buried in *Rome*.

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Bruno (St.) Founder of the *Carthusians*, was a Native of *France* in the XIth and XIIth Cen. his Disgust to the World came from the Vanity of the Conversation of the People of *Rheims* where he liv'd; which with the forcible Intrusion of *Manasse* into the Apk. of *Rheims*, drove him into the Solitudes of the *Chartreuse* in *Dauphins*, allotted him by *Hugh* Bp. of *Grenoble*, where he first instituted his Order in 1084, and was sent for thence into *Italy* by Pope *Urban II.* who was his Friend, and had been his Disciple; but weary of the Forms in the Conversations of the Great, he retir'd into *Calabria*, and there dy'd in 1101, and was canoniz'd by Pope *Leo X.* in 1514, he wrote several Books, or several, at least, are attributed to him. There is a foolish Story of a dead Man's speaking at the Office of the Dead sung for him, that made him quit the World, and take to so severe a Course; but that is too foolish and fabulous to mention, and not thought of above 200 Ys after his Death, *Jerson* being the first that mention'd it.

Bruno or *Brunon*, the Source and Founder of several Families, as that of *Bavaria*, *Saxony*, *Zellern*, *Brandenburg*, &c. he liv'd in the VIII Cen. and did Homage to *Charlemagne*, and was Brother to *Wittikindus* K. of the *Saxons*.

Bruno the Great, Abp of *Cologne*, and D. of *Lorraine*, succeeded *Wicfredus* in the Apk in 953; he was Legate at *Rome* from the Emp. and the Government of *Lorraine* was given to him by his Brother the Emp. *Orto I.* whose Father *Henry the Fowler* or I, of *Saxony*, had been Emp. before him; he was Uncle to *Hugh Capet*, and an active Prelate in all the Transactions of those Times.

Bruno (St.) was a Native of *Italy*, and of the Order of *St. Benedict*,
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and went into *Prussia* to preach the Gospel, made many Converts, was made their Bishop, suffer'd Martyrdom, and so is call'd their Apostle: He was martyr'd in 1008.

Bruno Herbipolensis, Bp. of *Wurzburg* in *Francia*, in the XIth Cen. was Author of several Comments on the Psalms, Canticles, &c. he was by birth the Son of the D. of *Carinthia*, and Uncle to the Emp. *Conrad II.*

Brunswick, a German Dm. of the *Lower Saxony*, bounded by *Westphalia*, *Lunenbourg*, and the Bps of *Hildesheim*, and *Halberstat*; under this Name are plac'd all the Dependencies of the Branches of the House of *Brunswick*, as *Hansver*, *Zell*, *Dauneburg*, *Gisborne*, *Gaveag*, *Urzen*, *Gottinghen*, &c. Game, Corn, and Mines, are plentiful in this Country, whose principal Rivers are, the *Oker*, *Weser*, *Glin*, *Himeno*, &c. and besides its Capital *Branswick*, it contains *Hannover*, *Wolfsbutel*, *Collee*

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a long struggle with the Ds of *Brunswick* for its Liberty, and suffer'd many Sieges from the time of *Henry the Young* in 1541, till it was reduc'd in 1670; it was one of the first Cities of *Germany* that receiv'd the Protestant Doctrine.

Brunus or *Bruni* (*Antonio*) was born in *Munduria* in the Km of *Naples*, in the beginning of the XVIIth Cen. and was a Poet of great Reputation among the *Italian* Princes, and Academies, who all admitted him a Member; he was Counsellor and Secretary of State to the D. of *Urbino*; and not less noted for his jovial Humour than his Poetry; he dy'd in 1636, and left several Poetick Works, and was just finishing his *Metamorphosis*, when Death finish'd him.

Brunus (*Conrad*) a great Lawyer of the XVIth Cen. he was a Canon of *Auburg*, and left several Books of the Civil Law.

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whom they imagine of the *Trojan Race*, and the great Grandson of *Aeneas*, who being banished *Italy* on his unfortunate and accidental killing his Father *Sylvius*, with his Followers pass into *Greece*, and set at liberty the captive *Trojans* there, having first taken, and then set at liberty *Pandrusus K.* of *Greece*, on condition of giving him his Daughter *Agas*, and supplying his *Trojans* with Ships and Provisions to seek elsewhere their Fortune; landing again in *Italy* he takes many of *Antenor's Trojans* with him, and after a long Voyage, and various Adventures, he arrives at *Tetnes* in *Devonshire*, which he understands to be the Country promis'd him by the Oracle of *Diana*: he destroy'd the Race of Giants that had unpeopled this Country by their Cruelty, and changed its Name from *Albion* to *Britain*, in allusion to his own Name; he reigned 24 Ys. and divided the Country betwixt his three Sons, *Lochrine*, *Camber*, and *Aidanast*; the last had *Scotland*; *Camber*, *Wales*; and *Lochrine*, *Logris*, or the middle space.

Brutus, (*Lucius Junius*) was the Son of *Junius* by a Daughter of *Tarquinius Priscus*; the Murder of his Father and Brother *Marcus Junius* by his Uncle *Tarquin the Proud*, made him for his own Safety to counterfeit the Fool, whence he had his Name of *Brutus*, design'd first as an Infamy, but turn'd by his Vertue to a perpetual Honour; for he, on the Rape of *Lucrece*, by *Sextus*, *Tarquin's* Son, turn'd out the Tyrant his Father, and established Liberty in *Rome*, and with *Collatinus* was her first Consul; and to shew that he lov'd nothing so well as the Good of his Country, and its Freedom from Tyranny, he put his Sons to Death for being in a Conspiracy for restoring the Tyrant *Tarquin*; engaging afterwards one of whose Sons in a Duel, he was kill'd by him, and

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kill'd him.

Brutus (Marcus) of the Family of the former at about 455 Ys. distant, but possess'd with the true Spirit of the *Junian Race*, that to set his Country free from the Usurpations of *Julius Caesar*, (a Man too good and brave for an Usurper) with the other Conspirators stabb'd him in the Senate-House on the Ides of *March*, in the 710th Y. of *Rome*; after whose death, the People being now prone to Slavery, he was fain to fly into *Macedon* to raise Men, and there joining *Cassius*, was beaten, not vanquish'd, by *Anthony* and *Octavius*, for they both chose to dye, rather than fall into their Hands; and prefer'd Death to a Life that cou'd not set their Country free: His Wife *Portia*, *Cato's* Daughter, hearing of his death, swallow'd burning Coals, and so killed her self.

Brutus (Peter) Bp. of *Cattaro* in *Dalmatia*, was a Native of *Venice* of the XVth Cen. and Author of several valuable Pieces.

Bruxels or *Brussels*, the capital C. of *Brabant* in the *Netherlands*, stands on the small R. of *Saine* or *Simme*, which thro' a Canal cut in 1561, falls into the *Scheld*. This C. is the Residence of the Governour-General of the *Spanish Low-Countries*. The Traders are marshall'd into 9 Divisions, call'd Nations consisting of 52 Trades. Here are 7 principal Churches, 7 Gates, 7 Sheriffs, &c. who administer the C. Affairs; here is a Council of State, and a Court of Chancery, and no inconsiderable Trade. The King's and Governor's Palace, Churches, Town-house, &c. are the Buildings most considerable. 'Twas bombard'd in 1695 by *Villeroi*.

Bruys (Peter) was a Native of the Mountains of *Dauphine* or *Provence*, in the XIIth Cen. and was burn'd alive at *St. Gilles* for an Heretick; having, at *Tholuse*, for 10 Ys, preach'd

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ed against the Popish Mass, and other Errors of that Church.

Brydall (John) of *Lincoln's-Inn*, Esq; was a Batchellor of the Civil Law, and good Mathematician; and having been Secretary to three Masters of the Rolls, he was made Captain-Lieutenant to the Auxiliaries rais'd by the Jury of Court and Chancery for K. Charles I, against the Parliament; he was remarkable for tossing a Pike, for which and his Loyalty, if we'll believe my Author, he had a new Coat of Arms given him by Patent from the K.

Bryennius (Necrophorus) was born at *Orestia* a C. of *Macedon*, whose Wit and Presence not only preserv'd, but recommended him to the Care of *Alfred's* *Comitess*, who had taken his Father and put out his Eyes, for attempting the Empire against *Nicephorus* the Emp. he gave him his Daughter *Anna Comnena*, famous for her Learning, in Marriage; and

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Bubona, the Tutelar Goddes of greater Cattle.

Bubolci (John Nicholas) a B. of *Corfica*, who wrote of the Origin the *Turks* in the XVth Cen.

Buccasferri (Hieronymo) a famous Civilian of *Bononia* in *Italy*, of the last Cen. all his Works are now published.

Buccellair or *Buccellarius*, is of various and uncertain significations; some make it to mean Vassals of *Spanish Visigoths*, that had their Lord, from *Buccella* a sel; others, that it was one who was a Fief, that is, by it oblig'd to go in person to the Wars; others propose it to mean a band of Robbers who having had Commission to fight War in the East, turn'd all to rapine and Plunder.

Buccinaure, a noble large Gallie the *Doge* of *Venice*, in which he goes to the Sea on *Ascension-day*, and in which he receives People of Quality

would as it were kneel to take him up; and being wounded at the Battle where *Paris* was vanquish'd, he carried the K. to a Place of Safety, and then dropt down dead, for which *Alexander* built him a magnificent Tomb, and founded *Burghal* in the Place where he first fell. The Name comes from *Bē* = Ox, and *kapallā* a Head, either from the likeness of a Head to an Ox, or from having an Ox Head mark'd on his Shoulders or Rump, &c.

Bucer, or *Beucer*, a Native of *Schlesiat* in *Alsasia* of the XIVth Cen. embrac'd the Reformation in 1521, having after 15 Ys. Profession forsaken the Order of *St. Dominic*; he endeavour'd an Union among the Protestant Divines about the *Eucharist*, taught Divinity 20 Ys. at *Strauburg*, and in *Edw.* the VIth's Time was sent for over into *England* by *Abp. Cranmer*, and made Divinity Professor at *Cambridge*, and died there in 1551. Q. *Mary* disturb'd his Body from the Grave and had it burnt, but Q. *Elizabeth* had his Tomb repair'd. His Writings are various and numerous; his Learning considerable, and his Love general among the first Reformers.

Buchan, a Co. in the N. of *Scotland*, fertile enough for the Climate, but chiefly remarkable for harboring no Rats, for e'en adventurous Rats will die as soon as brought on the Ground; but this is only on the Credit of a *Scotch* Author, whose Veracity is not extraordinary. It has given the Title of Earl to several Families.

Buchanan (*George*) was a Native of the Co. of *Lenox* in the *Scotts Highlands* in 1506, of a Family more remarkable for its Antiquity than Wealth, who oblig'd him to owe his Education in Learning, both in *Scotland* and *Paris*, to his Uncle's Generosity; but his Death in the

ad Y. of his Studies, joined with his own ill State of Health and Poverty, compell'd him to return to *Scotland*; whence again, with the *French Auxiliaries*, he returned to *France*; but this Essay at War was but short, his Distemper returning laid him up for the Winter, and then having heard *Major's* Sophistry at *St. Anselm's*, went with him to *Paris*, was Grammar Professor at *Barbara Colledge*, imbib'd something of *Luther's* Doctrine, pass'd many Difficulties, and having found a favourable Entertainment from the young Earl of *Cassils*, came home to *Scotland* with him; whence once again designing for *Paris*, the K. made him Tutor to his Bastard Son *James*, having wrote before against the *Franciscans*, on the Discovery of a Conspiracy, in which they were suspected to be concern'd; by the K's Order he attack'd these Friars again under the Title of *Franciscanus & Fratres*; for which, the K. that employed him had like to have betrayed him to Cardinal *Beaton*, for a large Sum of Money; but escaping Prison he got into *England*, and then into *France*, and at last to *Bordeaux*, where he wrote his Tragedies; whence again he was forc'd to fly to *Portugal* at the Invitation of that Prince, tho' the Inquisition caught hold on him there, and let him not go 'till after a Y. and half Imprisonment and Tortures; whence at last deliver'd, and confin'd to a Monastery of ignorant Monks, he at last got aboard at *Lisbon* for *England*; and thence into *Scotland*, where entering into the Kirk, he was one of the Commissioners deputed by the States against their Q. *Mary Stuart* to Q. *Elizabeth*, and having been now Tutor to *James VI.* he dy'd at *Edinburgh* in 1582. He was a very good Latin Poet; he left several Books, none of which made more

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more Noise than his *de Jure Regni apud Sedor*, of which it must be said *laudatur ab his, culpatur ab illis*.

Bucholferus (*Abraham*) was born at *Schenan* near *Wittemberg*; he was a Scholar of *Malanston's* in Divinity, and was a Protestant Minister at *Freistat* in *Silesia*, in the XVIth Cen. study'd at *Frankfort* and *Wittemberg*, and left behind him several Chronological Works.

Buchs, a Maritime Country of *Bourdeaux*, which, with its Cape, is a Prin. by the Title of Capitate of *Euchs*, in the House of *Fois* and *Candale*.

Buckeridge, the Name of an ancient Family of *Reading* in *Barkshire*, which has been there ever since *William I.* and hence come all the *Buckridges* of *England*.

Buckold (*John*) otherwise called *John* of *Leyden*, was a Native and Burcher of that C. who being initiated in the Anabaptistical Notions of *John Matthias*, and found by him,

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ded, the Churches demolished. Having now repuls'd the *Bil* Forces, and kill'd him near Men in the Attack, tho' they not the Siege. He next assume Title of K. of *Justice* and *New Salem*, marries 3 Wives, an which *John Matthias's* Widow, Revelation of another of the *Er* siasts, *Tuyentfchraver*, who had he must be exalted to the Th of his Father *David*, which sh be eternal, &c. So equipt in R Robes, and with a Guard of Saints, he administred a sort of crament in Bread, and she in W not content with their *Munster* Fe they sent out their Emissarie other adjacent Cs. to cry out pent, and be re-baptized, &c. but Magistrates took and hang'd th no better luck had his Sol laid in *Zeland*, for they were cut to pieces, but 60 that were h ed, after they had plundered *Monsieur* of *Old* *Munster* in

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Buckinghamshire, is of the old *Saxon* Foundation, and stands on the R. *Ouse*, in a plentiful Soil; was wall'd by *K. Edw.* the Elder in 915, to secure it against the *Danish* Inroads; the *Ouse* almost surrounds it, over which, on the N. side, there are 3 Stone-Bridges; here are the Ruins of a Castle; and it sends 2 Burgesses to Parliament, which now are Sir *Edmond Denton*, Bar. and *Roger Price*, Esq;

Buckinghamshire, or *Bucks*, deriving its Name from its Co. T. *Buckingham*, one of the Mid-land Co. of *England*, 40 m. N. and S. and only 18 E. and W. containing 8 Hundreds, 15 Market-Towns, and 185 Parishes, was part of the ancient *Cateblani*, and of the *Saxon* Km. of *Mercia*, and now of the Dio. of *Lincoln*: the Air is healthy, and the Soil extremely fruitful, and the whole is divided into two, by a Range of Hills, call'd *Chiltern* Hills. 'Tis bounded N. by *Northamptonshire*, S. by *Berkshire*, by *Oxfordshire* W. and E. by *Hartford* and *Bedfordshire*; contains, besides its Co. T. *Wendover*, *Ailsbury*, *Agmondesham*, *Great Marlow*, *Chipping-Wicomb*, which send each 2 Members to Parliament, besides the Knights of the Shire, which now are the Rt. Hon. *William* Ld. *Cheyne* Viscount *Newhaven*, and the Hon. *Godwin Wharton*, Esq; It has given the Title of Earl to *Walter Gifford*, an eminent *Norman*, and to *Thomas* of *Woodstock*; and that of Duke to the Families of *Stafford* and *Villers*.

Buda, or *Offin* stands on the right side of the *Danube*, and is the capital C. of *Hungary*; on the other side of the R. is *Pest* join'd to it by a Bridge of 60 Boats; the upper C. is on a Hill; the lower, call'd *Wasserstadt*, is a sort of Suburb, and is inhabited by *Jews*; and reaches from the upper C. to the *Danube*. The upper C. besides its Situation on

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the Sloap of the Hill, is fortify'd with good Walls, and a Ditch, and several Pieces of Modern Fortification; it has been the Royal Seat of the Ks. of *Hungary*, since the Time of *Sigmund*, afterwards Emp. which gave it many beautiful Buildings, neglected and dilapidated by the *Turks*, who took it under *Solyman* II, in 1526, lost it the next Y. and recovered it in 1529. It was, in vain, attempted afterwards by several, 'till the D. of *Lorrain* besieging it the second time in 1687, took it by Assault with Sword in Hand, and in it much Treasure and Plunder; none of the least Treasure was the Library of the ancient Ks. of *Hungary*, not at all damaged, and was thence transported to *Vienna*, of which 'tis 54 German m. S. as it is 49 N. of *Belgrade*.

Budæus (*Gulielmus*) born at *Paris*, in 1476, was Ld. of *Merly-la-ville* and Son of *Johannes Budæus*, and Master of the Requests, and Counsellour to the K. Without Master or Fellow Scholar, he arriv'd to a great stock of Learning in the *Greek* Language, and in the Antiquities, as will appear from his Book *de Affe*, or of *Ancient Coins*. He was a Man of Quality, and yet so great a Lover of Learning, that he, not only gave all the Encouragement he cou'd to it himself, but got *Francis* I, to establish the College of Languages, &c. was pious, wise, obliging, modest, and honest; he dy'd at *Paris* in 1540, ordering no Pomp for his Funeral, but that he shou'd be buried by Night, without so much as a Torch. His Encomiums are numerous, and not only the learned of that Time, but those of the present, admire him; he wrote other Books of Value.

Budæus, an *Indian* Philosopher, or *Brachman* of the 11d Cen. and Master of *Manes*, the Founder of a Heresy, whose Disciples taught that

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he was born of a Virgin.

Budoa, a *Venetian C.* and *Bish.* of *Dalmatia*, under the *Abp.* of *Antivari* on the *Anriatick Gulph*, that follow'd the Fate of *Antivari*, when the Governour basely surrender'd it to the *Turks*; but this last being recover'd was regularly fortify'd, and its accidental Sufferings by an Earthquake in 1667, are now repaired.

Bueil (*John IV* of) a great *French General* of the *XIVth Cen.* who having been Lieutenant to the *D.* of *Anjou* at the Siege of *Montpelier*, and Great Master of Archers, was made, by the *K.* his Lieutenant General of 7 of the Southerly Prov. of *France*; he, in Conjunction with his Brother *Peter*, beat the *English*, and took their General, but was at last kill'd at the Battel of *Azincourt*, in 1415, among 16 others of his Name.

Bueil (*Lewis de*) Count of *Sauverre*, a Soldier of great Reputation in the *XVIth Cen.* serving under *Hen II* *Francis II* and *Charles IX*

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Bugenhagen (*John*) was born *Wellein* in *Pomerania* in 1485, being made Priest he was esteem'd a Man of great Learning, and at first very zealous against the Reformation and *Luther's Doctrine*, tho' afterwards convinced he promoted more zealously than any one of his time, introducing it into *Hamburg*, *Lubeck*, and *Bruswick*; dy'd at *Wittenberg*, where he had been a Professor, in the 37th Y. of his Age. He has commented *St. Paul*, and wrote other Books.

Bugia Salda, an *African C.* on the *R.* of the same Name, and capital of a Prov. of the like; 'tis a Part of the Mediterranean in the Liminions of *Algiers*. The *Romans* are thought to have been its Possessors; its Mosques and Colleges magnificent, and its Inhabitants about 8000 Families, are reputed brave and valiant; it was taken by the *Spaniards* in 1508, and re-taken by the *Turks*, tho' *Barbarossa* attempt

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after *K. Othas* was taken Prisoner by *Chrif Mahomet*, set his Son on the Throne of *Fez*, and was by him made chief Minister or Grand Visier; but having soon after, that on *Mahomet's* Approach to *Fez*, he had strangled the *K.* and his Son, and seiz'd the *Km.* he fled to *Spain*, and the *Emp. Charles V* being unable to assist him, he got an Army from *John K. of Portugal*, and after some Disputes with, join'd the *Algerines*, recover'd *Fez*, enlarg'd his Conquests, and being of the Royal Family, was made *K.* While he was meditating the securing his Acquisitions, *Mahomet* comes on him, fighting against whom, he was wounded in the Thigh by a Lance, of which he immediately died, which put an end to the War.

Buillon or *Bouillon*, a Town and Castle 16 *LS.* from *Liege*, famous for giving Title of *D.* to *Gosfrey* of *Bouillon K. of Jerusalem*, by whom it was mortgaged to the *Bp. of Liege*; the Castle stands on a craggy Hill, at whose foot is the *T.*

Bularchus, a famous Greek Painter, for whose Battel of the *Magnesians*, *Candaules K. of Lydia*, gave its weight in Gold.

Bulgares or *Bulgari*, People of *Bulgaria*, who holding several unorthodox Tenents, chose a Pope among themselves, and fix'd his Seat in that Country, whence they derive their Denomination; they believed only the New Testament, and refus'd to have Conversation with their Wives, or give Obedience to Bishops, &c. that lived not according to the Canons, and several other, if we may believe their Enemies Representation of 'em, which seldom uses to be very fair or very faithful; they say the *French Albigenes* consulted these *Bulgarian* Popes in Cases of Controversy, for their Determination.

Bulgaria, once an *European K.* now a *Turkish* Prov. lying from *Serua*,

by which 'tis bounded *W.* along the *Danube* to its Mouths on the *Black Sea* which bounds it *E.* as it is by a Range of Mountains *S.* which divide it from *Macedon* and *Romania*, as the *Danube* does from *Moldavia* and *Valachia*. It contains *Sophia* its capital *C.* which being taken by *Amurat II*, the whole Kingdom submitted; *Nigobeli*, of old *Nicopolis* on the *Danube*, where the *Christians* were defeated by *Bajazet I*, in 1396; *Varno* on the *Black Sea*; *Aparia*, *Dora*, &c. this Country was part of the Lower *Mafia*.

Bulgarians, the Inhabitants of the foregoing Country, who are thought to take their Name from their Original Habitation, suppos'd the *Asiatick* side of the *Volga*, quasi *Vilgarians*. In the *Vth* Cen. they pass'd the *Danube*, and in 845, their King *Bugoria* being chistened by the Name of *Michael*, his People followed him, the Pope and Patriarch of *Constantinople* contended for the spiritual Sovereignty of these People, but a Council call'd in 870, gave it in favour of the *Greeks*; there are two *Romish* Bps among them now, the rest are *Greek*. They are thought to have sprung from the ancient *Geta* and *Gepidi*.

Bulgarus de Bulgaris, a Civilian and Canonist of *Bononia* in *Italy*, his Reputation in the *XIIth* Cen. made him Umpire of many Controversies of Princes; he here read both Civil and Canon-Law a considerable time.

Bull, or *Bulla in cornu Domini*, a Bull of Excommunication and Anathema read on *Holy Thursday* against all the *Papists* call Hereticks, after which the Pope throws as his Thunder a Torch; those Crimes that are condemn'd by this Bull, are not to be absolv'd by any but the Pope, unless on Point of death. The Council of *Tours* declared this Bull of no Force, and *France* indeed has often

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against it, as to what in
the Rights of the Gallian

area, or the Golden Bull, cal-
Caroline, the first from a
Bull annex'd to it; the other
Emp. Charles IV, who in a
Nuremberg in 1356, made the
called, which regulates all
rights, Duties, and Offices of
Empire, and Electors, under 30
by the last of which they
oblig'd to understand the Ger-
manian, Italian, and Latin
languages; and by another, the
rights of the Electors are tied to the
total Dominions, which are not
to be alienated, so that whoever pos-
sesses them are Electors; and having
made these fundamental Laws of
the Empire, he had a great Feast,
where all the Electors and Lords of
the Empire, assist'd in all their Of-
fices, as is specifi'd in *Bulla Aurea*.
Bullen. (Sir Thomas) was second Son
of a Citizen,

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the famous Q. Anne Bullen, Mother
of Q. Elizabeth, and had besides an
other Daughter and 2 Sons.

Bullen (Anne) the Daughter of Sir
Thomas aforesaid, was born in Lan-
don, and privately married to R. Hen-
ry VIII, which was own'd as soon
as the Marriage with Q. Catherine
was made void by Act of Parliament;
at Easter she was publicly own'd as Q.
and the following *Whitsuntide* crown'd
with extraordinary Pomp; but the In-
constancy of Henry gave her but a short
duration of Greatness, for soon af-
ter he caus'd her to be beheaded un-
der a false Accusation of Adultery,
which she entirely clear'd her self
of, tho' she was condemn'd because
the Tyrant wanted to be rid of her,
to marry another, as he did Jane Sey-
mour the next day after she was put
to death.

Bullingbrook, only remarkable for the
Birth of Henry IV. and was a Regal
Honour till James I made Oliver St.
John E. of it, who deriv'd himself
from Margaret Beauchamp Grand-mo-
ther of Henry VI. from this Oliver

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extremely remarkable for its intervals of flowing till 1638, e'er since which time it has kept a regular Course like other Springs, before which it stop't 3 hours and flow'd 1; about a League from their Head, the Waters bury themselves in the Ground.

Bunus, an *Athenian* Umpire betwixt the *Eleans* and *Caliaonians*, whose dilatory Proceedings run into a Proverb for all Delays in Judiciary Courts; *Bunus is Judge*.

Bunder (*John*) a learned *Dominican* of *Ghent* in the XVIth Cen. and one of the *Low-Country* Inquisition. He was Author of several Books of Divinity.

Bunel (*Peter*) of *Tholouse*, a Man of equal Piety and Learning, especially in the *Latin* Tongue, which he had to a *Tullian* Excellence: passing to *Venice* with the *French* Ambassador, he by it obtained the Esteem of all the learned *Italians*: He exchange'd this Life for another when he was 47 Ys old, and his *Latin* Letters were publish'd by *Stephens*.

Bungay (*Thomas*) a Doctor of Divinity of *Oxford*, and a *Franciscan* of the XIIIth Cen. contemporary and Friend of Fryer *Bacon*, a Man of Learning in the *Mathematicks*, which got him as well as *Bacon* the Reputation of a Magician with the Vulgar, for his being Provincial of his Order, shew'd their different Opinion of him; he wrote of *Natural Magick*, and Comments on the *Master* of Sentences.

Bunga, a dependent Km. &c. of *Japan* in the Isle of *Ximo*, whose K. and People having receiv'd the Christian Faith, resign'd it again on the *Japonese* Persecution, occasion'd by the Discovery of the *Jesuits* Design on that Empire, for the K. of *Portugal*.

Buntin (*Henry*) or *Henricus Buntingius*, a Native of *Saxony*, and a Chronologer of the XVIth Cen. he published some Books both in History

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and Chronology.

Buonacorsi, or *Perrin del Vagna*, an *Italian* Painter in the beginning of the XVIth Cen. of great note; he work'd under *Raphael* in the *Vatican*, *Julio Romano*, and *Giovanni Francisco Bernio* were his intimate Friends, the Daughter of the last being his Wife; after his loss of all his Fortune at the Siege of *Rome*, he painted the Palace of Prince *Dorin* at *Genoa*, which got him a great deal of Fame; and being return'd to *Rome*, was prevented by a suddain Death, from finishing the Paintings he had begun in the Hall of Kings in the *Vatican*.

Bupalus, a Carver or Statuary of Reputation in the LXth *Olym.* who with *Athenis* or *Authermus*, making a ridiculous Statue of *Hipponax* the Poet, who was no very handfom Man, they were forced to hang themselves for shame, by the Satyr of that Poet on them in return; and so the Pen overcame the Chizzel.

Bura, once a City on the Gulph of *Corinth* in *Achaia*, destroy'd by an Earthquake, is now but a heap of Rubbish called *Bernitea*: it was anciently famous for the Oracle of *Hercules* in its Neighbourhood, deliver'd by Dice much like our Fortune-telling Book, where the Number on the Dice thrown, directs you to the same Number on the Table thrown upon, and there you find your Fortune sought.

Burchard, Bp. of *Worms*, Preceptor to *Conrade*, afterward Emp. who made a great Collection of Canons for the Instruction of the Priests of his Diocess in *Penance*, &c. he lived in the XIth Cen.

Burdin or *Bourdin* (*Maurice*) born in *Limoges*, following *Bernard* Abp. of *Tolosa* into *Spain*, he was by him made his Archdeacon, thence preferr'd to the Bpk of *Canimbra* in *Portugal*, and thence remov'd to the Abpk. of *Bragua*; and *Paschal* II denying

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nying to sell him the Abpk of *Toledo*, he sided with *Hen. IV*, Emp. drove *Paschal's* Successor into *France*, and was made Antipope, called *Gregory VIII*; but *Calixtus II*, by Cardinal *John de Crema*, besieged *Sutri* where he was, and had him surrendered by the Inhabitants, and brought to *Rome*.

Burdini (*Bennet*) a learned Geographer of the XVIth Cen. he lived at *Padua*, and published a Map of *Italy*, and the adjacent Isles.

Bureau (*John*) Lord of *Montglat*, rose from the place only of ordinary Receiver of *Paris*, first to Master of the Artillery of *France* for the Siege of *Meaux* in 1439, and that Office he executed in the King's War with the rebellious Princes, he assisted in many Battels, and in the Recovery of great part of *France* from the *English*, and negotiated the Reduction of *Bordeaux*, &c. and was made principal Mayor of it; *Lewis XI* made him a Knight at his Co-

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who not to lose all his Ransom, agreed on Terms he wou'd ne'er have accepted otherwise; the King liberally rewarded him on his Return, by which he bought Lordships, and was retain'd as chief Physician to *Henry II*.

Burges, the Capital C. of old *Castile*, and erected into an Abpk by Pope *Gregory XIII*. and is one of the largest, finest, and most populous Cs of *Spain*, it stands on the Declivity of a Hill, at whose Foot runs the R. of *Arlanca*, 'tis a trading T. and adorn'd with many fine Buildings, among which the Palace of the Abp. and of the Constable, are the most magnificent; its Suffragans are *Pampeluna*, *Calahorra*, and *Placencia*.

Burges (*Johannes Baptista*) a Native of *Valencia* in *Spain*, and an *Austin* Monk that assisted at the Council of *Trent*, and wrote of the several lawful ways of suppressing Heresy.

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called the Mother of Wine Corn, and is considerable for industry, containing, besides its soil, the Parliamentary C. of *Autun, Macon, Auxerre, Châlon, &c.* dispersed in its several Provs of *Maconnais, Auxois, Châtillon-Chalemnis, Mousagne, Surjeance,* divided into *Charolois, Fontaineposse, and Torique, &c.* and these w'd by the R. on the E. by the *Dehouz, Bursure, Onche* and *W.* by the *Loire*, which divides it from *Bourbonnois, the Arroux, &c.* The People are hostile and civil, and the whole ntry is bounded E. by *Franchete and Bresse*; W. by *Bourbon and Nivernois*; S. by *Beaujolois*; N. by *Champagne*, and stretches so L. N. and S. and 30 E. and

wgundy (the Upper) *Franchete*, or the County of *Burgundy* its capital C. is *Dole*, besides which it contains *Besangon, Vesoul, Amour, Orglet, &c.* and various besides the *Soane*, which is its cipal. Some divide it into the *Upper or Amont*, the *Middle or Dole*, and the *Lower or Aval*; it was Country of the old *Sequani*, and ounded E. by *Switzerland* and *ce*, W. by the *Dm. of Burgundy* part of *Champagne*; S. by *Bresse, y. and Gex*; and N. by *Lorraine*. bounds in Wood, Wine, Corn, and was taken by *Lewis XIV*, 668, surrender'd at *Aix la Chapele*, and taken again by *France* in 4.

Curienfis (*Ricardus*) a *Benedictine* Native of *Suffolk* of the XIVth C. that pass'd thro' many Temporal and Spiritual Posts, as *Ld. Chancellor, Ld. Treasurer, and Bp. of Eborac*; a mighty Patron of Learning, and wrote a Book call'd *De re Librorum*; or, *Of the Love of Books*, having collected a Library in

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all Arts and Sciences. Among his Letters are some to *Petrarch*.

Buris and *Spartis*, two *Spartans* of an Heroick Fortitude, whose Lives being pardoned by *Xerxes*, which they had voluntarily offered to what Punishment he pleas'd, for the Murder of the *Persian* Embassadors, by the *Lacedaemonians*, refus'd to stay in *Persia*, and to be chief Favourites to the Prince, saying on the Proffer, *That since they had by his Clemency sav'd their Country, they wou'd not forsake it for all the Glory of Persia, which cou'd not equal their Liberty.*

Burlington, a Port and m. T. of the *East-Riding* in *Yorkshire*; from its Key the Bay has taken its Name, and the T. is chiefly remarkable for giving Title of Earl to the Family of *Boyle*, since *K. Charles II.* before whom they were Earls of *Cork* in *Ireland*.

Burrhus (*Africanus*) Tribune of the Pretorian Cohorts to *Claudius* and *Nero*, who being suspected by the latter, was poison'd under Pretence of curing his sore Throat: he was a Man of Valour and old Roman Severity, and had been Governour to *Nero*.

Burrough-Bridge, a Market T. 204 m. from *London*, in the *W. Riding* of *Yorkshire*, on the *R. Tyre*, well built and remarkable for the *Devils Bells*.

Bursa, anciently *Prusa ad Olympum*, and the Capital of *Bithynia* in *Asia the less*, thought to have been built by *Prusias*, K. of that Country; it was taken first by *Osman* or *Othoman*, in 1300, who made it the Seat of the *Turkish* Empire. It was restor'd to the Emp. of *Constantinople* by *Tamerlane*, in 1399, and being re-taken by *Solyman*, the Son of *Bajazet*, it remains ever since in the *Turks* Hands, and sends e'ery two Months a Caravan to *Persia*; it is 30 m. E. of *Constantinople*, and near as large and populous, divided into

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Upper and Lower; the Upper being defended by a Castle and Walls, and adorn'd with fine Mosques, and the Tombs of the Ottoman Princes.

Burton, the Name of several Ts. in England, particularly *Burton on Trent*, in *Staffordshire* noted for its stately Bridge of 35 Arches, and the Victory of Edward II, over *Thomas Earl of Lancaster*, and the Barons. Also of *Burton* or *Buxton-Wells* in *Derbyshire*, where are 9 Springs of Mineral Waters rising close together, one of which only is very cold, and all the rest hot; they are frequent-ed as Medicinal.

Bury, or *St. Edmundsbury*, a Borough and m. T. on the R. *Lack* in the W. of *Suffolk*. *St. Edmund* martyr'd by the Danes for not renouncing Christianity, was bury'd here, and from thence it took its Name. *Canutus*, Son of *Sueno*, who kill'd him, as an expiation built here a magnificent Monastery, endowing it with the T. and Monks adia-

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Sea, whose Fame for Architecture, and the Mechanick Powers, was so famous, that the Commonwealth of *Pisa*, in 1016, sent for him to build their Cathedral or *Duomo*, one of the finest Piles of *Italy*. By the Mechanick Powers he cou'd make a few lift, what many cou'd not do wit hout them.

Busbec, or *Busquebius* (*Augerius Ghislenus*) ow'd his Birth to *Comines* in *Flanders*; he was the Emperor's Embassador to the Turkish Court, which Journey he describes, and afterwards to conduct the Princess *Elizabeth* to *Charles IX*, of *France*, and there order'd him to continue Resident. Having been here again in 1592, foreseeing the ill Events that would happen from the *Parisians* deserting the League, for which the Emp. was; he retiring fell into the Hands of Soldiers, whose ill Treatment was the Occasion of his Death 22 Days after at a Gentleman's House near *Reau* tho'tha

Worship of *Appius Claudius*, by Sons, *Marcus* and *Decimus*, as a grew common to the *Plebeians*, or Blood atoning the Infernal Gods, nor that of the Enemies, before too inhumanly sacrific'd at their Fathers Tombs. These Shows were at length exhibited in the Amphitheatres to divert the People.

Butacides, or *Philip* the Son of *Butaeus*, was a Native of *Crotone*, an ancient C. of *Italy*, and so famous for his Beauty, that being kill'd in a Combat against the People of *Egesta* in *Sicily*, his Enemies erected a Statue, and offer'd Sacrifice to him. He excell'd also in manly Exercises, as his *Olympick* Prizes might demonstrate.

Butes, being banished *Thrace* by *K. Boreas* his Father, for attempting the Murder of *Lycurgus*, his Brother, sail'd, with his Followers, to the Isle of *Naxos*; and liking it, went for Wives to *Thessaly*; where, at the *Bacchanalia*, they seiz'd several, and among the rest the Nymph *Coronis*, one of the Nurses of *Bacchus*, who making *Butes* mad, he drown'd himself in a Well.

Butius (*Adrianus*) or *Budt*, a *Cistercian* Monk of *Antwerp*, and Abbot of *St. Saviour's*, whose Probity was as considerable as his Learning. He was Author of several Books, and liv'd in the XVIIth Cen.

Butler (*James*) the present Duke of *Ormond*, is Son of *Thomas* Earl of *Ossory* by *Amalia* of *Nassau*, who equals his Father's and Grandfather's Bravery, but excels all in Magnificence for the Honour of his Country, for which he has ventured more, than those, who by their fighting were to make their Fortune, while he impair'd his own to serve the Publick; and for which he has often expos'd his Life, and now at last has ventur'd it, not only thro' the Sword but Seas. His Grandfather was made D. of *Ormond*

of *England* by *K. Charles II.* in 1682, being before so of *Ireland*; he derives his Family from *Theobald*, chief Butler of *Ireland* to *K. Richard*, who deriv'd himself from the Counts of *Brion* in *Normandy*, taking his Name from his Office.

Butrinto, the Ancients *Butbratum*, or *Butkrotus*, standing on the Gulph of *Butrinto*, over-against that of *Corfu*, belonging to *Venice*, and repair'd from the Ruins brought on it by the *Turks*, but inconsiderable for any thing, but the resort of the Fishermen of *Epire* and *Albania*.

Butrio, a noted *Civilian* of *Bononia* in the XVth Cen. who wrote several Books of Canon and Civil Law.

Buxtorf (*John*) or *Buxtorfius*, Father and Son, Hebrew Professors of *Basse*, great Masters of the Rabbinical Learning, and great Defenders of the Hebrew Points; to which the *German*, and *Geneva* Divines are so devoted from the Influence of the *Buxtorfs* on them: tho' they are very great Hebricians, yet their Judgment is often question'd, as depending in their Opinions too much on the *Rabbies*, which *Cappellus*, has more judiciously, avoided.

Buzelin (*John*) a learned Jesuit of *Cambray*, who, in the XVIIth Cen. wrote several Books.

Buzyges, a noble *Athenian*, whom *Demophoon* trusted to carry the *Palladium* to *Athens*; and who is said to have been the Inventor of plowing, &c. his Name being from *Bu's* an Ox, and *Zu'y* a Yoke.

Byas, a memorable *Greek* Carver of the Isle of *Naxos*, who invented, before the 55th Olym. a sort of Marble Slates, to cover Temples and magnificent Structures with.

Byrsa, according to the *Greek* Pronunciation, but *Betza* according to the *Phanicians*, who, under *Dido*, founded it, signifies a *Fortress*, and is the Castle of *Carthage*, in which

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was the Temple of *Æsculapius*, burnt by *Asdrubal's* Wife, when the C. was taken. The *Greeks* giving this a *Greek* Etymology, devis'd the Fable of the Ox-hide of Ground, which *Dido* bought.

Beovius (*Abraham*) a learned, but voluminous Author of the *Dominican* Order, of which he is very

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particular in his Supplement to *Baronius*. He was, by Country, a *Pole*, and dy'd at *Rome* in 1637; the number of his Books are incredible, but his Quarrel with the *Cordeliers* about the subtle Doctor, and that with *Hervart*, involv'd him in Arguments he cou'd by no means answer.

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Cabades, K. of *Persia*, succeeded his Father *Obolus* in 485, who endeavouring to set up the Lascivious Custom of having Women in common, was dethroned in 497; but upon his Reformation was re-inthroned in 501. He was a great Enemy to the *Manicheans* for their Disloyalty, executed many, banish'd others, and declared the Remainder incapable of bearing Office. He ward a-

ty Heads.

Cabalista, or a *Cabalist*, is one well skill'd in the *Jewish Cabalistical Learning*.

Caballo (*Emmanuel*) a famous warlike *Genoise*, who has render'd his Name illustrious by his bold and successful undertaking, in delivering the C. of *Genoa* when it was besieg'd, and upon the Point of being surrender'd to the *French*.

Casasilar (*Nicholas*) a *Greecian* Abp. of *Thessalonica*, lived about 1350; he

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the E. and 20 from Tunis S. E. The Lake that makes the Port is call'd by *Pelemny*, *Tritenis*, and is said to be hot, and to cure the Leprosy.

Cabestan, a Borough of France in the Prov. of *Languedoc*, near *Nismes*, from whence *William* of *Cabestan*, a Provincial Poet that liv'd in the XIIIth Age, took his Name. He was very unfortunate; for being beloved by one Lady, she attempted to poison him, for fear he should prove unconstant; and the Husband of another Lady, kill'd him out of Jealousy.

Cabira, a Nymph, Wife to *Vulcan*, and Mother of *Camillus*. This *Camillus* had 3 Sons of their Grandmother's Name, from whom came the Nymphs *Cabrites*, cited by *Strabo* in his 10th Book, and mention'd by many Poetical Historians.

Cabiri, one of the great Deities of *Samoethracia*. *Varro* calls them *Divi Potentes*, being the same that the *Samoethracians* name the *Powerful Gods*, which are Heaven and Earth, and were held in such Veneration, that it was a Crime to mention their Names among the People.

Cabul, a T. and Km. of the *East-Indies*, in the Territories of the Great Mogul, which was his first Seat. It is in this Km. that the *Rs. Nilab* and *Behar* that discharge themselves into the *Indus*, have their Original beginnings, which are so much encreased in their Progress.

Caca, the Sister of *Cacus*, worship'd by the *Romans* with great Devotion, in a little Chappel call'd by her Name, where the *Vestal Virgins* offer'd their Sacrifices. She discover'd her Brother's Thefts,

Cacaca, a T. in the Prov. of *Garel*, in the Km. of *Fez*, upon the Coast of the Mediterranean Sea, 7 L. at least, from *Melike* by Sea, tho' but 2 by Land.

Cacals (*Austin*) of *Valladolid* in

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Spain. He was a long time Preacher to *Charles V*, but having quitted the Communion of the Church of *Rome*, and turn'd Protestant, he was condemned by the Popish Inquisition, and burn'd as a Heretick at *Valladolid*, in 1559.

Caccialupi (*John Baptist*) a celebrated Lawyer of *Bononia*, living in the beginning of the XVth Cen. his Opinion in Civil and Ecclesiastical Matters was highly valued, and so were the several Tracts he wrote in his Profession.

Caceres, a T. of *Asia* in the Isle of *Lucan*, one of the *Philippines*, with a Bpk. Suffragan of *Manilla*, situate upon the Streights of *Manilla*, having a Port that belongs to the *Spaniards*.

Cachan, a T. of *Persia* in the Prov. of *Yerak*, 22 L. from *Isphahan* towards *Kom*. In this T. is made the best Silver and Gold Brocades of all *Persia*. Here are about 1000 Jewish Families, who pretend to be descended from the Tribe of *Judah*.

Cacus, a felonious Shepherd of *Italy*, who lived upon Mount *Aventine* before it was joined to *Rome*. He stole Cows from *Hercules*, and that the Theft might not be detected, nor the Cattle traced to his Den, he drew them backwards by the Tails; but this Theft being discovered by the bellowing of the stolen Cattle, when they smelt the rest of their Company about the Den, *Hercules* broke open the Door of the Cave, and kill'd *Cacus* with his Club, and put an end to that contrivance.

Cadi, Judges of the Civil and Criminal Causes in the *Turkish* Empire, in some Places called also *Mokar*.

Cadilefcher, chief Judge in all Cases, in the *Turkish* *Divan*. There are but 3 of them in all the *Turkish* Empire, viz. of *Natolia*, *Grand Cairo*, and *Armenia*. The Soldiers were sometimes under this Jurisdiction, but now are judged by their own Officers.

Cádiz, an Island and Sea-Port near the Western Coasts of *Andalusia* in *Spain*, N. of the Straights of *Gibraltar*, formerly called *Tartessus* and *Gader*. It is in length 7 L. in breadth 3, and in some Places but half a L. To the E. is a Bridge called *Pont de Sae*, 700 Paces long, which joins it with the firm Land. There are also Fields and Mountains in it, but no Springs, the want of which is supplied by Wells. The Entrance into the Bay of *Cádiz* is dangerous, by reason of the Rocks called the *Diavol* and *Los Pueros*. Here the *Spanish* Fleet and Galleons arrive, with the Gold and Silver which they draw from *America*. Its Castle was built by the *Moor*, and is now, being Garrison'd chiefly with the *French*, fortified after the Modern Fashion. The Fort *Sebastian* defends the Mouth of the Gulph, and Fort *St. Philip* secures the Port. The I. is inhabited by wealthy Merchants, who, without Controversy, have

Cadizadelives, a Sect of melancholy *Mahometans*, that much resemble the ancient *Stoicks*, shunning Feasting and Diversions, and affecting Gravity in all their Actions. They make a mixture of *Christianity* and *Mahometism*, practice Circumcision as the *Jews* do, and make use of the Example of *Jesus Christ* to authorize it.

Cadmus, K. of *Thebes*, Son to *Agenor* K. of *Phoenicia*, Brother to *Phenix* and *Cilix*, and Grand-Child to *Epaphus*. He was sent by his Father to find out *Europe*, which *Jupiter* had taken away; but not hearing of her, after several long and dangerous Voyages, he consulted the Oracle at *Delphi*, who enjoin'd him to build a C. in a Place whither an Ox shou'd conduct him: Who preparing in the first Place to sacrifice to the Gods, sent his Companions to the Fountain of *Dryce* to fetch him Water, but they were all devoured by a Dragon. *Minerva* to comfort him for this loss.

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the Invention of History. He lived *Ann. Mondi* 2870, 1884 Ys. before Christ. There was another of the same Name and Place that wrote the History of *Asia* in 16 Books.

Cadairus, Bp. of *Parma*, lived in the XIth Age, and was chosen Pope only by 2 Prelates who were of the *Emp. Hen.* the IVth's Faction, and was named *Honorius II.*, in opposition to *Alexander II.*, in 1061. He was condemn'd at a Council held in *Man- raa*, and dy'd miserably.

Caduriz, a Co. in *Italy* in the *Marquisate of Trevisan*, in the *Territories* of the Republick of *Venice*, N. of all *Italy* towards the *Alps*. Its Capital is *Pieve de Cadore*, situate upon the *R. Pieve*; but now 'tis of no great Consideration unless for its Antiquity.

Cadruin, an Abbey of the Dio. of *Sarlat* in *Perigord*, where the pretended Winding Sheet of *Jesus Christ* is kept; and is yet never the worse for wearing, if you can think it the same.

Cadrites, a sort of *Mahometan* Friars, who spend a great part of the Night in turning round, holding each others Hands, and repeating the Word *Hai*, which signifies *Living*, and is one of the Attributes of God, one playing upon the Flute all the time. This they do every *Friday* Night without Intermision, and yet can assign no Reason for their Practice.

Cadualus was chosen Vice-Roy of *Scotland* after *Gillus* was expell'd for Mal-Administration, being chief of the Faction that conspired against him. He also follow'd *Gillus* into *Ireland*, and gave him a total Rout, but returning back into *Scotland*, lost the greatest part of his Army and his Booty in a Tempest, for Grief whereof he died.

Caducrus, the Wand or Rod which *Mercury* received from *Apollo* in exchange of the 7 stringed Harp, which

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he had given him. According to the Fable, this Rod had the Virtue to appease all Differences; which *Mythologists* say was only the Power of Eloquence, which satisfies the Mind, composes the Heart, and brings Men first to Reason, and then to Peace. Poets give this Rod two other Properties, as to conduct Souls to Hell, or deliver them from thence, and to cause or disturb Sleep.

Cacilius, was of no higher Quality, than Son to a Slave made free, but was had in great Esteem for his admirable Parts. He was a Native of *Calantis* in *Sicily*; taught *Rhetorick* at *Rome* in the time of *Augustus*; writ a History of the Slaves War, and made a Collection of what Orators said, for and against History.

Cacilius, or the *Cacilian* Family, one of the most considerable among the *Plbeians* of *Rome*, of which there were 12 Magistrates at one time, who in 12 Ys. were raised to the highest Posts in *Rome*, to which, some were so fortunate in War, as to add the Glory of a Triumph.

Cacilius Metellus (Quintus) a Consul and Roman Captain. He subdued *Macedonia*, defeated the *Archiens*, and won great Victories in *Spain*. He was carried to his Grave by 4 of his Sons, after he had the Satisfaction to see 3 of them honour'd with the Dignity of Consul, and the 4th carry the Honour of a Triumph, for his brave Archievements in the Service of his Country.

Cacilius Metellus (Lucius) Consul, and a Roman Commander, thought to be the Son of *Cacilius Dentis*. He warred in *Sicily* against the *Carthaginians*; won *Theruce* and *Lapis*, and entirely defeated *Asdrubal* the *Carthaginian* General near *Palermo*. He was twice Consul, viz. in 503, and 507.

Cacilius Metellus (Quintus) Son of *L. Cacilius Metellus Gabrus*, who was Consul, and obtain'd the Name of *Numidicus*, for overthrowing *Jugurtha*

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150 K. of *Namidia*, in the 645th Y. of *Rome*, and it was then he got the Consulship with *M. Junius Silanus*. He perform'd other glorious Actions; but because he refused to swear to the Law of *Apuleius*, which was introduc'd by Compulsion, he was banish'd to *Smirna*, A. R. 654, and was recall'd the next Y. at the humble Petition of his Son, who for that reason was justly called the *Pious*.

Cæcilius (Statius) a Comick Poet, born in the Neighbourhood of *Milan*; he lived in the 179th Y. before our Saviour's Birth. He was contemporary with *Ennius*, and wrote several Comedies, some of which are collected by *Robert Stephens*, and the rest are lost.

Cæcilius, an eminent Civilian in *Rome*, living in the IIIrd Cen. who being converted to the Christian Faith, was very instrumental afterwards in promoting it.

Caen is a City in the Co. of *France*

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in *Britain*, *London* and *Tork* being the other two. It was desolated in the Reign of *Henry II.* but now is an indifferent large T. and the Houses for the most part are built of Stone. It stands 9 m. E. from *Landaff*, 20 S. E. from *Brecknock*, and 62 S. W. from *Hereford*.

Caerphilly, a m. T. in the Co. of *Glamorgan* in *Wales*, Capital of its Hundred; the E. of *Pembrokeshire* has a Noble Castle in it, 122 m. from *London*.

Caerwit, a m. T. of *Flintshire* in *Wales*, in *Colestul* Hundred; 155 m. from *London*.

Cassa, a T. in little *Tartary* upon the Coast of the *Black Sea*, near the *Bosphorus Cimmerianus*. It is now in the Hands of the *Turks*, who maintain in it a strong Garrison. There is in this City 2 Forts, in one of which the *Bajba's* reside; and the other is an Arsenal. They count 4000 Houses in *Cassa*, whereof 3200 belong to *Turks* and *Tartars*, and the other

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Beings, are generally unknown. *Tavernier* says, that those who lived about the *Cape of Good Hope*, were the most hideous and brutish People he ever saw : Their Language was harsh and scarce articulate : The better sort were clothed with Skins ; the rest had only a nasty Rag to hide their Privities. They know nothing of Gold or Silver, God or Religion : Neither Men or Women are ashamed to be seen naked ; and indeed, they seem to be but a sort of Human Beasts. They sell, or rather exchange their Cattel for *Aqua Vita*, Tobacco, and old Iron.

Caganus, King of the *Auvers* in the *European Scythia*, who having kill'd *Gisulphus D.* of *Lombardy* in *Italy*, besieged *Friuli* in 612, which being delivered to him by *Remilda*, *Gisulphus's* Wife, he married her for a Day ; and the next, delivered her to ten young Men to satisfy her immoderate Lust, and then impal'd her, and burnt the C.

Cagliari, Capital of the Island of *Sardinia*, an Abp's See, and the Seat of the *Viceroy*, is a good Sea port, and considerable for its Commerce with Foreigners.

Cagnati (Marfilio) an Eminent Physician of *Verona*, living in the beginning of the XVIIth Cen. he understood the Mathematicks and Philosophy, no less than the Business of his own Profession.

Cahors upon the *Lot*, a T. of *France*, Capital of the Prov. of *Querci*, with a Bpk suffragan to *Bourges*, and an University. It is the *Divura Cadurcorum* of the Ancients, which since the erecting the German Empire, Authors call *Cadurcum*. The Bp. hereof takes the Title of Count of *Cahors*, and has, as is commonly reported, the Privilege to officiate in his Boots and Spurs.

Cajania, or *Bohnia Orientalis*, a Prov. of *Sweden* in *Finland*, between the Gulph of *Bohnia* and *Laponia*.

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Cajaphas, a T. of *Phenicia*, situate on the Sea-side at the Foot of Mount *Carmel*. It was a Bpk. Suffragan of *Tyre*, and the Residence of many great Men, when the Christians were Masters of the *Holy Land* ; but now is desolate and uninhabited.

Caiaphas, High Priest of the *Jews*, who condemn'd our Saviour *Christ* to death ; but being put out of his Office by the Emp. *Vitellius*, after he had enjoy'd it seventeen Ys, he was so sensibly affected with the Disgrace, that he laid violent Hands upon himself, through Despair.

Cajenne, is an Island in the Southern *America* in *Guiana*, about 100 Ls. from the River of the *Amazon*. This Island is about 18 Ls. in Circuit, with good and fertile Ground. It has been interchangeably in the hands of the *French* and *Dutch*, as they could drive one another out, from the Year 1625 till 1677, when the *French* regain'd it by Vice-Admiral d' *Estrees*. The Natives are generally a lazy, vagabond People, few in number, and often change their Abode. They live on Fish, have many Wives, and obey their Petty Kings as long as they please.

Caimacan, is the Name of the Governour of *Constantinople*, who is Lieutenant to the *Grand Vizier*, and as often as he is in *Constantinople*, the *Caimacan* has no Power, but governs all when he is absent.

Caiman, an Island of the N. *America* in the Gulph of *Mexico*, famous for catching of Sea *Tortoises*. There is another place of the same name and in the same Gulph, which belongs to the *English*, and is called *Caiman Pequena*, or little *Caiman*.

Cain, whose Name signifies Acquisition, Eldest Son of *Adam* and *Eve*. He murder'd his Brother *Abel*, and the ancient Tradition of the *Hebrews* asserts, that he was killed by *Lamech*, *Anna Mundi*, 688.

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Cainan the ancient, Son of *Enos*, was born *An. Mundi* 326, his Father being 90 Ys. old.

Cainan, the young, Son of *Arphaxad*, was born *An. Mundi* 1694. His Name is neither found in the Hebrew Original of the Books of *Genesis* and *Deuteronomy*, nor in the vulgar Chaldaick Paraphrase, *Josephus*, *Philo*, *Theophilus* of *Antioch*, *Julius Africanus*, nor in *St. Epiphanius*; but only in the Translation of the *Septuagint*, and in the Genealogy of *St. Luke*.

Canites or *Cainians*, Hereticks, a Sect of the *Gnosticks* of the *Hd Cen.* who held that the way to be sav'd, was to make Trial of all manner of things, and satiate their Lusts in all wicked Actions: They had a particular Veneration for *Cain*, *Corah*, *Dathan*, and *Abiram*, the *Sodinites*, and especially for *Badar*, because his Treachery occasion'd the death of *Iesus Christ*. And as ridiculous as they were, had many Profelites

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without its Suburbs and the Buildings that are all round it, is not bigger than *London* or *Paris*. Here is the curious Manufactory of *Tapistry* called *Turkey-Work*. The *Pyramids* and *Mummies* that are near *Cairo*, are worth the Sight. Its Hebrew Name is *Noph*, and the true Arabick Name is *Elchahira* signifying *Imperious Mistress*. It is commonly thought one of the largest Cities in the World, containing within its Walls 800000 Families, Noblemen, Gentlemen, and Merchants. It is seated in a beautiful Plain, two m. from the *Nile*, and is environ'd with stately Walls. *Bab. Zavailla* one of its Suburbs contains 12000 Families; *Bab. Eldeek*, 3000; *Balaah*, 4000; and *Carafa* 2000; but the Suburbs stand a m. or 2 from the C. *Cairo* in 1566, was 18 m. in circuit. Now the *Basha* of *Egypt* resides in it with numerous Guards, and in great State. Old *Cairo* stands 2 m. from it, is 10 m. in compass, but not half inhabited.

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'Twas intended only for a Harbour for that Nation, to store up the Spoils of *Africa*. Its seated in a sandy Plain, that bears neither Corn nor Trees, but has plenty of Water from Mount *Guesler*, 12 m. from it. A great while it was the seat of the *Arabian Learning in Africa*: But in after times it was sacked, and could never since recover its ancient Splendor, being now only inhabited by *Tanners*, and subject to the K. of *Tunis*.

Caithness, a Co. in the N. of *Scotland*, abounding with Pasturage, and pierced in many places with the Arms of the Sea.

Gaius and *Lucius*, Roman Princes, Son of *Agrippa* by his Wife *Julia*, Daughter of *Augustus*, and adopted by that Emperor. The Roman Knights at 15 Ys. of Age proclaimed them *Principes Juventutis*, Princes of the *Equestrian Order*; but both dy'd, as soon as they began to tast the Happiness of their Fortune.

Gaius (St) or *Gaius*, Pope, a *Sclavonian* by Nation, and Kinsman to the Emp. *Dioclesian*. The Care he took to encourage some *Martyrs* as they were suffering, occasion'd his own *Martyrdom* in 296, after he had been Pope 12 Ys. and 5 Days.

Gaius, or *Kayes* (*John*) a famous Physician, born at *Norwich*, was brought up in the Universities of *Cambridge* and *Padua*, and lived in the 16 Cen. At his death he gave his Estate to build a New College to *Gonvil-Hall* in *Cambridge*, and assign'd a perpetual Maintenance for 23 Students. Its now called *Gonvil* and *Kates* College.

Cakes, a Kn of *Georgia* towards Mount *Caucasus*; it is properly the ancient *Iberia*.

Caliber, (*Quintus*) composed a Greek Poem, entituled the *Paralipomena* of *Homer*, because it is the Continuation and Accomplishment of the *Iliads*.

Calabria was the Name of an ancient

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Prov. in the Km. of *Naples* in *Italy*, but now is apply'd to another, which is no part of that which had heretofore the Name of *Calabria*. It was bounded on the N. and E. by the *Adriatick Sea*, and on the S. by *Apulia*. The present *Calabria*, is the most southern part of that Country, and is a Dm. 'Tis bounded on the N. by *Basilicata*, on the E. by the *Ionian Sea*, on the W. by the *Tyrrhenian*, and on the S. by the *Sicilian Straights*.

Calahorra, a T. of *Spain* in old *Castile*, a Bpk. suffragan to *Tarragon* and *Burgos*. The ancient Inhabitants of it sustain'd a Siege against *Pompey*, till the Famine was so great that they eat their Wives and Children.

Calais, a T. and Sea-Port of *Picardy* in *France*, at the Entrance of the *English Channel* over against *Dover*; it was taken by *Edw. III.* in 1348, after a Siege of 11 Months, and lost by *Q. Mary* in a Fortnight, in 1558, till when, for 220 Ys. before, *England* had the Key of *France* in her own Hands.

Calama, an ancient T. of *Africa* between *Hippo* and *Constantinople*.

Calamata, a Borough of the Prov. of *Belvedere* in the *Morea*, and a T. of *Africa* in the Km. of *Algiers* near the R. *Major*.

Calanus, an *Indian* Philosopher, that followed *Alexander the Great* in his Expedition into the *Indies*, who having lived 83 Ys. without the least Sicknels, and then being pain'd with the Gripping of the Bowels, desir'd to be burnt alive; and having his desire, suffer'd it with admirable Patience.

Calaroga, a small Borough in old *Castile* in *Spain*, in the Dio. of *Osma*, the Birth-place of *Dominick*, Founder of the Order of *Dominicans*.

Calasio, a learned Professor of the *Hebrew Tongue* in *Rome*. He compiled a Concordance of the Bible in 4 great Volumes in Folio; a Work

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much commended by all learned Hebricians.

Calatajad, a T. of *Spain*, in the Kin of *Aragon*, formerly noted for the best Swords in the World, and a Generous Breed of Horses, either for War or Hunting.

Calatrava, a Military Order in *Spain*, instituted under *Sanchas III* K. of *Castile*, when he took *Calatrava* from the Moors of *Andalusia*.

Calazophylaces, Priests among the *Grecians*, whose Care was to divert Hail or Tempells, by sacrificing a Lamb or a Chicken; or in the absence of the former, to cut their own Fingers, and appease the Anger of the Gods with their Blood.

Calcar, a T. of *Germany* in the Dutchy of *Cleves*, belonging to the K. of *Prussia*.

Calcedon, an ancient T. in *Asia Minor* now *Nicolia*, at the Mouth of the Channel of the *Black Sea*, much talk'd of for what it has been, but now 'tis only a contemptible small Village.

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pilius reformed this: *Julius Caesar* brought it to a greater Certainty: *Gregory III*. corrected that, and his Correction was received by all those that are of the Church of *Rome*; but has not been allowed by the Protestants of *England*, *Germany*, &c. for they rather incline to the *Copernican* or *Caroline* Tables.

Calendario (*Philip*) a famous Architect and Statuary: he made the fine Galleries, supported by Marble Pillars, which are round the Place of *St. Mark* in *Venice*, and upon these a magnificent Building embellished with *Bas Reliefs* and rich Paintings, admir'd by all the World.

Calenders, a sort of *Mahometan* Fryars that mind nothing but their sordid Pleasures, and are rather a Sect of *Epicureans*, than a Society of Religious People.

Calenter, a *Persian* Treasurer, or one that receives the King's Revenue, and is accountable for it.

Calpin (*Ambrosius*) an *Augustin*

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Farlo-Sea, 300 Spanisb Ls. in Length, and 60 broad. Sir *Francis Drake* in the Y. 1577, winter'd in this Island, and took Possession of it for his Mistress, calling it *Nova Albion*. It is a dry unfruitful Country. They fish for *Pearl* upon the Eastern Coast of it; it was discovered to be an Island in 1620, passing formerly for a Continent.

Caligula (*Calus Cæsar*) the 4th Roman Emp. Son of *Germanicus* and *Agrippina*. He succeeded *Tiberius* in the Empire; and was surnamed *Caligula* from the antick Military Shoes which his Mother caus'd him to wear in the Army, and which were called *Caligæ*. He had an ill compos'd Body, and a more ill-natur'd and deformed Mind. He gave Examples of the worst sort of Vices, and committed the most barbarous and enormous Cruelties. He made himself be call'd, and worship'd as, a God; but in truth was a Monster of Cruelty and Prodigality. His own Servants killed him, after he had reigned 4 Ys

Calingians, ancient People of the *Indies* towards the Sea; their Women bore Children at 5 Ys. of Age, and hardly outlived 8, if we may believe *Pliny*.

Calixtus (*George*) a famous Lutheran Divine, born in 1586, in *Holstein* at *Medelburg*, a Village in the district of *Sleswick*. After he had travell'd into *England*, *France*, and *Holland*, he return'd into *Germany*, and taught Divinity at *Helmstadt*; where he was much esteem'd for his Learning, Piety, and Moderation. He dy'd March 18, 1656, to the great Loss of that Church.

Callas, a little Island in the Southern *America*, upon the Coast of *Peru*.

Callias, a famous Architect and Engineer, Native of *Aradas* an Isle of *Phœnicia*.

Callicrates, a Greek Historian of Tyre, who wrote the Life of the Emp. *Aurelianus*. Also another of the same

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Name, an ingenious *Graver*, who engrav'd some of *Homer's* Verses upon a Grain of Millet, and made a Chariot that would lie entirely under the Wing of a Fly.

Callicratidas, General of the *Lacedæmonians*, who did great Service for his Country.

Callimachus, an *Athenian* Captain, chosen General of the Army, in a Council of War held by the *Athenians*, before the Battel of *Marathon*. Another of the same Name was a famous Greek Poet of *Cyrene* a T. in *Africa*: One of the ablest Men of his Age: His Stile polite and Ingenious.

Callimachus, a famous Architect, who never approved any of his own Works, and was therefore called *καλλικότερος*. He lived about the LX Olympiad.

Callinicus, Patriarch of *Constantinople* in 691; he was a great and learned Enemy to the Church of *Rome*, which made *Justinian* the young, when he took *Constantinople* in 705, cause his Eyes to be put out, and in that Condition sent him Prisoner to the Pope.

Calliope, was the Mother of *Orpheus*, and the first of the nine *Muses* according to the Poets, who presided over Rhetorick, Harmony, and the Hymns made in honour of the Gods.

Callippe, a Tyrant of *Sicily*, who kill'd *Dion* the Deliverer of his Country, and became himself the Tyrant of it; but God suffered him to perish by the same Knife, with which he destroy'd *Dion*, and his Memory by publick Command was blotted out of their Records.

Callirrho, a Fountain of *Judea*, mentioned by *Josephus*, whose hot Waters run into the Lake *Asphaltites*, and were not only medicinal, but agreeable to the Palate. Also the Name of a Daughter of *Scamander*, who married *Trus* third K.

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of *Cardanus*. Another of that Name, was the Daugh^r of *Lycaus* Tyrant of *Lycaonia*. She divorced her Husband *Dionysius* from Ambushes laid for him by her Father; but he forsaking her, she lov'd her self in detestation of his Ingratitude. +

Calpurnius of *Ugentur*, a Philosopher and Scholar of *Aristotle*, followed *Alexander's* Court; but opposing his Adoration, was exposed to the Lyons, three Ys before *Alexander's* death. He justify'd himself by saying, he knew *Alexander's* Birth, and the Gods were from Eternity. +

Callisto, Daughter of *Lycanus* K. of *Arcaadia*, one of *Diana's* Nymphs, debauched by *Jupiter*; which *Juno* took so ill, that she turn'd her and her Son *Arcas* into a Bear; but *Jupiter* plac'd them afterwards among the Stars; which make that Constellation.

Calisto, the first Wife of *Isidorus*, a Roman Lord, who succeeded *Calpurnius* in a War; but falling into the

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Nancy; he was so excellent in his Art, especially in *Miniature*, that he was courted and presented by all the curious Princes in *Europe*; and so well employed his time, that he left behind him 1380 famous pieces of his own designing, and yet died at 43 Ys of Age, in 1635.

Calmar, a Town of *Sweden* in *Ostro-Gothia*, Capital of *Smaland*, upon the Frontiers of *Denmark*. It is a Port of the *Baltick* Sea, regularly fortified, the Cittadel is esteem'd as the best in the N. *Calmar* was burnt in 1647, but is now rebuilt. The narrow Passage between it and *Geelandt* is call'd *Calmarfjund*.

Calne, a m. T. in *Wiltshire*, Capital of its Hundred, situate upon a R. of the same Name, which runs from E. to W. into the *Bristol-Avon*. This Corporation returns two Burgesses to Parliament; who at present are the R. H. Sir *Charles* *Hodges*, Kt, one of her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and *Henry* *Chivers*, Esq; 'Tis

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Apes Hill, because there are many of those little Beasts seen upon it.

Calpurnia, *Julius Caesar's* Wife, Daughter to *L. Piso*; she dream'd the Day before her Husband was murder'd, that the Roof of the House was fallen down, and her Husband stab'd in her Arms; which she told her Husband; but that and other ominous Suggestions, cou'd not prevent his Fall.

Calpurnia, a Law among the *Romans*, against the Theft and Cheating of Magistrates; it was called *Calpurnia repetundarum*, or a Law to force unjust Ministers to restore, what they had rob'd the Common-wealth of, when they were in Office.

Calpurnians, a considerable Family in *Rome*, divided into 2 Branches, whereof one was called *Frugi*, or honest People; both had also the same Name of *Piso*, and did great Service for their Country, in the delivering *Sicily* from the Fury of the Fugitive Slaves, that were in Rebellion.

Calpurnius (*Titus*) a *Sicilian* Latin Poet, living under the Emp. *Carus*, who wrote Eclogues, 7 of which are remaining; but time has destroyed many others.

Calvary, a Mountain near *Jerusalem*, whereon our Saviour suffer'd. It is believed by many of the *Greek* and *Latin* Fathers that *Adam* was buried, and that *Abraham* offer'd to sacrifice his Son *Isaac* here. *Adrian* the Emp. in derision of Christianity, caus'd the Idols of *Jupiter* and *Venus* to be erected upon it; which *Constantine* the Great, and *Helena* his Mother demolish'd; and in the same Place built a Church, first called *Martyrion*, and now *St. Sepulchre's*, not inferior to the most beautiful Pile in the World. Christian Princes have many times bestow'd great Benefactions upon this Church. The Emp. *Heraclius* re-edified it in 628, after it had been ruined by *Cosroes* K. of *Persia* in 615, at his ca-

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king of *Jerusalem*. The renowned *Godfrey* of *Bouillon*, made large Additions to it in 1099. There are distinct Apartments in it for the *Latin*, the *Greek*, the *Armenian*, the *Syrian*, the *Coptick*, and the *Abyssine* Christians: They shew you a Chappel where the *Cross* stood that bore the Sacrifice of our Saviour's Body, called the Chappel of the Crucifixion; The Place where he was Embalm'd, according to the Custom of the *Jews*; The Place where he is said first to appear, to the *Blessed Virgin* after his Resurrection, called the Chappel of the Apparition; The Rock out of which this Sepulcher is hewn, and the Tomb it self illuminated with 62 Lamps that burn continually. Here are also the Tombs of *Godfrey* of *Bouillon*, the first Christian K. of *Jerusalem*, and of *Baldwin* I, his Brother, who succeeded him to that Crown.

Calvert (*George*) Lord *Baltimore*, was born in the last Age at *Kypling* near *Richmond* in *Yorkshire*, and bred in *Trinity-College* in *Oxford*, from whence he travelled beyond Sea. At his Return, in *K. James* the First's Reign, he was made Secretary to *Sir Rob. Cecil*; and afterwards one of the Clerks of the Council; was knighted in 1618, and made Principal Secretary of State; but turning Papist resigned it. The K. however, continued him a Privy Counsellor all his Reign, and soon after created him Lord *Baltimore* of *Baltimore* in *Ireland*. He dy'd at *London* in 1632, in the 53d Y. of his Age, leaving his Estate and Honour to *Cecil Calvert* his Son, and was buried in the Chancel of *St. Dunstons* in the *W.* according to *Mr. Dugdale*.

Calvi, a T. of *Italy* in *Terra di Lavoro* in the Km. of *Nisles*, 5 or 6 Ls. from *Capua*. Also a T. of the Isle of *Corsica*, belonging to the *Genoeses*. It has a good Fort, and well fortify'd.

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Calvin, (John) born at *Noyon* in *Picardy* in 1509. He study'd Humanity at *Paris*, the Civil Law at *Orleans*, the Greek Tongue at *Bourges*, the Hebrew Tongue at *Bazil*, and there published his Institutions. In 1536, he went to *Geneva*, and was made Professor in Divinity there; but proceeding further in his Reformation, than was agreeable to that Temporal Government; *Farallus*, himself and another Minister, were order'd to depart the T. in 2 Days. In 1541, at the Importunity of the People, he returned again to *Geneva*, where he set up a Consistorial Jurisdiction, with a Power to inflict Censures even to Excommunication. He was a Person of indefatigable Industry, great natural Parts, and considerable Learning. He dy'd in the 56th Y of his Age, in 1564, after he had wrote 9 large Volumes,

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advances toward him, having a Face very bright and sparkling, with extraordinary Charms and Enticements. She holds in her left Hand a Torch, and the other drags an innocent young Man by the Hair, who holds up his Hands to Heaven, and implores its Assistance. Before her marches *Envy* with a pale Face and squinting Eyes, which set off, and dress up *Calumny* to make her the more acceptable. After her comes *Repentance*, under the Figure of a Lady in a Mourning Habit, with her Garments rent, which turns her Head towards *Truth*, who weeps for Sorrow and Shame. This Picture *Apelles* gave to *Ptolemy*, and it was accounted the best in the World. The Import of the Figure is, that *Calumny* tears and destroys *Innocence*, and is received by a foolish or malicious *Credulity*, which proceeds from *Igno-*

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Cabmaldoli, a Religious Order founded by *St. Remuald*, about the end of the 10th Age.

Camarina, a T of *Sicily*, built according to *Eusebius* in the 150th Y. of *Rome*, in the XLIVth Olym.

Camb, a R. in *Germany* in the Upper *Austria*; it has its source about the Frontiers of *Bohemia*, and discharges it self into the *Danube*.

Cambadagi, the Disciples of wicked *Xaco*, who taught the *Japonians* to worship the Devil.

Cambala, a T. and Km. of the *East-Indies*, in the Territories of the Great Mogul; it is one of the greatest, the richest, and best traded Cs. in the *East-Indies*. It is encompass'd with a strong Wall of Free-Stone, being 10 Ls. in Circuit, has 3 Bazzars or Market-Places, and 4 Noble Lanks or Cisterns, able to find the Inhabitants Water all the Year. The Country abounds with all sorts of Grain, Fruit, Beasts, &c. and has Mines of Cornelians, Diamonds, and other precious Stones, which Merchants buy of them at low Prices, or exchange for Trifles.

Cambalu, a T. in the most Northern Parts of all *China*, the same with that which ancient Geographers called *Peking*, as it is now truly cited by the *Hollanders* and *Kircher*.

Cambden (*William*) the Learned Antiquary of the *English* Nation, was born in *London* in 1553, and went to *Oxford* at 15 Ys. of Age; from a Servitor in *Magdalen* College, he removed to *Pembroke* College, and at last to *Christ-Church*. In 1571, he was chosen Second Master of *Westminster* School. In 1582, he published his *Britania*. In 1587, he was elected Prebendary of *Salisbury*. In 1592, prefer'd to be School-master of *Westminster*. In 1597, he was first created Herald, and then *Clarenceux* K. of Arms. In 1618, he began his History of Q. *Elizabeth*; and 3 Ys. after he founded a History Lecture

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in the University of *Oxford*, to which he gave the Mannor of *Bexley* in *Kent*; and having lived 74 Ys. in Honour and Esteem of all the learned Men of *Europe*, he dy'd November 3. 1623, and was buried in *Westminster* Abbey.

Camboje, a Km. of the Peninsula of the R. *Indus*, or of the Gulph of *Bengala*, situate upon the South Shore, between the Kms of *Siam*, *Chiampa*, and of *Cochin-China*. This Km. is almost equally divided by the R. *Meson*, which in *July* and *August* overflows all this Country, with as much Advantage to it, as the *Nile* does to *Aegypt*. The Km. is extremely fruitful, but not potent, the K. being not able to bring 30000 Men into the Field. It was first discovered by *Alphonso d'Albuquerque* in 1511. Longitude 135. 00; Latitude 10. 35.

Cambra, the beautiful Daughter of *Belon*, K. of the *Britains*, the ancient Inhabitants of that part of this fertile Island that is now called *England*, a Princess of that incomparable and extended Virtue and Capacity, that the great Counsellors of the Km. advised with her in Affairs of the greatest Importance. She dy'd A. M. 3590.

Cambray, upon the *Schelde* a C. of *Hainault*, 4 Ls. from *Doway*, and 7 from *Valenciennes*. It is great, fair, well-built, and one of the strongest Ts in *Europe*. It has often chang'd Masters, and seldom continued long in one hand, tho' now the *French* have been in possession of it, ever since they took it from the *Spaniards* in the Y. 1677. It is a Place of good Manufactures, especially of fine *Linnen* Cloth, and *Canvas*, for *Sail-Cloth*.

Cambresis, a Country between *Picardy*, *Artois*, and *Hainault*, about 10 Ls. long, and very fruitful.

Cambria, the ancient Name of the Principality of *Wales*.

Cambridge, the Cap of the Co. named from thence, and a most famous U. situate upon the R. *Cam*, which falls

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into the R. *Ouse* 3 m. above *Ely*. The Colleges are built upon the out-side of the T. which affords them more Conveniences of Walks and Gardens. In the T. are 14 Parishes, and in the U. are 12 Colleges and 4 Halls, *viz.* St. Peter's-House, Clare-Hall, Pembroke-Hall, Corpus Christi Col. Trinity Hall, Gonville and Kees Col. King's Col. Queen's Col. St. Catharine's-Hall, Jesus College, St. John's College, Christ's College, Magdalen College, Trinity College, Emmanuel College, Susssex and Sidney College. The University has the Honour of sending 2 Representatives to Parliament, who now are the Hon. Hen. Boyle, and Arthur Annesley, Esq; The T. has not only been honoured with the Title of an Earldom, but also of a Du. in 4 Sons of James II. when D. of York; and also sends 2 Burgesses to Parliament, who now are Sir Hen. Pickering, Bar. and Anthony Thompson, Esq; Cambridge is counted 44 m.

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Beitch, to put his Son (to whom he gave that Office) in mind of exercising his Charge more justly than his Father had done before him, or to expect the same Punishment.

Camelford, a considerable Corporation and m. T. in *Cornwall*, situate on the R. *Camel*; govern'd by a Mayor and Common Council, 184 m. from *London*.

Cammerarius (*Joachim*) of *Bamberg*, a T. of *Francia* in *Germany*, where he was born in 1500, made such great Progress in all kind of Learning, that he was the Wonder of his Age. His Son *Joachim Cammerarius* was a learned Philician, and up-held the Reputation his Father had acquired, in all the learned Sciences, and curious Mechanical Operations.

Cambrino, a T. of *Italy*, in the Marquisate of *Ancona*.

Cameron (*John*) a Scotchman of *Glasgow*, was one of the most famous, learned, and pious Divines among

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Pope, sent for her to come to *Rome*; but being at her first Appearance dress'd in rich Apparel, he wou'd not know her; but when she appeared in her mean Habit, he embraced her, saying, *Now you are my Sister, and I don't pretend that any but my self shall make you a Princess.* Then he lodged her in the Palace of *St. Mary Major*, allowing a considerable Pension for her Maintenance; tho' he never would allow her to ask a Favour of him for any Body.

Camille, Queen of the *Volsci*, who was kill'd as she was conducting Succours to *Turnus*, and to the *Latins*, against *Aeneas*. *Aruntius* kill'd her, and was severely punished for it.

Camillus, (*M. Furius*) Consul, Military Tribune, and *Roman* Dictator. He defeated the *Faliskes*, took the T. of *Veji*, after a Siege of 10 Ys. and by delivering *Rome* when it was besieged by the *Galli Senones*, won the Name of a Second *Romulus*, or Deliverer of his Country, and dy'd 365 Ys. before the Christian *Æra*. His Son *Camillus* was worthy of such a Father, and exactly traced his Steps in the Service of his Country, meriting his Offices of Consul and Dictator.

Camillus Scribonianus, was chosen Emp. by the *Romans*, who were weary of *Claudianus's* Reign; but he was soon forsaken of his Party, and afterwards murder'd; and his Wife *Arria* unwilling to survive him, kill'd her self, *A. C.* 42.

Carmin, a small C. in the further *Pomerania*, standing on the E. Shore of the R. *Düwenow*, over against the Island of *Wolensche*, about a m. from the *Baltick* Sea. It belongs to the K. of *Prussia*, and has embraced, and professes the *Augustan* Confession. Long. 39, 30. Lat. 54, 12.

Camis, Idols which the *Japonians* adore, representing the principal Lords of *Japan*, to whom they erect magnificent Temples, as to Gods.

Camma, a Lady of *Galacia*, who

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being courted by *Sinoris*, that murder'd her Husband *Sinatus*; she promis'd to make him her Husband, so sent for him to the Church, where she presented him with the Nuptial Cup, wherein she had mixed Poison, and finding that he drunk but one half of it, she took off the other her self, protesting *she was not in the least concern'd at her Death, since by that she had reveng'd her Husband's.*

Camens, (*Lewis*) a famous, but unfortunate Poet, in so much Esteem, that he was call'd by his Countrymen the *Virgil of Portugal*; who after a tedious Peregrination in several Parts of the World, return'd to his own Country, but very poor, not having wherewithal to subsist. It was then he finished his Poem, entitled *As Lusíadas*, which he dedicated to *Don Sebastian*, then K. of *Portugal*; but that Prince being young, and those about his Person no Admirers of Poetry, the unfortunate Poet was much disappointed, and forced to live the rest of his Days miserably in *Portugal*, where he died in 1579.

Campagna, a T. in the Km. of *Naples*, in the furthestmost Principality, 2 or 3 Ls. from the Sea.

Campagna di Roma, is the most beautiful Valley, not only in *Italy*, but in the whole World. The Air is soft and hot, which makes the Flowers spring twice in one Year. The Soil is so fruitful, that it seems to be a Trial of Skill between *Bacchus* and *Ceres*, which shall be Conquerors. It was the Seat of the ancient *Latins*, but now is a Prov. belonging to the Popes, as Sovereigns of *Rome*; who are such hard Landlords, that one of the finest Countries in the World is become almost desolate, her Air render'd unwholesome for want of Inhabitants to drain the Grounds, and Grass rots upon the Land for want of mowing, which must be ascribed to the Rigour of the

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Government, which has driven away the Inhabitants, or for want of letting the Ground at reasonable Rates, that their Towns might live upon it.

Campan, *St.* (1600) a Lear of *St. Omers*'s Order, famous in the Art of forming Syllogisms, and disputing Logically. He was unjustly thrown into the Inquisition, for signing a Heresy, was kept there 25 Years, and was whipped 24 times, and treated with the most cruel Cruelty, till *Philip VIII.* procur'd his Liberty, then he came to *France* and taught Philosophy, where he dy'd in 1639, and had this Character from one of his Countrymen, that he had a great deal of *Wit*, but little Judgment, and in all his Actions wanted Solidity and Discretion, to render him acceptable to the World.

Campan, a very handsome Woman that *Alexander the Great* lov'd

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put the K. upon procuring a Divorce by other Methods.

Campen, a T. of the *Low Countries* in the Prov. of *Overijssel*, within 5 Ls. of *Daventer*; 'tis a very pretty place, and can drown all the Neighbourhood, which lies lower than it self.

Campian, (*Edmund*) a Jesuit, born in *London*, his Education was at *Oxford*, where he took *Deacon's Orders* in the Church of *England*, but afterwards apostatiz'd, and turn'd Jesuit at *Rome* in 1573. In 1581 he was indicted for High Treason against *Q. Elizabeth*, convicted and executed.

Campiano, a little T. situate near the R. *Taro*, and because it is an important Pass, the D. of *Parma*, to whom it belongs, took care to fortify it strongly after the modern way.

Campobasso, a *Neapolitan* Count, who being in the Service of *Charles D. of Hungary*, Son of *Philip the*

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gous-Persecution, and published a Letter about worshipping Images and Invocation of Saints, that has made a great Noise in the World, tho' nothing can convince the Obdurate.

Carnalis, (*Papa*) a famous Printer in Paris, a great Judge of Books, who never printed any but what were very good, so that in length it became an infallible Sign of a good Book, that it was printed by him.

Carnalis, (*Monks*) was a learned Man, Canon of *Troy*, in *Cambray*, and has wrote several things that have obtained him a considerable Character in Europe.

Canal, a little T. of Galilee in the Tribe of Zebulun, where our Saviour wrought his first Miracle, of changing Water into Wine, at the Marriage of *Simeon* *Zacca*, now a poor Village inhabited by none but *Turks*. For the Church which *Hanns* the Mother of *Constantine* built in the place of that House, where our Saviour celebrated the Marriage, has been long since converted into a Mosque, and the Apartments possessed by the *Monks* of *Maronites* *Serge*.

Canada, *Belgica*, *Francia*, *Francia*, *Belgica*, the Land of the *Indians*, was the noblest part of *Europe*, 1000 miles long, and 64 English Miles broad. It had the Name of *Canada* from one of the Sons of *Hann*, who peopled it soon after the General Deluge. God describes the Fertility of this Land, by saying, it flows with Milk and Honey, denoting the Plenty of all that was necessary or pleasant, so that indeed it was the Paradise of the whole Earth; but in its present State, of its Destruction and Desolation, is no less miserable, so that Travellers that see it now, wonder how such numbers of Men, and so many potent Co. could heretofore subsist, in so small and barren a Spot of Ground, as this time she is.

Canada, *New France*, a large Coun-

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try in the N. America, discovered first by the French, and by them inhabited. It lies N. of *New-England*, and is the chief Colony of *France*. The *Indians* speak different Language. And here, as in other parts of *America*, they have a Custom to eat the Enemies taken in War; a Custom particularly betel *John Verrazani* a *Portuguese*, who first took Possession of the Country in the Name of *France* in 1498. There is very great R. of the same Country, and is known to run 500 Ls. ft. of large Islands, and about 30 I. broad at the Mouth, called *Canal* by the *Natives*, by the *French* *Laurent*, from the *Indians* in honour of that day. The *Indians* of the *Toronto* fall into the *Canal* from the N. from these Places, *Five Coats*, *Trenton*, and *Coch*, and the People are wild and Savage without any Hopes of being reclaimed.

Canal, an artificial Cavity to receive part of the Sea or a R. the *Antients* have taken a great deal of pains to no purpose, to cut thro' *China* the Design to make a Communication by Water from one part to another, but without Success; yet it is observable, that a whole Great *Empire* came to ruin, and a whole *Kingdom* ruined.

Canoe, a T. and Km. in the *Islands* of *India*, on this *Island* *Malabar* it is called the *Canoe*, where the *Indians* begin and reach to *Portuguese*.

Canada, a Km. of the *Portuguese* this side the *Gulf* and the *Coast* of *Bengal* upon the *Western* *Islands* of *Malabar*. A Km. but very fertile, for it feeds the greatest part of *Europe* with *Spices* what it feeds into the *Islands* of the *Sunda*, and to other parts of the *E.*

Canaries, are Islands of the *Atlantic* Sea, to the W. of *Africa*, C.

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sive to *Mauritania*, and almost over against the Capes of *Bojador* and *Nau*. They are 7 in number, and take their Name from *Canaria* the Principal of the Number, in which the *Spanish* Governour resides; being about 20 Ls in Circuit, and ennobled with a large, handfom, populous C. of the same Name, which is an Episcopal See. These were called by the Ancients, the *Fortunate Islands* in general, but their particular Names are *Canaria*, *Teneriff*, the Isle of *Palmer*, the Isle of *Iron*, *Ventura*, *Gonara*, and *Lancelote*; and because a great number of *Dogs* were found in them, they were called *Canaries* from *Canis* a Dog. In one of these, *viz. Teneriff*, the first *Meridian* is usually fixed. They are much frequented for their excellent Wines and Merchandises by the *English*, more than by any other Nation. There *Corn* is gathered twice a Year, in *February* and *May*, and they have great abundance of Fruit in all places. They were first disco-

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mer *Solstice*, beginning then to come back again towards the *Equator*, which is the likeliest reason why this Constellation was called *Cancer*, because the Sun when it enters it, seems to go backward like a Crab; but all these Reasons are supposititious, or fanciful Imaginations.

Cancer, *Jacobs* *Cancerus*, a *Spaniard*, living in the end of the XVIth Cen. He has left an excellent Performance in 3 Volumes, which have received a general Approbation.

Canche, a R. of *Picardy* in *France*, which falls into the Ocean at *Montreuil* and *Estaples*.

Canchen, a great T. in the Prov. of *Kiangsi* in *China*, is Capital of a Territory of the same Name, and governs 11 Cs. It is a place of good Commerce and Resort; the Residence of a *Viet-Roy* distinct from him of *Kiangsi*, and commands some Ts in the adjacent Prov.

Candace, a General Name given to all the *Queens* of *Meroe*. As for

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which so enraged the Q. that she hated her Husband, and commanded Gyges to kill him; which he did, marry'd the Q. and became K. of *Lydia*; whose Line continued till the Defeat of *Cræsus* in the 210th Y. of *Rome*.

Cande or *Candes*, a T. and Prov. of *Tourain* in *France*, upon the Frontiers of *Anjou*.

Candea or *Candi*, the most considerable Km. in the Island of *Ceylon* in the *E. Indies*.

Candei, an ancient People of the Gulph of *Arabia*, called formerly *Ophispahges*, from their eating *Serpents*.

Candelaro, a R. of the Km. of *Naples*, springing out of the *Appennine* Mountains in the *Capitanato*, and ending in the *Adriatick* near *Manfredonia*. There is also a T. of the same Name in the lesser *Asia*, 8 m. from *Antioch* to the N. and 5 from *Scanderon* to the S.

Candia or *Crete*, *Jovis Insula* in *Virgil*, (being consecrated to him) is one of the noblest Islands in the *Mediterranean* Sea, lying opposite to the Mouth of the *Archipelago*. In length from E. to W. 250 m. in breadth 60; in circuit 540. Heretofore it had a 100 potent Cs. and was therefore called *Hecatompolis*, most of which are now ruined. It was granted by *Baldwin* E. of *Flanders*, to the E. of *Monteserat*, who in 1194 sold it to the *Venetians*. Others say, that when the *Latins* in 1204 took *Constantinople*, this and the other Islands in the *Egean* Sea, fell to the *Venetians* for their share. In 1645 the *Turks* invaded it, and by taking it in 1669, possess'd themselves of all but 2 or 3 Ports upon the Sea. The Island Parts are very mountainous, yet fruitful, especially of Wines and other such Fruits; but it wants Corn. Whilst it was under the *Venetians* it was so populous, that they could raise 60000 Men. The Language

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us'd there at that time was the *Vulgar Greek*, and the Inhabitants were accordingly of the *Greek Church*, tho' with a mixture of the *Latin Service* in some particular places. 'Tis now divided into 4 Territories or Jurisdictions, called *Candia*, *Canea*, *Rettimo*, and *Sittia*, from the 4 principal Cities in it of those Names.

Candia, the chief C. of the Isle of *Crete*, called by the *Greeks* *Castro* and *Candax*, was an Abp's See, great, rich, and populous, as long as it continu'd in the Hands of the *Venetians*, and stood the longest Siege against the *Turks* of any place in the World; but was at last forced to submit, Sept. 27, 1669, upon Conditions very honourable, after a Blockade of 22 Ys. from 1645 to 1667, and a Siege of 2 more, from 1667 to 1669, in which space the *Turks* are said to have lost 600000 Men before it. It lies on the N. Shore of that Island, something nearer to the W. end. The *Labyrinth* of *Minos* in a Grot cut out of a Rock, is yet to be seen here.

Canea is a T. of *Candia*, which by the *Greeks* was called *Cydon*.

Caniculus, a Celestial Sign which rises the 16th of *July*, and appears upon our Horizon for 6 Weeks, all which time is called *Dog Days*, and makes the hottest Weather in this Climate.

Caninio (*Angelo*) born at *Anghari* in *Italy*, in the 16th Cen. was a very eminent Linguist.

Caninius, (*L. Gallus*) was a Roman Consul with *Vipsanius Agrippa* in the 717th of *Rome*. C. *Caninius Gallus* was made Consul in the Place of *M. Plautius Silvanus*, and died in the Exercise of his Charge, in the 742d of *Rome*. C. *Caninius Rebilus* was Consul with *Julius Caesar* in the 709th Y. of *Rome*.

Canisa, a C. of *Hungary* situate towards the Frontiers of *Stiria*, near the R. *Drave* and Fort *Scrin*; It is almost environ'd on all sides with a *Morass* or Marsh, that no Army can

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can lie near it, which renders the T. almost impregnable and inaccessible.

Gamus, a Latin Poet of *Cadiz*, and an intimate Friend to *Marshall*.

Cannae, a little T. of *Apulia*, called now *Cannata de Strutta*, famous by the Victory which *Hannibal* got there by the Defeat of the 4000 *Romans*, conducted by the Consul *Paulus Aemilius*, whom, the rashness of his Colleague *Terentius Varro*, engaged in a Fight, in 216 A. C.

Cannares, Savages of the Prov. of *Quito* in *Peru* in *S. America*, unqualified for Conversation.

Cannes, a Borough of *France* in *Provence*, toward the Sea over-against the *Lerin* Islands.

Cannibals, or *Carriber*, People that inhabited the *Antills* Islands, they us'd to eat the Prisoners they took in War, after they had made them fast 2 Days.

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Canopus, a certain fabulous T. of the *Egyptians*, much honored by the Idolatrous People.

Canopus, a T. in *Egypt*, stand upon the Mouth of one of the Arms of *Nile*, which some Authors believe to be the Modern *Bochira* near *Andria*.

Canosa, a T. and Country of *Italy* upon the R. *Ofanto*, in the Km. *Naples*. Also a T. of *Germany* in *Dutchy of Wirtemberg*, upon the frontiers between *Esslingen* and *Stugard*.

Canterbury, *Cantuarua*, the capital of the Co. of *Kent*, very ancient and without doubt famous in former times of the *Roman Empire*. It stands on the E. Shore of the R. *Stoure*, founded by the *British* *Durworn*, from whence it had its ancient Name. Being the Royal Seat of the *Kings of Kent*, when *Augustine* the Monk came over to convert them, it by t

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Common-Wealth, and are there-
named: Zurich, Bern, Lucerne, Glar-
schen, Unterwalden, Zug, Schwytz,
Aargau, Schaffhausen, Appenzel
A. u. S., Thurgau, St. Gallen, Graub-
ünden. These Cantons have each
their different Laws independent of
one another, and are general in
the Nature of so many distinct Re-
publics.

C. Corbin, a Tribune of the
People, believed for his Compa-
gnon the meager lot.

the Irish Gen. was once a Confederate, but afterwards apostatized.

Conquer, the first David, K. of England, who succeeded Edward the first named *Magnific*, having made his way to the Throne by Oppression and Bloodshed. He dy'd in the 15th Y. of his Reign, and was buried at *Windsor*.

Canute or Hava-canute, succeeded **Harald** his half Brother: a Prince intemperate in his Diet, exorbitant in his Taxes, and cruel in his Resentments. He dy'd suddenly as he was eating, at a **Dough Wedding** in **London**, when he had reigned 2 Ys. His **Dep** put a Period to the Tyranny of the **Danes**, who, for above 200 Ys. after their first Invasion, had cruelly hunted this Km. and reft'd the **town** Blood in **Edmund the Confessor**.

Canute, the 4th of this Name, K. of Denmark, succeeded Eric V, and was killed by Swenon at a Feast, in 1066.

Constantine VI, Son of Basil the I. and
of Sophia Sister to Constant V. He
dy'd 1212.

Canute, K. of Sweden in the XIIth Age. Son to **Eric IX.** surnamed *the Saint*, kill'd **Charles VII.** suspected to have a Hand in his Father's Death. He reign'd 23 Ys. with much Glory and good Success, and dy'd about 1296.

Cicero (*Tiberius*) Tribune of the People; he inveighed against *Anthony*, who was held an Enemy to the Commonwealth; but the great Liberty he took after *Cicero's* Example cost him his Life, as his did that famous Orator.

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Yen in the Order of Rank is a Name given to the Knights that have held a Yen in the Past, and are entitled to receive Command according to their Seniority.

Coast of Good Hope, a Promontory
at the Point of the Coast of *Corra*
in *Africa*. The Situation is plea-
sant, and the Climate very temper-
ate: their Spring begins in *October*,
their Summer in *January*, their Au-
tumn in *April*, and their Winter in
July. Their Summer is extrem-
ely hot, and would be sickly, but that
there are Breezes that cool the Air.
The Natives have Sense in their
Looks, but none in their Brains.
They go naked, wearing only a
Skin upon their Backs: their ordi-
nary Food is Butter and Milk, and
a Root that tastes like a Nut, which
they eat instead of Bread. The great-
est Lords among them, are they which
have most Cattle, which they keep
themselves: their Cloaths are Sheep-
Skins with the Wool on, dress'd
with Cow-dung, and a kind of Grease
that renders them unsupportable to
the Sight and Smell: they are naïve
to that Excess, that one might well
think, they make it their Business
to render themselves frightful, and
loathsome to all they converse with.

Cape de Nor, a Promontory upon the Coasts of the Province of *S. J.* in the Km. of *Morocco*; it was called so, as if one said *Cape de nor* 1000, because 300 Ys. ago it was thought there was no Land beyond it to the W. tho' later Enquiry had discovered that part more fully.

Capl. (Sir William) Lord Mayo. of Exeter, from whom descendeth Arthur Capl. of Hildon in the County of Shire, who being advanced to the Dignity of a Baron, by the Title of Lord Capel of Hildon in 1691. he rais'd and subsist'd some Troops at his own proper Charge, for his Majesty, and the K. being forcibly detain'd a Prisoner in the City of Exeter,

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he courageously ventur'd to rescue him; but miscarrying in the Attempt, suffer'd Death by the reigning Rebels, for that glorious Effay. His Son *Arthur* succeeding him was created, by *Charles II.* Viscount *Malden*, Earl of *Essex*, and some time after was made Lord Lieutenant of *Ireland*, where his Behaviour acquired him much Reputation. In the latter end of *K. Charles the Second's* Reign, this noble Lord was committed to the Tower for High Treason, where he dy'd unfortunately by violent Hands; but whether by his own, or other Men's, I will not undertake to determine.

Capellan, a Mountain 12 Days Journey from *Siren*, Capital of *Pegu*, in the Peninsula of the *Indus* on the other side of the Gulph of *Bengala*. There is a Mine in it which has a great quantity of *Rubies*, yellow *Topazes*, blew and white *Sapphires*, *Jacinths*, *Amethysts*, and other precious Stones of different Colours

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of *Naphtali*, towards the Borders of *Zabulon*, near the Mouth of *Jordan*, and upon the Coast of the Sea of *Tiberias*, where our Saviour first began to preach. Since *Solyman* reduced this C. into Ashes, it has only been inhabited by a few *Moors*, who ask Many of the Pilgrims that pass to visit the Holy Places.

Capes, a R. of the Km. of *Zowly* in *Africa*, springing from Mount *Atlas*, and discharging it self into the Mediterranean near a T. call'd *Capes*, where it makes a Gulph of the same Name.

Capet, the Surname of *Hugues*, Count of *Paris*, and D. of *France*, Son of *Hugues* the Great.

Capetaus, or *Capetians*, a Name given to the Ks. of *France*, of the third Race, which began in *Hugues Capet* in 987. *Lewis XIV* is the 30th K. of this Family.

Caphareus, a famous Promontory on the E. Point of the Isle of *Cyprus*, very dangerous to navigate.

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Bartholomew, and the pretended Motives that carried the Court of *France*, to that Violence, under Shew of Friendship.

Capitanata, a Prov. of *Italy* in the Km. of *Naples*.

Capitanies, little Governours in the Km. of *Brasil*, according to the Divisions that the *Portuguezes* make of it.

Capito, an Historian of *Lycia*, who liv'd in the end of the IVth Age.

Capito, known under the Name of *Wolfgangius Fabricius Capito*, born at *Hagenaw* in *Alsacia*. He embraced the Protestant Religion, and settled among that People as a Preacher.

Capitol, the Name of the Fortrefs of *Rome*, where there was a Temple built for *Jupiter*. *Tarquinius Priscus* laid the first Foundation of it in the 139th Y. of *Rome*, and *Tarquin* the Proud finish'd it in 221. It was burnt in the Reign of *Vitellius*, and re-built by *Vespasian*; but being consumed again by Fire from Heaven, under *Titus Domitius*, he made it up again in great Pomp. The Christians have since built a Church in the Place where it stood, and call it *Ara Caeli*, dedicated to the Blessed Virgin *Mary*.

Capitolinus, a Name given to *Jupiter*, because he had a Temple in the *Capitol*; and to distinguish him from the Thunderer, was called *Jupiter Capitolinus*. He was but an inferior Deity.

Capitulares, Ordinances of the Ks. of *France*, wherein are many Articles or Heads, which regard the Government of the Church, and were made by the Advice of an Assembly of French Bishops.

Capitulation of the Empire, is a sort of Original Contract which the Emperor makes with the Electors, in the Name of all the Princes and States of the Empire, before he is declared Emperor, and which he ratifies before he is rais'd to the Imperial Dignity. The

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use of these Capitulations, was introduced since *Charles the Vth's* time; for the vast Dominions which that Monarch possess'd besides the Empire, giving the Electors reason to fear he might at one time or other encroach upon their Privileges, they thought fit to propose some Conditions to him, which he submitted to. And this has been observed, at the Election of all the other Emperors since his time, which is a kind of Restraint upon their Authority, and hinders their Government from being wholly Monarchical, rendering it a Mixture of Monarchy and Aristocracy.

Capivaccio, (*Jerom*) of *Padua*, one of the chief Physicians in the XVIth Cen. He was a good Linguist, able Scholar, and prime Philosopher. He dy'd in his own Country in 1589.

Capo, a T. of *Italy* in the Republic of *Venice*, the Cap. of the Prov. of *Istria*.

Capou-Agasi, the Master of the Turkish Port, who commands all other Officers belonging to it.

Capoutan-Bacha, the Name of the Turkish Admiral or *Bajha* of the Sea; who commands and takes Care of their whole Fleet.

Cappadecia, a great Country in *Asia Minor*, which was a Km. in 476; but afterwards was reduced by the Romans into a Prov. and governed by Pro-consuls. This Prov. in *Asia*, is bounded to the E. by *Armenia* the Greater, to the N. by the *Euxine* Sea, to the W. by *Galatia*, and to the S. by *Silicia*, separated from it by Mount *Taurus*, as *Armenia* is by the *Euphrates*. The Turks now call it *Tocar*.

Cappel, (*James*) Lord Tilloy, and Professor of Divinity at *Sedan*, Son to *James Cappel*, Counsellor to the Parliament of *Remes*. He wrote several Treatises in Divinity, with great Skill; some whereof are printed, and the rest are in the

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hands of *James Cappel*, his Nephew.

Cappel, (*Louis*) born in 1585, was a Minister, and Professor of Hebrew at *Saumur*. He wrote several Books, some of which offended the *Protestants*, others the *Papists*. *Walton* has Reprinted his Sacred Chronology, in the beginning of the English *Polyglot*; also his Description of the Temple of *Solomon*. His Theological Commentaries and Criticks upon the Old Testament, with his *Arcanum* in Folio, were printed at *Amsterdam* in 1653.

Caprarola, a famous Palace of *Italy*, belonging to the D. of *Parma*, erected in the 16th Cent. by Cardinal *Alexander Farnese*. 'Tis in *S. Peter's* Patrimony in the County of *Ronciiglioni* near *Viterbo*, about 15 m. from *Rome*.

Capricorn, one of the 12 Signs of the *Zodiack*, consisting of 28 Stars, which are said to represent the figure of a Goat. The Sun enters this Sign in the Month of *December*, and then makes the *Winter Solstice* : & when

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Sign given, the *Romans* fell upon them, put them all to the Sword, and call'd this day of their deliverance *Nona Caprotina*.

Capua, a T. of *Italy* in *Terra di Lavoro*, with an Abpk. *Hannibal*, after his Victory at *Canna*, winter'd his Army in this Town, which weakened and made his Soldiers so lazy by their voluptuous living, that they could never after make head against the *Romans*. *Capua* now decreaseth daily, so that there is little remaining but its Name, to render it considerable.

Capuchins, a sort of *Franciscan* Friars, so called from their *Capuchon*, or odd kind of Hood sew'd to their Habits, hanging down their Backs. The first Convent of this Order, was built at *Camerino*, by the Dutchess *Catharine Gibo*. They were received into *France* in *Charles* the IXth's Reign, and now have 9 Prov. in that Kingdom, and a great number of Monasteries.

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Caracalla (Emper.) succeeded his Father *Severus* in *Feb.* 211. At his Return to *Rome*, he put the Physicians to death, for not dispatching his Father as he would have had them. He kill'd his Brother *Geta* in his Mother's Arms, and put the great Lawyer *Papinianus* to death, because he would neither Defend nor Excuse his *Parricide*. The History of those times number 20000 massacred by his Order. But so many Cruelties to others hasten'd his Death; for, as he went from *Eleffa* to *Carræ* of *Asiaticum*, he was kill'd by one of his Captains called *Martian*; by *Macrinus's* Order, who succeeded him: A just punishment for his Crimes, who was neither Humane to his Subjects, nor Honest to his Allies.

Caracci, one of the most Noble Families of *Naples*, which has produced Great Men.

Caraccioli, (*Charles Andrew*) Marquis of *Torrecastra*, Duke of *St. George*, &c. He did very great Service for his Country in several places, and then retir'd to his Ease and Pleasure, till he was forc'd to take the Field again to Relieve *Orbitello*; which having compass'd, he died of a Fever, *Aug.* 5. 1646, leaving the World, with the Reputation of an honest Man, and a good Captain.

Caraccioli, (*John*) Prince of *Melfi*, D of *Venosa*, *Ascoli*, and *Soria*, Great Seneschal of the Km. of *Naples*, and Marshal of *France*. He first espoused the Interest of *France* under *Charles VIII.* and after the Revolution of *Naples*, took part with the Emperor *Charles V.* but being taken Prisoner, and abandon'd by the Emp. he submitted to the Generosity of *Francis I.* who so courteously entertain'd and well rewarded him, that he continued in the Service of *France*, doing many brave Actions, till he dy'd at *Saga* in 1550, aged 70.

Caraccioli, (*John Anthony*) was Son of *John Pr.* of *Melfi*; he was made

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Abbot of *St. Peter*, and Bishop of *Trevis* in *Champagne*: but having a secret Inclination for the Protestant Religion, he deserted the Papists, and preach'd it publickly.

Carache (*Ludovico*) was an excellent Painter at *Bononia*: He put the Pencil into the hands of *Carache Hannibal* his Nephew, who in a little time excell'd his Master in all the Arts of Painting. He imitated *Coreggio*, *Titian*, and *Raphael*, in their different manners, as he pleas'd; except only that you see not in his Pictures the Charms of *Raphael*, and that his *Out Lines* are not so pure nor elegant as his.

Caraculus, a brave British King, who held out 9 Y. against the united Forces of the Romans in this Km. At last being overcome by *Ostorius* the Roman General, he, with his Wife and Daughter, were carried Prisoners to *Rome*, and with a resolute Mind, and composed Countenance, spake to *Claudius* after this manner: *If my Mind had been as moderate in the height of my Fortune, as my Birth and Dignity was eminent, I might have come a Friend, rather than a Captive to this City. Had I sooner been forced to yield, my Misfortune had been less notorious, and your Conquest less renowned. In the severest determining of me, both will be soon forgotten; but if you grant that I shall live, so will the Praise of your Clemency as a Conqueror.* *Caesar*, affected with his Speech and Majestic Deportment, granted him and all the rest their Pardons.

Caradocus, a Learned Welsh Writer, living in the Reign of King *Stephen*, about 1150.

Carassa, one of the most Illustrious Families in the Km. of *Naples*. Some say it came from a *Neapolitan* Kt. of the House of *Caraccioli*, who saving the Emp. *Orto's* Life and Army with the Loss of his own, and the Emp. laying his hand upon this generous Knight's dead Body, crying (*O Car-*

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se!) intimating that his Fidelity cost him dear, his Family from that time took the Name of *Caraffæ*, from the Emperor's words.

Caraffa, (*Anthony*) Cardinal, Native of *Naples*. He was chief of the Congregation for Correcting of Bibles; he was also Apostolick Library-Keeper under *Gregory XIII.* and died in 1591.

Caraffa, (*Charles*) Cardinal, Nephew to Pope *Paul IV.* who afterwards made the Cardinal, the Duke of *Pallano* his Brother, Count *Aliff*, their Brother-in-law, and *Leonard Cardini*, Prisoners. These Proceedings seem'd the more surprizing, because *Pius IV.* who succeeded *Paul IV.* seem'd willing to favour the House of the *Caraffa's*. After this they were brought to Tryal, and all the Prisoners were Beheaded except the Cardinal, who was strangled. This inflexible Severity of *Pius IV.* was said to be a greater Blot to his Memory than to that of the *Caraffa's*.

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those that admit the *Talmud* of the Rabbins, and their Traditions, in opposition to the Books of the Bible.

Caramania, a Country of *Asia* in *Anatolia*, which formerly had the Title of a Kingdom: The Inhabitants bravely defended themselves against the *Turks*, till they were subdued by them in the 14th Century. There is another *Caramania*, which is a Prov. of *Persia*, called now *Kirman*.

Caramit, a Town in *Mesopotamia*, the *Amida* of the Ancients. The *Saracens* gave it the Name of *Emet*. It's now very considerable, surrounded with Walls, and 360 Towers.

Caratacus, the 18th K. of *Scotland*, succeeded *Merellus*: He subdued the Rebels of the W. Islands, but not without great difficulty.

Caravan, a select company of people, that meet together to travel with more safety; tho this Name is chiefly given to the Pilgrims of *Turky*, that travel to *Mecha*. There are 6 *Caravans*.

especially to the Countries into which they travel; have commonly about a 1000 Camels; of which 7 are under the Care of one Camel Driver, and have a Captain which orders their Marches, and decides Differences that happen in the Journey.

Caracole, (*Joannin*) a Native of *Ombria* in *Italy*, one of a mean Family, but a great Example of good and bad Fortune. He was Secretary to *Joan II*, Queen of *Naples*, who loved him extraordinarily, gave him the Duchy of *Melfe*, made him *Ld. High Constable* of the Km. and in her Anger deprived him of his Honour and Estate, and put him to Death with as much Cruelty, as she had zealous Love for him before.

Carbilus Raga, the first of the *Romans* that we read of, who divorced his Wife for being barren.

Carbury, a T. and Bar. in the Co. of *Kildare* in *Ireland*; and another in the Co. of *Cork*.

Carcaissone upon *Aude*, a T. of *France* in *Languedoc*, the *Carcaisso* of the Ancients; the T. is large, strong, and pretty well built. In 588 it fell to the *French*.

Cardan, a Physician and Astrologer of *Milan*, who liv'd in the XVth Cen. and is well known by the Works he publish'd. *Julius Scaliger* was his mortal Enemy, who, tho' a better Humanist, had not penetrated so far into the Secrets of Natural Philosophy. He dy'd at *Rome* in 1576. being then 75 Ys. of Age. It is said, that having foretold the Y. and Day of his Death, when he came to the time he suffer'd himself to die of Hunger, to preserve his Reputation. He wrote the Character of our *Edw. VI*.

Cardem, (*Roderick*) Son of *Francis Cardem* and *Mary Sandalin*, Concubine to his Father, was Page to the Vice-Chancellor of *Aragon*, and afterwards premier Minister to *Philip III*, K. of *Spain*: which, with many other

considerable Offices, made him so insolent, that he despis'd the greatest Ministers and Favourites of the Km. and abandon'd himself to all sorts of Vice, which at length occasion'd his Disgrace. Whereupon he was accused upon above 200 Articles, and being try'd, was condemn'd to have his Head cut off at the common Place of Execution. Some affirm, that by Bribery and robbing the Publick, he had acquired an Estate of above 200000 Ducats yearly Rent, and that his other Goods were valued at 400000, of which, before his Execution, he had leave to dispose of 2000 Ducats to any of his Relations.

Cardiff, the chief T. of *Glamorgan-shire* in *S. Wales*, stands in the S. E. part of the Country on the E. side of the *R. Towy*, and is 163 m. from *London*.

Cardigan, the Capital of *Cardigan-shire* in *S. Wales*, standing in the utmost S. W. part of the Country, bordering upon *Pembrokeshire*, and not above 3 m. from the *Irish Sea*. It is 162 m. from *London*, and sends one Member to Parliament, who now is *Henry Lloyd, Esq*.

Cardiganshire, is a Maritime County of *S. Wales*. The *Dowry* parts it from *Merionethshire*, the *Twy* from *Pembrokeshire* S. as also from *Brecknockshire* E. and on the W. it is bounded by the *Irish Sea*. It is in length from N. to S. 32 m. in breadth from E. to W. 15. 'Tis divided into 5 Hundreds, wherein are 64 Parishes, and 4 Market Ts. the whole being in the Dio. of *St. David*. It sends one Knight to Parliamear, who now is *Sir Humphry Mackworth, Kt*.

Cardinal, an eminent Dignity in the *Roman Church*. In their first Institution, they were officiating Ministers in Parish Churches, but now are called Ecclesiastical Princes. *Innocent IV* gave them the *Red Cap* in the Council at *Lyons* in 1243; *Paul II*, the

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the *Scarlet Habit* in 1464; *Gregory XIV* bestowed the *Red Cap* upon the Regular Cardinals, who wore but a Hat before. *Urban* the VIIIth gave them the Title of *Eminence*, for before they had but that of *Most Illustrious*. The Cardinals Drefs is a *Sattane*, a *Rochet*, and a *Mantelet*, or short Purple Mantle over the *Rochet*; the *Mozette*, a *Papal Cape* over the *Rochet* in Publick and Solemn Actions. The Colour of their Garment differs according to the Season; either 'tis red, of the Colour of dry'd Roses, or purple. In 769, the Council of *Rome* held under Pope *Stephen IV*, decreed that none should be chosen Pope, but a Priest or Deacon-Cardinal. In 1130, the Cardinals began to be Masters of the Pope's Election under *Innocent II*, and made themselves the sole Electors, to the exclusion of the rest of the Clergy of *Rome*, under *Alexander III*, in 1660. So rising by degrees, they are at last come so high, that tho' they are but Priests

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parts, and is environed with Marshes. The Count of *Montgomery*, one of the chief Commanders of the Protestant Party, took it in 3 Days, in 1574, and the Count of *Malignant*, the K's Lieutenant in *Normandy*, and Commander of his Troops, re-took it soon after.

Carette, (*Fabricius*) the 41d Great Master of the Order of *St. John of Jerusalem*, whose Convent was in the Isle of *Rhodes*. He succeeded *Guy of Blanchefort* in 1513, and dy'd in 1521.

Carey, (*William*) descended of the noble and ancient Family of *Cockington* in *Devonshire*; who being Esquire of the Body to *Hen. VIII*, took to Wife *Mary* Daughter of *Thomas* Earl of *Wiltshire*, Sister to *Anne* of *Bolaign* second Wifero *Hen. the VIIIth*, by whom he had a Son named *Henry*, who was knighted by *Q. Elizabeth*, and afterwards advanced to the Dignity of a Baron of this Realm, by the Title of Lord *Hunsdon*, and was the Progenitor of the present noble Lord *Robert Carey*. Baron of *Hunsdon*.

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ba of *Sababurg, Sciria, Fria* *rethel, and Syrd.* The Inhabita-
greatest Abhorers of Theft, i
mostly used to hang those they
suspected, and judge them th
ye after. If they were fou
ity of the Crime they were
ed of, they let them hang
y rotted; but if they were fou
treated, they were buried publi
and their Souls prayed for, t
y might have a speedy deliv
out of Purgatory.

Carinus, (Marcus Aurelius) Son of
Sharp *Corus.* He married nine
times, and put several of them to
death upon bare Suspicion, with-
out any kind of Legal Proceedin
Carlingford, a Sea-Port in the Co.

Carling in the Province of *Ulster,*
Ireland, about 30 *English* m. E. of
Magh, and 5 N. of *Dundalk.*

Carlisle, the chief Place of *Cum-
berland,* and a Bp's See in the Prov.
Tark, situate on the S. Banks of
the *R. Eden,* 255 m. N. W. of *Lon-*

don. The *Danes* consumed it to
ashes, and it lay in Rubbish 'till
William Rufus re-built it. *Hen. I.,*
Successor, made it a Bp's See, in
1133. The Dio. contains all *West-*
moreland, and part of *Cumberland,* in
1093 Parishes; but those very large,
generally they are in all the

The Right Reverend Father in
Christ Dr. *The. Smith,* is the present
Bishop of it. The Bpk. is in the K's
books valued at 513 l. 4 s. 11 d.
The Tenth's of the Clergy amount
to 161 l. 17 s. 7 d. This C. is
an Earldom, and now enjoyed by
the Right Hon. *Charles Howard,*
present Earl of *Carlisle;* it
sends 2 Members to Parliament, who
at this time are *Christopher Masgrave,*
and *Thomas Stanwix, Esq;*

Carloman, K. of France, Son of
the late *Lifer,* was Crown'd with
his Brother *Lewis III.,* at *Terriers* in
France, in 879. Some Writers say
the two Brothers were Bastards,

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and others with the same Assurance
deny it. The two Brothers divided
their Estate. *Lewis* had *Nassau,* and
Carloman, *Aquitain,* and *Burgundy.*
Lewis died at *St. Dennis* in 882, and
Carloman being a hunting in the Forest
of *Forlin,* was wounded by a wild
Boar, or by some of his Attendance,
and dy'd a few Days after in 884.

Carloman, K. of Austrasia, Bur-
gundy, and part of *Aquitain,* was
Crown'd at *Soissons,* October 9, 768.
He was Eldest Son of *Pepin the Short,*
and Brother to *Charlemagne,* with
whom he shared his Father's Estate.

Carloman, D. and Prince of the
French; Eldest Son of *Charles Martel,*
by his first Wife called *Cratude.*
He had for his Share *Austrasia, Ger-*
many, and *Thuringia;* and after ha-
ving perform'd many signal Actions
in War, he went to *Rome,* where
having taken the Habit of *St. Ben-*
dict, in 747, he retired to *Mont Sorato;*
thence to *Mont Cassin,* and afterwards
to *Vienna* in *Dauphin,* where he dy'd
August 17, 775. His Body was car-
ried to *Mont Cassin.*

Carloman, eldest Son of *Lewis* surna-
med *Germanicus,* had to his Share the
Km. of *Bavaria,* and besides was
honour'd with the Title of K. of *Italy.*
Being worsted by the Rebels of
Moravia, he fell into a Palsy, where-
of he dy'd in 880.

Carloman, Son of K. Charles the Bald
and *Ermentrude* his first Wife, who
rebell'd against his Father, was par-
don'd, and as oft relaps'd; and
therefore being seiz'd, his Eyes were
put out in 866, and he was thrown
into the Abbey of *Corby,* as a fur-
ther Penance.

Carlovinianus, a Name given to
the Ks. of the second Race of *France,*
which began in 752, in *Pepin the*
Short, Son of *Charles Martel,* and
ended in *Lewis V.,* in 987. There
were 14 Ks. of this Family.

Carlewitz, a little T. of *Sclavonia*
upon the *Danube,* about 5 *English* m.

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to the N. W. of *Peter Waradin*, famous for the Peace that was concluded there in 1699, after a bloody War of 17 Ys. continuance, between the Emp. the Republick of *Poland*, the State of *Venice*, and the Czar of *Muscovy* on the one part, and *Masfapha XI*, Emp. of the *Turks* on the other.

Carlsburg, a little T. in *Germany* in *Lower Saxony*, in the Dutchy of *Bremen*. It was taken by the *Danes* and *Lunenburghers* in 1676, and restor'd in 1679.

Carmagnole, a T. of *Italy* in the Marquisate of *Saluzzes*, belonging to the Duke of *Savoy*, about 2 m. from the *Po*, and 9 from *Turin*. The *French* took it in 1691, and it was re-taken from them the same Y. by the D. of *Savoy*.

Carmagnole, (*Francis*) a famous General, who took his Name from the aforesaid T. in *Piedmont*. He was a Boor's Son, and kept Pigs all his Youth; at last lifting himself a Soldier, he mounted by Degrees 'till he

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of *S. Wales*, bounded on the N. with *Cardiganhire*, on the S. with the R. *Severn*, Ew. with *Bracknach* and *Glamorganshire*, and Ww. with *Pembrokeshire*. In length from N. E. to S. W. about 35 m. in breadth from E. to W. 30. The whole is divided into 6 Hundreds, wherein are 87 Parishes and 8 Market Ts. This Co. sends one Member to Parliament, who now is *Griffith Rice*, Esq;

Carmel, or Mount *Carmel*, a Mountain of *Galilee* in *Palestine*, 12 m. from *Nazareth*, to the W. upon the Coast of the Mediterranean Sea, 50 m. also from *Jerusalem*, betwixt *Galilee* and *Samaria*, in the Tribe of *Issachar*, about 30 m. in Circuit, deliciously cover'd and adorn'd with Trees, Plantations, Springs, Villages, Valleys and Caverns, which have been the Retreats of the Solitary in all Ages; 'tis now inhabited by the *Drusians*, a warlike People, who are supposed to be the Relicks of *European* Pilgrims, and accordingly pay as little deference to the Postr as they can.

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card, or our Lady of *Mount Carmel*, a Military Order established by IV of *France* in 1608. This consisted of 100 *French* Gen- n, who, in time of War, were up about the K's Person.

carmelites, or our Lady of *Mount Carmel*, is a Religious Order, which in the XIIth Age in *Syria*, several Western Pilgrims li- different Hermitages, expos'd Violences and Incurfions of *barbarians*. *Aimerick*, Legate of ly See in the E. under Pope der III, brought them together, laced them on *Mount Carmel*; *Albert* Patriarch of *Jerusalem*, them Rules in 1205, which *Honorius* III confirmed 2 Ys.

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carmelites, or *discalceated*, are a regation of Fryars established e XVIth Age, who, by the of their Order, are obliged to e-foot, and are now spread o- oft parts of *Europe*.

carmenta, Mother of *Evander*; the *radia* with her Son, and arri- a *Italy* about the Y. of the l 1810. They called her *Ni-* s and *Carmenra*, because she ecy'd in Verse. The *Roman* ns built a Temple to her Me- and celebrated Feasts that alled *Carmenrales*.

carmentis, a *Grecian* of such a pro- s Memory, that he could say ok by Heart, which he had ut once over.

car, or *Carnes*, a certain Goddess preserv'd the inward parts of

caruarum, the Capital of *Carnar-* r in *N. Wales*, built by K. , out of the Ruins of old *Se-* u, the Birth Place of the first of *Wales* of the *English* Line; ards K. of *England* by the Name p. II. K. *Charles* I, honour'd with the Title of an Earldom. 16 m. from *London*, and sends

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one *Burgess* to *Parliament*, who now is Sir *John Wynne*, Kt. and Bar.

Carnarvonshire, is a Maritime Co. of *N. Wales*, bounded W. by the *Irish* Sea, and on the E. by *Dembighshire* and *Merionethshire*, having 68 Parishes, and 5 Market Ts. and is in the Dio. of *Bangor*. It sends one Knight to *Parliament*, who now is the Hon. *The Bulkley*, Esq;

Carnades, an Academick Philoso- pher, Native of *Cyrene* in *Lybia*, Founder of the third or new Acade- my, Successor to *Chrysippus*, one of the most eloquent Persons of his time, who gave himself so much to that Study, that he neglected all other things. So that sometimes he sat at Table and forgot to eat, 'till his Maid *Melissa* rouz'd him from his Thoughtfulness. VVhen he un- destood *Antipater* had poison'd him- self, he did the like, and dy'd 129 Ys. before the Christian *Era*. This Philosopher was sent Ambassador to *Rome*, and so surpriz'd the whole *Roman* Senate with his Eloquence, that *Cato*, the Censor, advis'd the sending him away immediately after he had had his Audience, because his Oratory had so wrought upon their Understandings, that they cou'd not distinguish Truth from Falshood after he had spoken.

Carniola, a Prov. of *Germany*, with the Title of a Dutchy, belonging to the House of *Austria*.

Carobert, or *Charles Roberts*, whom the *Hungarians* call *Charles* II, of that Name King of *Hungary*, Son to *Charles* I, surnamed *Martel*, who was Son of *Charles* called the *Lame*, K. of *Naples* and *Sicily*, about whom there was a great Dispute concern- ing the Succession, which at last ended in his Favour.

Carolina, a Country of *Florida* in the N. lying S. of *Virginia*, extend- ing it self from 29 to 36 Degs. of N. Lat. water'd on the E. by the *Atlantic* Sea; possess'd by the *Eng-* lish

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lish in 1663, and granted by Patent by K. *Charles II.* in Propriety to *George D. of Albemarle, William Earl of Craven, John Ld Berkley, Anthony Ld Ashley* since Earl of *Shaftsbury*, Sir *George Carteret*, Sir *John Colleton*, Kts. and Baronets, and Sir *William Berkley* Kt. to be always govern'd by *English* Laws. The two Colonies of *Albemarle* and *Ashley* are in a thriving condition, and have plenty of all things necessary. *Charles-T.* is the chiefest Port.

Carolini, or *Libri Carolini*, is the Name of a Treatise wrote in 790, to refute certain Propositions drawn from the Aëls of the Council of *Nice*, and called *Carolin*, because *Charles* the Great countenanc'd the making of it.

Carolestadt, a T. of *Croatia*, founded by *Charles* Archduke of *Austria*, that now is the Bulwark of the Empire on that side. Also the Name of a T. in *Sweden*, named so by *Charles* the IXth.

Carrot, now called *Scarbantia*.

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Carranza (*Bartholomew*) called *Miranda* from his Birth-place, a Dominican, and Abp. of *Salas*. He came into England with *Philip II.* King of Spain, and was made *Q. Mary's* Confessor. The Emp. *Charles V.* in his retirement, chose him for the Director of his Conscience; yet all could not secure him from Persecution, by some Members of the *Inquisition* that were his Enemies; for they pull'd him out of his Archiepiscopal See, and dragging him to Prison, charg'd him with Heresy. He appealing to *Rome*, was led thither in 1567, and suffer'd much under *Pius V.* and *Gregory XIII.* who forced him to a publick Abjuration of the Errors he was accus'd of in 1567, and deliver'd him to them of his Order of the Monastery of *Minerva*, where he died the same Y. aged 72. All the Learned World agree, that he was a Man of extraordinary Merit, and to be admired for his Patience in Suffering.

Carres, a T. of *Mesopotamia*, where *Craesus* was defeated by *Silanes* and

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Carrouges, (*Bernardin*) a Clock-maker in *Pavia*. He made *Alciat* a Clock, which when the Hammer struck the Bell, it likewise struck Fire out of a Flint, which lighted a Match first, and afterwards a Lamp; so that the same Movement shew'd a Man the time of the Night, and furnish'd him with a Light to rise by.

Carrousel, a Course perform'd with Chariots, Machines, Speeches, and Horse-Dances. There is nothing to be met with in Antiquity, more Noble and more Ingenious, than this Custom was once among the *Romans*, tho' now quite decayed and out of use.

Cars, a Town of *Turcomania* in *Asia*, towards the Source of *Euphrates* and the Frontiers of *Asia*: It is so considerable, that the Grand Signior puts among his other Titles, that of being Lord of *Cars*.

Carists, or *Carists*, the Name of certain seditious People, who joining with another Troop of Mutineers called *Razats*, caus'd a great deal of Trouble in *Provence*, when *Q. Catharine de Medicis* made her Progress through the S. Prov. of *France*.

Carthage, *Carthago*, was once the most famous and potent City in *Africa*, and the Rival of *Rome*; 'tis generally supposed to be built by *Q. Dido*, a *Tyrian* Princess, *A. M.* 3725, 72 Ys. after *Rome*, and 874 before the Birth of our Saviour: But *Justin* makes it to be built before *Rome*, and *Appian* before the Ruin of *Troy*, and this is now thought the more probable Opinion. The Learned *Fossius*, in his Book *De magnitudine Urbium*, is confident that it was not only built before the *Trojan War*, but in its greatest Dignity, Extent and Power before that time; that *Dido* was only the Repairer of it, and that it was much older than *Tyre* it self: but however this is certain, that it was a *Phenician* Colony, and had subjected

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Libya, with the adjacent Islands, and the greatest part of *Spain* and *Sicily*. It sustained 3 sharp Wars with *Rome*; the first lasted 24 Ys, the second 18, and had ended in the Ruin of *Rome*, if the *Carthaginians* had but supplied their General *Hannibal* effectually, and in time; the third lasted 3 Ys. and ended in the total Subversion of the C. of *Carthage*, *A. M.* 3803. Yet afterward it was made a *Roman* Colony, and Rebuilt under the *Gracchi* 25 Ys. after the Ruin of it, and was the first Colony the *Romans* sent out of *Italy*, where they flourish'd for a long time, till the *Vandals* took it from them, *A. C.* 432. In 533 the *Romans* recover'd it again. In 632 it fell into the hands of the *Saracens*. In 690 *Justinian II.* recover'd it again from them. In 703 the *Saracens* return'd the third time, and made an entire Conquest of it, to the total Ruin of Christianity there, as well as the City. This C. stood 15 m. from *Tunis*, Long. 34. 50. Lat. 32. 20. The *Spaniards* have given the Name of *Carthage* to a T. of *New Spain* in *America*, in the Prov. of *Costa Rica*, which stands in the middle of the Country, betwixt the two Seas.

Carthagena, a City of *Murcia* in *Spain*, built by *Asdrubal* one of the *Carthaginian* Generals in that Kingdom. The *Moors* becoming Masters of it, totally ruin'd it, and it lay buried in Rubbish almost 600 Ys. till in the Y. 1570. it was rebuilt by *Philip II. K. of Spain*. It is a Bp's See under the Abp. of *Toledo*, 3 L. from *Murcia* to the S. and about 84 from *Gibraltar* to the N. E. Long. 20. 35. Lat. 38. 2. It's a T. of great Traffick, has a strong Fortrefs, and many beautiful Churches.

Carthagena Nueva, a City of *New Granada* in *S. America*, with a Bp's See under the Abpk of *Santa Fe de Bogota*. Sir *Francis Drake* found not here the Wealth he expected; so he burnt part of the Town, and sold

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the rest to the Inhabitants, for 120000 Ducats. After this the *Spaniards* strongly fortified it; but it fell again into the hands of our famous *Drake*, and the *Spaniards* were forced to pay 100000 Ducats to redeem the C. from Fire: which Money he forthwith divided among the Seamen and Soldiers. This Place being attack'd by the *French* in 1697, it was deliver'd up to them: but after they had plunder'd it, and mis'd the Booty they expected, they thought fit to leave it again to the *Spaniards*.

Carthagena, a Prov. of the *Golden* or *New Castile* in *S. America*. Its Capital C. has the same Name, and its Port is one of the most convenient in all *America*, shelter'd by a little Island called *Carex*. The Inhabitants are computed to be 18000, whereof 4000 are *Spaniards*, and the rest *Negros*.

Carthagens (*John*) a *Spanish* *Franciscan*, employed by Pope *Paul V.* to write against the *Venetians*, when they were at difference.

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Castile in 1312, summon'd that Prince to appear with him at the Bar of *Flam* within 30 days, and accordingly *Ferdinand* died suddenly upon the last of that term.

Carvanfers's, Inns in the Eastern Countries for the Lodging and Accommodation of Travellers, of which there are many good ones between *Buda* and *Constantinople*; but on the Road between *Constantinople* and *Persia* there is nothing but empty Chambers in the *Carvanfers's*, and there People must provide for themselves, which they may do at a cheap rate in every T.

Carvilius Maximus (*Spurius*) a *Roman* Commander, Consul with *L. Papirius Cursor* *An. Rom.* 461, they were both honour'd with a Triumph.

Carvilius Marinus, a Captain which the Militia rais'd to the Empire in *Pannonia*, about 149; but his Qualities not answering their Expectations, he was murder'd by the same persons that proclaim'd him Emperor.

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There is a Prov. belong-
ing to the Tartary.

(*Isaac*) Bp. of *Chiapa*

He made several Voy-
ages from the *Indies* to *Spain*,
and himself to the hatred of
the *Spaniards*, to put a stop to
the *Spaniards* exercis'd
poor *Indians*, and gained
kind of Liberty in 1543.

he had done this charita-
ble being ancient and weak,
to *Spain*, gave up his Bp.
e, and retired to *Madrid*,
died in 1596, at 92 Ys. of

(*Isaac*) a French Prote-
stant, born in 1559 at *Bour-
goin* in *Dauphine* in *Dioc.*
one of the best skill'd in the
age in that Age. He
long time at *Geneva*, and
was Professor of the Greek
at *Paris*; till *K. James I.* en-
ter'd into *England*, where he
was of him till he died in
1615 Years of Age. We
have of his Works well sto-
red profound Doctrine.

(*Merrick*) Son to *Isaac*,
Bishop of *Canterbury*, was a
very great Learning, but
not fine a Pen as his Father.

(*Charles*) one of the two
of *Marcellus* and Colleague
at *Dix*; but having offended
the Emperor, he enter'd into the Service
of *Spain* against his Natural
King IV. and was afterward
in the hands of the Duke of

Caswin, is one of the grea-
test populous places of all
and was the Residence of
the Emperor after the *Turks* had taken
it contains a fine Palace, a
number of Mosques, many
cover'd Streets, well stored
with Merchandize.

(*John*) an English Physician,
the 16 Cen.

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Cas (John) Abp of *Beneventum*,
living in the 16 Cen. under the Pon-
tificate of Pope *Paul III.* *Marcellus II.*
and *Paul IV.* He had much Learning,
and a great deal of Life and Elegan-
cy in all his Writings.

Casbel, a T. in *Ireland*, upon the
Scur, in the County of *Tipperary* in
Munster. This T. is also the Seat of
one of the 4 Abps in *Ireland*, and
had a Council held in it in 1171, but
now is meanly inhabited.

Casimabour, People of the Isle of
Madagascar, otherwise called *Zeffi-
Casimabour*, who are very powerful
in the Country of *Moratane*. They
are descended from the *Arabians*, are
White, but somewhat more swarthy
than the *Zeffi-Ramin's*: Their Pro-
fession is, to be *Ombiaffer*, i. e. Wri-
ting Masters, and teach to Write and
Read the *Arabic* Tongue in the Vil-
lages where they dwell.

Casimir, the first K. of *Poland*, dri-
ven out thence when he was young,
for his Mother's Mismanagement.
He went into *France incognito*, studi-
ed at *Paris*, and became a Monk at
Cluni. Seven Ys. after, the *Polanders*,
hearing where he was, recall'd him
to the Government; where he took
a Wife, govern'd the Kingdom very
well, Civiliz'd the *Polanders*, and di-
ed in 1058, after he had Reigned 18
Years.

Casimir II. surnamed the Just, was
put in the Throne in the place of
Micislaus III. his Brother, who was
dethroned for Covetousness. His
Piety made him undertake a War
against the *Prussians*, whom he over-
came, and obliged to retake the
Christian Religion, which they had
basely quitted. He reigned 17 Years,
and died in 1194, at 67 Yrs. of Age.

Casimir III. surnamed the Great,
was born in 1309, and deserved the
Name of Great, not so much for his
Military Exploits, as for his great
love for Peace; his Magnificence in
the Churches and Hospitals he found-
ed,

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ded, and rendring to every body impartial Justice. He died of a Fall from his Horse in Hunting, at 60 Ys. of Age, when he had reigned 37 Years, in 1370.

Casimir IV. was called to the Crown after the bloody Battel of *Warnes*, in which *Ladislaus V.* his Brother and Predecessor, lost his life in 1440. He was not Crowned till 3 Years after his Brother's Death. He protected the *Prussians*, and overthrew the *Teutonic Kts.* that insulted them, and granted the Knights a Peace at the Request of the Pope. His Son *Ladislaus* being chosen K. of *Bohemia* in 1471. was opposed by *Matthias Corvinus*, which occasion'd a War. After the Death of *Matthias* the States of *Bohemia* were for putting up *John Albert*, which occasion'd another War, wherein *Albert* was worsted, and forc'd to come to an agreement with his Brother. *Casimir* stood Neuter, and died in 1492, being 64 Ys. of Age, of which he reigned 45.

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Great Duke of *Lithuania*: He vow'd himself to God from his Youth, and lived in his Palace as in a holy and retired place. He died at 25 Ys. of Age, in 1489.

Casus, a Mountain of *Egypt*, upon the Coast of the *Mediterranean Sea*, near the Lake of *Stirben* upon the Borders of *Palestine*, whence it reaches Southward towards the Frontiers of *Arabia Petraea*: Now it's called *Larissa*, and the Lake is called the Gulf of *Teneis*, or the *Baranguerlis*.

Casena, a Borough of *Andalusia* in *Spain*, upon the River *Guadalquivar*.

Casimir, a Prov. of the Empire of the Great *Mogul*, near the River *Indus*, where it's said the Climate is very temperate, the Soil fertile, and the Trees so much abounding in Feuit, that there is hardly any place in *Europe* that has things in so great plenty. In the Mountains are flying *Cats*, which in truth are nothing but a sort of great *Bats*, whose Bodies are furr'd, and headed like *Cats*. Their

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Cassians, People of *Scythia*, neighbouring upon the *Hyrcauians*, and near the great Lake vulgarly called the *Caspian Sea*. The *Caspian Mountains* are a Ridge of Mountains in *Asia*, stretching from the N. to the S. between *Armenia* and the *Caspian Sea*.

Cassan, or *Caghan*, K. of *Persia*, lived about the end of the 13th Cen. He was a Christian by Education and Profession, but upon the Offer of the Crown turn'd *Mahometan*: but having gain'd a Battel of his Rival in 1204, and seeing himself establish'd in his Throne, he endeavour'd with all his might to re-establish the Christian Religion, and make amends for the Ill he had done by his Apostacy.

Cassander, Son of *Antipater*, succeeded *Arideus*, who had establish'd *Polyperchon* in his place. He was second K. of *Macedonia*, after *Alexander the Great*, in 437 of *Rome*, and made several Conquests in *Greece*, abrogated the Democracy in *Athens*, and constituted the Orator *Demetrius Phalerens* Governour of the City. *Olympia*, *Alexander's* Mother, having put 100 of his Friends to death, he besieged, took her, and put her to death, and after kill'd *Roxane*, one of *Alexander's* Wives, with a Son she bore that Prince after he was dead. He likewise perswaded *Polyperchon* to make away another of *Alexander's* Sons, that none of them might dispute the Crown with him: and 3 Ys. after having gain'd a memorable Victory over *Antigonus* and his Son *Demetrius*, he fell sick of a Dropfy, and died in the 19 Y. of his Reign.

Cassander, (George) of *Bruges*, was much esteemed in the 16th Age for his skill in the Languages, and his universal and profound knowledge. *Thuanus* says, he was modest beyond the common example of this Age, and fit to be propos'd as a pattern to thye who are concern'd in adjusting the differences in Religion; for he had nothing of Arrogance or Magistratallness in his temper.

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And yet after all their Commendations, we find some of his Works were thought *Erroneous*, and put into the *Index expurgatorius*.

Cassandra, Daughter of *Priam* K. of *Troy*, once beloved by *Apollo*, who gave her the Gift of Prophecy; but finding her unworthy of so great a Favour, he order'd it so, that she was never credited; so her Predictions were laugh'd at, when she foretold the Misfortunes that were to befall *Troy*. She was violated by *Ajax* in the Temple of *Minerva*, and was made a Slave to *Agamemnon*, to whom she foretold the Death that his Wife was preparing for him, but was not believed.

Cassandra, (*Fidelis*) a learned Woman of *Venice*, who besides her Skill in the Greek and Latin Tongues, was so well versed in History, Philosophy, and Divinity, that Pope *Julius II*, *Leo X*, K. *Louis XII*, *Ferdinand* K. of *Aragon*, *Elizabeth* Q. of *Castile*, the D. of *Milan*, and several others of the highest Rank, took pleasure in manifesting their esteem for her. She lived till she was 102 Ys. of Age.

Cassand, or *Cassant*, a small Island of the Low Countries, now in the possession of the *Hollanders*.

Cassel, a T. of *Germany*, in *Franconia*, Capital of the Landgraviate of *Hesse*, seated upon the R. *Fulde*, between *Marpurg* and *Paderborn*, and is the Residence of the Landgrave of *Hesse Cassel*, now *William* the 7th of the Name. The T. is well fortified, has a strong Cittadel, and is of good Commerce, especially for Wool.

Cassel, or *Mont-Cassel*, is a little T. of the Low Countries, 4 Leagues from *Bergue St. Vinox*, and much at the like distance from *Aire* and *Terouanne*, well fortified, and has a considerable Jurisdiction. It has 2 Fairs, one in *August*, the other in *January*.

Cassmir, or *Chismere*, a Prov. of the Great *Mogul's* Empire on this side the *Ganges*, towards *Tartary*. In this Country

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Country Women have no Hair, and Men have but very little on their Chin.

Cassorius, (*Julius*) a Physician and Chirurgion, living in the XVth Cen. whose Works are much esteemed.

Cassian, *Cajchan*, a T. of *Persia* in the Prov. of *Airach* or *Heirach*. 'Tis great, fair, well peopled, and of great Traffick for Silks; but there is no good Water, and the Inhabitants are much incommoded by Scorpions, whose Bitings are very dangerous if not deadly, without present Remedy.

Cassian, (*John*) originally a *Scythian*, but an *Athenian* by Birth. He liv'd in the Vth Age, pass'd his first Ys. in the Monasteries of *Palestine*, was afterwards Disciple to *St. Chrysostom*, who made him a Deacon; after whose Death he went to *Rome*, from thence to *Provence*, and settled at *Marseilles*; where he proved himself a great Master of a Monastick Life, and of much Learning, by the Works he has left behind him; and yet his

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ter. The Judges also with the Notaries and Aets, together with the Witnesses, were all cast away as they came to *Rome*, just as if God had a Mind to reserve that Judgment for his own Tribunal, and therefore would suffer no Records to remain of it; yet People were all satisfied of the Great Master's Innocence, and of the Falshood of *Rome's* Accusation, who had an Eye upon his Preferments.

Cassin, or *Mont-Cassin*, a famous C. in *Italy*, in the Km. of *Naples*, built by *St. Bennet*, Patriarch of the Western Monks, to whom he gave a Maintenance and Rules for their manner of Living.

Cassiodorus, (*Magnus Aurelius*) Secretary of State to *Theoderick K. of Italy*, who, after he had run thro' all honourable Employments in the Government, retir'd, and wrote several Books of History, Grammar, Rhetorick, Geometry, Astronomy, &c. and dy'd about the Y. 562, almost



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of *Egypt*. He gain'd a great Reputation in Military Affairs, and was in the Esteem of the Emperors *Antoninus Pius*, *L. Verus*, and *Marcus Aurelius*; yet some say his Rage was accompany'd with a great Severity, which sometimes led to Cruelty. and savoured of a Capricious Humour, than Justice and Reason. However he managed his Intrigues so well, that he himself saluted Emp. but was 3 Months after, and his Head to *Antoninus*, about the Y. 172. *Spurius*, (*Brutus*) at a time that *Romans* were in War against *Antons*, would have betray'd his Duty to the Enemy; but his Father *Cassius* having starved him to death in the Temple, drag'd his Remains thence, and would not suffer to have the Honour of a Burial. *Spurius*, call'd *Longinus*, descended from one of the best Families of *Rome*, was Questor for *Craffus* in Syria *An. R. 701*. He assisted *Pompey* against *Caesar*, who yet received into his Favour when he had taken him; and yet when one of the Conspirators, seem'd to be killing so brave a Man as *C. Caesar*, bid him rather than fail, to strike him thro' his own Heart; so that was done *An. R. 710*. *Brutus* and *Brutus* fled into Syria, where they were both set upon near *Pi*; and *Cassius* believing that he was overcome, got himself killed by one *Pandarus* in the 712th Year. *Cassius*, (*Scæva*) a valiant Captain of *Julius Caesar*, who seeing the ordinary Marks of his Courage in his own View, in recommendation thereof gave him a Company of 50 Men. *Cassius*, (*Severus*) a famous Orator, of mean Birth. It is said he was famous in his Writings, and one of the Conspirators against *Caesar*. He having a Commission from *Caesar*, to put him to Death; and

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finding him in his Study, set Fire to it, and burnt him and his Books together, tho' 'tis said that *Varus* was under personal Obligations to him. *Cassius Viscellinus*, (*Spurius*) a Roman Consul, one of the greatest Men of his time, yet more unlucky then deserving. He was twice Consul at *Rome*, and as often merited the Honour of a Triumph; but the Questors *Fabius*, *Cæso*, and *L. Valerius*, joining against him, they accused him of having aspired to be a King, for which he was precipitated from the *Tarpeian Rock*, in the 296th Y. of *Rome*. Monsieur *Bale* affirms, with great Probability, that *Cassius Spurius* and *Cassius Viscellinus* are but one and the same Person; but *Valerius Maximus* seems to assert the contrary, which *Bale* has not answer'd. *Cassiope*, a Town to the North of the Isle of *Corfu*; it was formerly called *Cassiope*, and famous for its Temple dedicated to *Jupiter Cassian*; but is now only a decayed Fortress, with a Church served by a small number of pauperous *Grecian Monks*. *Cassovia*, a T. of Upper Hungary, Capital of the Co. of *Abamwiar*. This T. owns the Empire as K. of Hungary, tho' 'tis free, and has considerable Privileges, without any dependence on him. *Cassutia*, or *Cassubia*, a Dutchy in the Prov. of *Pomerania* in Germany, under the K. of *Prussia*, between the *Baltick Sea*, *Prussia* and *Stettin*. *Colberg* is one of its principal Ts. *Cassabala*, *Perasia*, an ancient C. of *Cilicia* in Asia Minor, on the Gulph of *Lajazzo*, between *Anazarbe* and *Adana*. *Dianna* had formerly a famous Temple in her Honour here. *Cassalis*, (*Joseph*) born at *Ancona* in Italy. He was an excellent Orator; a good Poet, and rais'd the Reputation of his Countrymen; for before that time the *Italians* were not look'd upon as any way considerable for polite Learning.

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Castalio, or *Castilio*, (*Sebastian*) born in the Mountains of *Dauphiné*. He was a great Linguist, and particularly a great *Hebrician*, but miscarried in his Translation of the Bible.

Castel-Durante, a T. of the Dutchy of *Urbino*, in the Church Lands of *Italy*, which in the last Age was esteemed for its fine Earthen Ware; but now that Art is known in many other Places in *Italy*.

Castel-Gandolphe, a T. in the *Campagna di Roma* in *Italy*, 12 m. from *Rome*, where the Pope has a Mansion of Pleasure. A Lake of the same Name, formerly call'd *Albano*, is on one side of it.

Castel a Mare, a C. in *Terra di Lavoro* in the Km. of *Naples*. It has a good Port, and that's all.

Castel-nuovo, a T. of the Dutchy of *St. Saba* in *Dalmatia*, seated upon the Canal of *Cattaro*, 3 Ls. from its Mouth, and over-against the Eastern Sea. It is a Place that has cost a great Expence of Blood, and has been

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Learning made him much esteemed by Pope *Innocent VIII*, who sent him Nuncio into *Scotland*. After his Return to *Rome*, Pope *Alexander VI*, made him his Secretary in 1507, the very Y. that the Pope poison'd himself in Cardinal *Cornetto's* Garden. But *Cesar Borgia* was too jealous of Power, and had too great a Mind to Wealth to let him live at quiet; therefore *Castelieft* quitted *Rome* under the Pontificate of Pope *Julius II*, who persecuted *Alexander VI's*, Favourites, and after fled in *Leo* the VIIIth's time, being then convicted of conspiring with Cardinal *Alfonso Petrucci*, who had a Mind to make away the Pope. After this Misfortune, he hid himself for some time at *Venice*, afterwards at *Ricea*, and at last at *Constantinople*, where he dy'd a little after.

Castelnau, (*Michael*) Lord of *Mauvisier* and *Contressau*. He was much employed in publick Affairs under *Francis II*, and *Charles IX*, and being

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pusca, and the *Asturians*; and on the S. with *Andalusia*. It is divided into the Old and New *Castile*, where of the Old lies more N. the New more S. arising out of the New Conquest of the Km. of *Toledo*, and other Accessions gain'd from the *Moors*; which is also more fertile than the Old *Castile*. *Burgos* is the Capital of the Old; *Madrid* and *Toledo* the chief of the New.

A Chronological Succession of the Kings of Castile.

	Reigned Ys.
1029, <i>Sancho III</i> , K. of <i>Navarre</i> ,	6
1035, <i>Fernand</i> or <i>Ferdinand II</i> ,	30
1065, <i>Sancho II</i> ,	7
1072, <i>Alphonfus I</i> ,	37
1109, <i>Alphonfus II</i> .	
1122, <i>Alphonfus III</i> ,	35
1157, <i>Sancho III</i> ,	1
1158, <i>Alphonfus IV</i> ,	55
1214, <i>Henry I</i> ,	3
1217, <i>Alphonfus V</i> ,	9
1226, <i>Ferdinand III</i> ,	26
1252, <i>Alphonfus VI</i> ,	32
1284, <i>Sancho IV</i> ,	11
1295, <i>Ferdinand IV</i> ,	17
1312, <i>Alphonfus VII</i> ,	38
1350, <i>Peter the Cruel</i> ,	19 or 19
1369, <i>Henry II</i> ,	10
1379, <i>John I</i> ,	11
1390, <i>Henry III</i> ,	16
1406, <i>John II</i> .	48
1454, <i>Henry IV</i> ,	20
1474, <i>Ferdinand the Catholick</i> , and	
<i>Isabella</i> ,	30 and 42
1504, <i>Philip I</i> , of the House of	
<i>Austria</i> ,	2
1516, <i>Charles I</i> , or <i>V</i> , of <i>Germany</i> ,	39
1555, <i>Philip II</i> ,	43
1598, <i>Philip III</i> ,	23
1621, <i>Philip IV</i> ,	44
1665, <i>Charles II</i> , Exit 1700.	45

Castle-Carey, a m. T. in *Somersetshire*, in the Hundred of *Castesajh*.

Castle-Rising, a m. T. in *Norfolk* in the Hundred of *Fyehridge*, whose Port being choak'd up with Sands for many Ys. has brought this T. to

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decay; yet it still retains the Honour of sending 2 *Burgessees* to Parliament, who now are Sir *Thomas Littleton*, Bar. and *Horatio Walpole*, Esq; The T. is 120 m. from *London*.

Castile d'Or, a Country in S. America, having the *Caribbes* and *Guiana* to the E. the *Pacifick Sea* to the W. *Pern* to the S. and the *Kms.* of the *Amazons* to the N. Here are some Golden Mines, especially in the Prov. of *Uraba*; but the *Spaniards* have much drained them. The Inhabitants go naked, all but a piece of Cloth about their Loins. The Women manage all publick Affairs, while the Men fight against their Enemies. Their Arms are Bows and Arrows, which they dip in the Juice of a certain Herb, and Serpents Blood, to poison them; so that whomsoever they wound, if he does not immediately cut off the infected part, it swells all the Body, and they die soon after.

Castillon, a T. in *Perigord*, in the S. of *France* near the *Dordogne*, where the *English* were defeated and their General slain, in 1451, by which *Charles VII* recovered *Guicune*.

Castor and *Pollux*, Brothers to *Helena*, and Sons of *Jupiter* and *Leda*, Wife of *Tyndarus*. *Jupiter* made *Pollux* immortal, but *Castor* being kill'd, and *Pollux* desiring he might have part of Immortality, *Jupiter* shar'd it between them, and made them the Sign *Gemini*. The *Romans* built them a Temple, and regarded them as their special Protectors.

Castor, an Amphibious Animal, otherwise called a *Beaver*. It lives half in the Water, and the other half of its time on the Land. Its forefeet are like a Dog, and its hindermost resemble Geeses feet. Its the chiefest Wealth of the Country; the Flesh of it serves the Inhabitants for Food, and its Skin for cloathing. They have so many of them, that they exchange them for other Com-

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modities which they want. What they sell at the Apothecaries for the real Stones or Coals of *Castor*, is nothing but certain Glands that are found near the Flank or Share; for the true Stones are cut out, and thrown away by the Huntsman, as useless.

Castor of *Rhodes*, a Greek Historian and Rhetorician at *Marcelles*. The Critics are at a loss whether this *Castor*, against whom *Cicero* pleaded for *K. Dejotarus*, is the Person above-mention'd, or whether it was his Son, or his Grandson; but *Vossius* disentangles the Controversy.

Castorius, a certain African Bp. in the Vth Cen. who was made Bp. in the place of his Brother *Maximus*, that had been sometimes a Donatist.

Castro, a Dutchy and T. belonging to the *Emper.* Dukes of *Parma*, but likewise challeng'd by the Ecclesiastical State. Pope *Innocent X.* sent a Bishop to reside and govern there; but the Bp. being kill'd, the Pope demolish'd it in 1646, and transferr'd the

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Castro (*Ferdinand*) died at *Campeflella*, in 1633, and left a Book of Morality in 3 Volumes.

Castro, (*Leo*) Canon of *Palladolid* in Spain, was very much esteemed at *Salamanca*, for his skill in Hebrew and Greek.

Castro, (*Roderick*) a Portuguese Physician that practis'd at *Hamburg*, whose works are mentioned with Reputation by *Zacuti* and other Authors.

Castro, (*Lewis*) a Divine, and Franciscan, born at *Loage* in the XVIIth Cen. Monsieur *Motery* makes him a considerable Man.

Castruccio, *Castratani*, one of the most famous Commanders of his time, lived in the XIVth Age, was of *Lucca*, and descended of the Family of *Antelminelli*. He bore Arms in his Youth in favour of the *Gibelins*, and was therefore afterwards banish'd by the *Guelphs*. His Life is written by *Machiavel*.

Catacombs, Burying-places in *Caver* near *Rome*, where the Primitive Christians buried their *Martyrs*, and some-

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habitants are great Lovers of their *vil Liberties*; and being ill used by the *Irish* Soldiers, which were quarter'd upon them in 1640, they revolted from *Spain*, and call'd in the *French*: but during the Civil Wars of *France*, about 1652, they return'd to their old Master again, the K. of *Spain*. By the Treaty of Peace in 1659, the *Pyrenees* are made to divide the two Kms. of *France* and *Spain*. *Barcelona* is the Capital City of this Country, and has a good Port.

Catalanis, a Baker's Son of *Napoli*, who behaved himself so well in the War, that he was made Captain, afterwards a General, and the *Venetians* erected him a Statue onorseback, in the XVth Age.

Catania, one of the principal Cities of *Sicily*, on the E. shore of that land; about 40 m. N. from *Syracuse*. *Charles V.* wall'd and fortified it against the *Turks* and *Moors*; by which security it grew Great and Rich: it in 1669 it suffer'd very much by a terrible Eruption of Mount *Aetna*, which with Fire or melted Rocks and Earth making their way through the Territories of this C. bore down all before them, and pass'd a m. into the Sea, before those Waters were able to conquer this outrageous Fire: so that it was then thought the whole land of *Sicily* would have perish'd. *Catania* was also almost destroy'd by earthquakes in 1693. K. *Hiero* died in this City.

Catania, an ancient C. and Country in *Asia Minor*. *Bellona* had a sumptuous Temple dedicated to her in this C. to whose Service, above 60000 Men and Women were consecrated under the direction of a *Sovereign Priest*, who resided here with an absolute and despotick Authority.

Cataphryges, Hereticks that begun to appear in the IIIrd Age, and had his Name given them, because they came out of *Phrygia*, and followed the Errors of *Montanus*; to which

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they added more ridiculous and horrid Superstitions, by making up the *Communion Bread* with the *Blood* of young Children.

Catara, a T. of *Dalmatia*, seated upon a Gulf to which it gives its name, and is defended by a Castle built upon a Hill: The *Turks* have often endeavour'd to carry it, but all in vain.

Catay, the N. part of *China*, which comprehends the 6 Provinces of *Peking*, *Zantung*, *Honan*, *Suchuen*, *Xenfi*, and *Xanfi*. It was once thought to be a Km. of *Tartary*, but now it appears the contrary.

Catechumens, a Name given in the first and purest Ages of the Church to the *Gentiles* and *Jews*, who were instructed and prepared to receive *Baptism*. These had persons appointed by the Church on purpose to teach them, and had a particular place in the Church where they used to teach, which was called the place of the *Catechumens*. Afterwards they were admitted to hear Sermons, and then they were called *Audientes*. A third Rank of them were called *Orantes*, or *Genusflectentes*, because they were present and concern'd in some part of the Prayers, and other holy Offices. To which we may add a 4th Degree of the *Catechumens*, which were called *Competentes*; and they were such as desired *Baptism*.

Catelet upon *Escaut*, a little, but strong T. of *France* in *Piccardy*, upon the Frontiers of *Hainault* and *Cambresis*. It was taken by the *Spaniards* in 1557, and once again in this Age, but restored to the *French* by the *Pyrenean Treaty* in 1659.

Caterlagh, a C. in the Prov. of *Lincoln* in *Ireland*, 30 m. from *Dublin*, which *Liam*, D. of *Clarence*, began to Wall; and which *Bellingham*, Lord Lieutenant of *Ireland*, fortified with a Castle.

Catharics, a Name the *Novatian Schismatics* gave themselves, signifying

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fyng Purity; accounting themselves more Holy, than the rest that professed Christianity.

Cathedral, the Episcopal Church of any place.

Catherine, a Virgin Saint of *Alexandria*, who is said to have been so learned, that at the Age of 18 Y. she disputed against, and got the better of 50 *Philosophers*, and suffer'd Martyrdom at last in the Y. 307, under the Reign of the Tyrant *Maximus*.

St. Catherine of *Stenna*, a Nun of the 3d Order of *St. Dominick*. There are several printed Letters attributed to this Saint, with some little Treatises of Devotion. She died in 1380, in the 33th Y. of her Age, and was Canonized by *Pius II.* in 1461.

Catherine de Medicis, Q. of *France*, was the only Daughter and Heiress of *Lawrence of Medicis D. of Urbin*, born Apr. 13. 1591. She had 10 Children after 10 Ys. Barrenness. She was thrice Regent of the Km. She permitted a Conference at *Poissi* between the *Papists* and the *Protestants*

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cing it, *Henry* cast off the *Pope's* Authority, separated from the Communion of *Rome*, banish'd *Catherine* to *Kimbolton*, forbidding her to be call'd Q. only *Pr. Arthur's* Widow. She, good Lady, spent her time in Meditations, and Acts of Devotion, till she died in 1536, being the 3d Y. after her *Divorce*. She bore her Misfortunes with Patience and Constancy, imputing them, as she had reason, to *Cardinal Wolsey*. When she felt the approach of Death, she writ the K. a Letter, which forc'd Tears from him at the reading of it.

Catherine of *Poland*, Q. of *Sweden*, Daughter of *Sigismund I. K. of Poland* and of *Bonne Force* his second Wife. She was married to *John* Prince of *Swedeland* and *D. of Finland*; who being imprison'd by *Eric* his Brother, the Princess *Catherine* kept him company during the 7 Ys. he was confined in Prison. A while after the *Swedes*, dissatisfied with *Eric's* Administration, they imprison'd him, and set *Pr. John* on the Throne again.

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Castine, descended of a Noble Family of *Rome*, a Man of so extravagant and wicked a Life, that his Expences, in frequent Debauches, reduced him to great Necessity; this put him upon a Design to enslave his Country, exterminate the Senate, plunder and rifle the publick Treasury, and finally to set the City on Fire; the Roman Army being then absent, and employed at the end of the World. To this purpose he rais'd Troops in *Tuscany*, but was defeated by *Anthony*, at the same time that his Accomplices were executed at *Rome*, A. R. 692.

Catillus, Bp. of *Lincoping* in *Sweden*, who bravely deliver'd his Country, in the XVth Age, from the Oppression and Tyranny of *Christiern K. of Denmark*; who taking advantage at the Absence of *Canutus*, who was banish'd by a Faction of his Subjects, invaded *Sweden* with all kind of Cruelties: but the Bp. taking up Arms, more by Policy than Strength, defeated the *Swedes*, and re-establish'd *K. Canutus* upon the Throne, who was of the Royal Line of *Sweden*.

Catuvulus, King of part of the *Eburones*, a people of the old *Gallia Belgica*, now the Diocess of *Lige*, by reason of his great Age being unable to undergo the Fatigues of War, and unwilling to disintangle himself dishonourably, poison'd himself with *Tew*, to prevent his falling into the hands of *Caesar*, and being carried in Triumph a Prisoner to *Rome*.

Cato, (*Marcus Porcius*) surnamed the *Censor*, Native of *Tusculum*, was brought to *Rome* by *Valerius Flaccus*, where he was chosen Tribune of the Soldiers for the Prov. of *Sicily*, about the 549th Y. of *Rome*; was afterwards made *Questor*, and after that raised to the Dignity of *Pretor*. He subdu'd *Sardinia* in 556: in 559 was chosen *Consul*; and having stoutly opposed *Antiochus the Great*, at his Return to *Rome* was made *Censor*, wherein he behaved himself with more integrity

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than any of his Predecessors, in administering Justice without the least suspicion of Partiality. He commonly repented of 3 things; 1. For spending a day without learning something. 2. For imparting a Secret to a Woman. 3. For going by Water when he might have gone by Land. In his Minority he compos'd an Oration; in his Old Age writ 7 Books of History, and had the Commendation from *Cicero*, That he was an excellent Orator, a good Senator, and an experienc'd and worthy General. He died *An. Rom.* 606, aged 86.

Cato, the *Pretor*, great Grandchild to the *Censor* above mention'd. He began in his tender Age to give such proofs of his Generosity and Affection for the *Commonwealth*, that being but 14 Ys. of Age, he desired a Sword to kill *Sylla*, Tyrant of his Country. His first Campaign was in 681, when the Slaves Rebelled: after that he led 1000 Foot into *Macedonia*, thence travell'd into *Asia*, at his Return was made *Questor*, and when *Castiline's* Conspiracy was discover'd in 690, he join'd with *Cicero* to punish the Accomplices, and opposed *Julius Caesar* in the open Senate. He always had a watchful eye upon the Intrigues of *Caesar* and *Pompey*; at length stuck to the latter, whom he consider'd as a Defender of the Republick. After the Battel of *Pharsalia*, and *Pompey's* Death, he withdrew to *Utica*, where hearing *Caesar* pursued him, he bid his Son try the Conqueror's Mercy: as for himself, he lay down upon his Bed, sent for *Plato's* Book of the Immortality of the Soul, and having read it over twice, thrust a Sword through his Body, and died A. R. 708. aged 48 Y.

Cato, (*Marcus Valerius*) was a Poet who lived in the 700 Y. of *Rome*, and wrote several Books, of which very few are remaining.

Catolica, a Borough of *Italy* in *Romania*; so call'd because among the

400 Bps. that were assembled in the Council at *Rimini*, there were some few Orthodox Christians that separated from the *Arians*, to celebrate their holy Mysteries in this place.

Catti, an ancient People of *Germany*, in the Country of *Hesse* and modern *Thuringia*.

Catullus, (*Caius* or *Quintus Valerius*) a Poet born at *Verona*. He was intimate with *Cicero* and *Plancus*, and most of the other great men of his time. We have 117 *Epigrams* of his Writing; his other Works are lost. He died *A. R.* 698.

Catunlyritus, (*John Baptist*) a *Grecian*, who studied at the College for that Country in *Rome*, and wrote against *Arcudius's* Book, which endeavoured the Reconciliation of the Greek and Latin Churches, but with more Heat than Judgment, and had success accordingly.

Catus, (*Elvius*) or according to others *Aelius*, a *Roman* Consul, celebrated both for his virtuous Life and

with Snow in the midst of Summer.

Causus, (*Aubigny*) a *Venetian* Lord and Bp. of *Corfu*, who collected the Errors of the Greek Church, and reduced them to the number of 30: the Book was never printed, but remains in Manuscript in the *French K's* Library. *Leo Allatius* treats him very comely, calling him a Fool, a Calumniator, and a man of no Wit or Judgment; who attributed to the whole Greek Church what he only saw at *Corfu*, without consulting the *Canons* and Constitutions of the *Greeks* before they were Conquer'd.

Cauzebée, a Town of *Normandy* in *France*, near the Bar of the *Seine*, famous for Hats.

Caruendish. This Noble Family derives its Descent from a younger Branch of the *Gernons*, a Family of great note, some Ages past, in the Counties of *Norfolk* and *Essex*; which afterwards being seated at *Caruendish* in *Suffolk*, assumed the Name of that place for their Surname. The first

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and since the Revolution, has always had the Honour of being one of the *Lords Justices of England* in his Majesty's Absence, and Lord High Steward of the King's Household; and *Charles*, who died unmarried. *William Lord Cavendish*, now Duke of *Devenshire*, married that noble and vertuous Lady, *Mary*, Daughter to *James* late D. of *Ormond*, by whom he has had Issue, *William*, *Henry*, and *Elizabeth*; which Lord *Henry*, a Gentleman of the greatest hopes, died in 1700, very much lamented by all that had the Honour to know him: but the most noble *William*, Lord Marquis of *Hartington*, the Heir and Hope of this Illustrious House, survives. Of this Noble Family was Sir *William Cavendish*, who, in the 18th of *James I* was advanced to the Degree of a *Baron* of this Realm, by the Title of Lord *Ogle*; as also of Viscount, by the Title of Viscount *Mansfield*; and upon the 17th of *Mar.* 3 *Car. I.* to the Dignity of *Baron Cavendish of Bolsover*, Earl of *Newcastle upon Tyne*, and Governour to Prince *Charles*; who, for the many and excellent Services he did *Charles I.* in the late Wars, was by Letters Patents, bearing date at *Oxford* the 27th of *Oct.* 19 *Car. I.* advanced to the Dignity of *Marquis of Newcastle*; and in the 16th of *Car. II.* to the Dignity of *Earl Ogle*, and *Duke of Newcastle*: The last of which Honours, is now in the House of *Clare*.

The *Caves* in *Wiltshire*, between *Luckington* and *Great Badmington*, being 9 in number, 4 foot broad, and 9 or 10 long, are credibly supposed, to be the *Tombs* of some *Heroick Men* among the ancient *Romans*, *Saxons*, and *Danes*, because Spurs and pieces of Armour have been digg'd out of them.

Cassini, (*Nicholas*) a *Jesuit* of *Troyes* in *Champaign*, was accounted a person of great Probity and Resolution. He push'd at *Cardinal Richelieu*; but

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that Minister being too weighty for him, got him banish'd. His Works, called *The Holy Court*, are generally esteemed, tho' very partial to his own side.

Cauvrestan, a great Village in *Perfia*, between *Car* and the Isle of *Ormus*, where Musk-melons are as big as our Gourds, and the best of all *Perfia*. Here are also *Radishes* that weigh 30 pound a piece.

Cawood, a Market T. in the W. Riding of *Yorkshire*, and the Hundred of *Barkston*.

Caxton, a Market-T. in *Cambridgeshire*, in the Hundred of *Slow*.

Cayenne, an Island of *Guiana*, upon the Coast of the N. Sea in *S. America*; where the Air is very temperate, tho' it is but 4 deg. N. of the *Equinoctial Line*; which makes the Days and Nights there to be almost all of a length.

Cayernites, little Islands near the W. Coasts of the Isle of *Espagnole*, much frequented for their *Indies*, which are here in great number, and very big: one of them will weigh 200 weight of Fleth, without counting the Fat, which they melt and eat with their Pulse; and some will yield 30 Quarts of Oyl. Their Fleth is of good Taste, and very nourishing, much resembling the best of our *English Veal*.

Cayet, (*Peter Victor*) was first a *Hugonet* Minister, and afterwards went over to the Church of *Rome*. He has publish'd a large Chronology, much valued by the great Lords at the Court of *France*.

Caym-Bearmila, the 24th *Califf* or Succellor of *Mahomet* in *Carvan* in *Barbary* in 986. who, with the assistance of the *Arabians*, in a short time made himself Master of *Africa Orientalis*, and afterwards of the W. till he became the powerfulllest Prince that ever reign'd in *Africa*; where his Succellors reigned after him 160 Y. till *Haddock*, the last *Califf*, gained

it; who was kill'd by *Saladin I. Souldan of Egypt*, in 1164.

Cayphas, a T. of *Palestine*, seated upon the *Mediterranean Sea*, at the Foot of *Mount Carmel*, only 2 L. by Water from *S. John of Acre*. It is now but a poor Village, having been ruin'd by Wars.

Cayt-Bey, Sultan of *Egypt* and *Syria*, born a Slave; but his Wit and Courage made him so highly considered among the *Mammelukes*, that with a general Consent they chose him for their K.

Cazan, or as others write, *Hazan*, an Officer in the *Jews Synagogues*, who repeats aloud the Prayers the *Jews* say in their Synagogues, and sings them when they sing. He is in a high place above the rest, when the *Rabbin* seats himself to preach.

Cebares, or *Ocbares*, the Name of *Darius's* Gentleman of the Horse, who, when the *Persians* had consented that he should be King whose Horse should first Neigh before the Sun rose up; the Night before the Day

succeeded him in the King's favour; and in the Reign of *Edw. VI.* was constituted one of the Principal *Secretaries of State*, and of the *Privy Council*, in which Posts he continued under the Reigns of *Q. Mary* and *Elizabeth*; which latter advanc'd him to the Dignity of a *Baron*, by the Title of *Lord Burleigh*; and in the 14th of her Reign constituted him *Lord Treasurer of England*, and valued him as her ablest Minister. She always made him sit down in her Presence, saying, *My Lord, we make use of you, not for your hind Legs, but for your good Head.* His Saying was, *Prudent qui patiens*; his Maxim, *Nolo minor me timeat, despiciatur major*; My Inferior shall not fear, my Superior shall not despise me. He died in 1598. *Thomas*, his Son and Heir, in 3 *Jac. I.* was created *Earl of Exeter*, and was succeeded by *William* his Son and Heir; whose Issue Male being extinct, it fell to *David Cecil*, Son and Heir to *Sir Richard Cecil*, second Son of *Thomas Earl of Exeter*, which Da-

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Issue 4 Sons, of which *James* succeeded him; who marrying ——— Daughter of ——— *Bennet* of ——— had Issue by her, *James* the present E. of *Salisbury*, who is now under age.

Cecilian, Deacon of *Mensurius*, Bp. of *Carthage*, who liv'd in the XIVth Age, was chosen Bp. in 306. He assisted at the Council of *Nice* in 325, and died a little after.

Cecropius, Bp. of *Sebastia*, assisted at the General Council of *Chalcedon* in 451, by which he was deputed, with two other Prelates, to summon *Dioscorus*, and carry him a Writing; and when that *Heresiarch* desired *Secular Commissioners*, the Holy Bp. answered, *It was not fit that Lay-men should be present at it, since the business only concern'd his own person.*

Cecropius, Bp. of *Nicomedia* in the 4th Cen. was an Abettor of the *Arrians*, and a cruel Persecutor of *Athenasius*, who in vindicating the truth of Christianity, had a world of Enemies.

Cecrops, the first of this Name, an Egyptian by Nation, was the first K. of the *Athenians*. He was surnamed *Diphyes*, either because he spoke two Languages, or because it was he that first brought in Marriages, and abolish'd the Custom of having Women in common, which till then was tolerated among the *Grecians*: And 'tis for this reason that all Antiquity thought he had two Faces.

Cecrops II. 7th K. of *Athens*: He succeeded his Brother *Erechtheus* A. M. 2705, and reigned 40 Ys.

Ecceus, Son of *Vulcan*, was conceiv'd (according to the Poets) of a Spark of Fire that flew into his Mother's Bosom, and had always an Inflammation in his Eyes, as a sign of what gave him his imaginary fanciful Being.

Cedes, a great and strong Town of Upper *Galilee*, upon the Mount of *Nephalim*, which was a Shelter and

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Place of Refuge, for all such as committed unwillful Murders, if they could escape before seizure.

Ceditius, (*Quintus*) Tribune of the Soldiers. Several Authors make mention of him, especially *Aulus Gellius*, who in his 3d Book and 7th Chapter, says that *Cato* compar'd him with the famous *Leonidas*, who at the head of a handful of *Lacedaemonians* deliver'd the *Greeks*, as he did the *Romans* in *Sicily*.

Cedron, a Torrent or Stream that runs through the middle of the Valley of *Jehosaphat*, near *Jerusalem*. Here are two little Bridges, with each one Arch, upon this Brook; one towards our *Lady's Sepulchre*, the other towards *Jehosaphat's Sepulchre*. This Torrent is much spoken of in Scripture.

Cedwel, K. of the *W. Saxons* in the 6th Cen. He attempted to Conquer the Km. of *Kent*, but miscarried.

Cefalonia, or rather *Cephalonia*, an Island of the *Ionian Sea*, belonging to the *Venetians*, near the Isle of *Zant*, about 100 Leagues in compass, fruitful in Wines, excellent Oyl, and of those Grapes whereof they make *Currans*; for which they have a great Trade with our *English Merchants*.

Ceilan, an Isle of *Asia*, in the *Indian Sea*, on this side *Ganges*, near the Cape *Comori* upon the Streight of *Mannar* or *Quilon*. The figure of the Island resembles a *Pearl*: Its Fruits, Flowers, and Plants, have a most pleasant Smell; and here is some *Cinnamon*, the best in the World; with all kind of other Drugs and precious Stones, Gold, and Pearls, which are fish'd in the Streights between *Ceilan* and the firm Land.

Cesonius, (*Lucius Elius Verus Commodus*) a very beautiful Young-man, adopted by *Adrian*, and made *Cesar*, tho' he was Son-in-law to *Nigrinus*, who had attempted the Death of that Prince. *Cesar* made him *Prætor*, gave him the Government of *Pannonia*, and

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named him *Consul*; but all could not preserve him from the effects of a cruel Distemper, of which he died *A. R.* 138.

Celestin, the first of this Name that was Pope, a *Roman* by Nation, who succeeded *Boniface I.* in 423, and held the Seat 8 Ys. 5 Mon. and 3 Days.

Celestin II. he succeeded *Innocent II.* Dec. 25. 1143, and died 5 Mon. and 13 Days after.

Celestin III. he crowned *Henry V.* and his Wife *Constance*. He was Pope 6 Ys. 9 Mon. and died in 1198.

Celestin IV. he succeeded *Gregory IX.* and died 18 Days after his Election, being never Crowned.

Celestin V. he succeeded *Nicholas IV.* the Chair being 2 Ys. vacant. *Bennet Cajetan*, who had a mind to be Pope, got him confined in the Castle of *Ancon*, where he died in 1296. †

Celstins, a Religious Order, deriving its Name from its Founder *Celestin V.* a Hermit, that followed the Rules of St. *Bennet*; and got the In-

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Celsus, (*Gaius Titus Cornelius*) a Tyrant that got up in *Africa* in the time of *Gallienus* the Emp. but was killed 7 days after by *Galliena*, his woman to the Emp. The Inhabitants of *Sicca* left his Body to be eaten by Dogs, and tied his Effigies to a Gallows.

Celsus, (*Aurelius Cornelius*) a Philosopher of the Sect of *Asclepiades*, who is commended by *Quintilian*. He wrote 8 Books of Physick, which are still remaining. The last Edition of them was printed at *Amsterdam*, with Notes, in 1687.

Celte, an ancient People, that came to inhabit in *Europe* after the Deluge; which some derive from *Celts* IX. K. of the ancient *Gauls*.

Celtes Protutius, (*Conrade*) born at *Schweinsfurt* upon the *Main*, in *Frankonia*. He was Poet Laureat to the Emp. *Frederick IV.* and the first *German* that had this Honour.

Cenete, a ruin'd T. in the Maritime *Alps*, near *Nice* in *Provence*. It was

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Cenis, one of the *Lapithæ*, was first a Girl called *Cenis*, whom *Neptune* chang'd into a Man, and made invulnerable.

Cenis, or *Mont Cenis*, the modern Name of that famous Passage of the *Alps*, which parts *Savoy* from *Piedmont*, and was anciently called *Alpes Cottæ*.

Censur, the Name of an Officer in *Rome*, who took care of the Reformation of Manners, and of Taxing and Valuing Estates. In short, they had Authority to correct any Irregularity, and see that persons in publick and private capacity behaved themselves as they ought to do. They held this Office 5 Ys.

Censorinus, (*Appius Claudius*) a Roman Senator of great Quality, and as great a Warriour, who was twice Consul, and *Præfectus Prætorio*, and Governor of the C. as often. He was chosen Emp. against *Claudius II.* in 268; but being too severe in punishing, was kill'd by the same Party, who rais'd him to the Imperial Dignity.

*Centaur*s, Monsters, half *Men*, and half *Horses*, believed by the Ancients to be the Sons of *Ixion*, or the *Night*. *Pliny* affirms, that he saw one of these Monsters embalm'd at *Rome*; and *Plutarch* avers the same, in his Feast of the 7 Sages: but *Palephatus* thinks the Fable was invented upon this, That some People of *Thessaly* that lived near *Mont Pelion*, having admirable Address and skill in Taming Horses, and being seen on Horseback by the neighbouring People, who never saw such Creatures before, were called *Centaur*s.

Centobrica, an ancient T. of the *Celtiberi* in *Spain*, which, when Besieg'd by the *Romans* under *Metellus*, plac'd *Korboген*'s Children before a Breach, because their Father was gone over to the *Romans*: but rather than so generous a Father should see the Massacre of his own Children, *Metellus* rais'd the Siege: whose Clemency and Good-nature work'd so

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much upon the *Celtiberians*, that they voluntarily opened their Gates, and let in the *Romans*.

Centurie, certain Parties of the Roman People, which consisted of 100 Men each. It was *Servius Tullius*, the 6th K. of *Rome*, that first made this Division, when he distinguish'd all the People into 6 Classes: The 1st Class was the richest of all, and had 30 *Centuries*; the 2d, 3d, and 4th Class, were each of 20 *Centuries*; the 5th had 30 *Centuries*; and the 6th comprehended all the meaner sort, and was counted but for 1 *Century*. These all gave their Suffrages upon extraordinary occasions in the Elections of Magistrates; and were ready to serve their Country.

Centurion, was Captain of a Roman *Century*, or Company of 100 Men. A *Legion* was 10 *Cohorts* or *Regiments*, and each *Cohort* of 6 *Centuries*; so that a *Legion* consisted of 6000 Men.

Centulphus, or *Kenulphus*, the 14th K. of the *Mercians*, remarkable for his Piety and Courage. He made War upon the K. of *Kent*, and took him Prisoner. He reigned 24 Ys, and died about 819.

Cephalus, Son of *Dejon* K. of part of *Phocia*, and Husband of *Procris* Daughter of *Ereätheus* K. of *Athens*. He was carried away by *Aurora*, who fell in love with him. She cou'd not persuade him to a compliance; yet *Procris* was very jealous of him, and contriving to watch him as he return'd from Hunting, she hid her self in the Bushes; but *Cephalus* supposing it had been a Deer, shot his Dart at it, and kill'd his Wife *Procris* unawares to him.

Cepheus, K. of *Arcadia*, Brother to *K. Eleus*; he was look'd on as *Invincible*, on the account of one of *Medusa*'s Hairs, which *Minerva* fastned to his Head, as an Antidote or Charm against Death.

Cepus, or *Cepuse*, a County of *Hun-*

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Sary, upon the Frontiers of *Poland*, towards the *Carpathian Mountains*.

Ceramicum, a famous place in *Athens*, where *Plato* kept his Academy.

Cerasus, an ancient T. of *Cappadocia*, upon the Coast of the *Euxine Sea*, and now called *Chiriffonda*. It was hence that first *Cherries* were brought into *Italy* by *Lucullus*. It was formerly a considerable place, but now is ruined, and thin of Inhabitants.

Cerberus, *Pluto's Dog*, who had 3 Heads, and as many Necks. The Poets feign him to be the Keeper of the Gate of *Pluto's Palace* in *Hell*, that caresses the unfortunate Souls that are sent thither, and devours them that would get out again: Yet *Hercules* tied him up, and made him follow. This Dog with 3 Heads represents the 3 Enemies of Mankind, and the *Hero* that chains them, is the Figure of a great Soul, which generously surmounts the Designs of its declared Enemies. 1

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Wives, or at least as many as he is able to maintain.

Ceres, Daughter of *Saturn* and *Ops*, desirous to find her Daughter which *Pluto* took from her, lighted 2 Torches upon Mount *Etna*, resolving to seek her Night and Day throughout all the Earth. But, not to waste time on Fables to hunt for *Morals*, *Ovid* says, That *Ceres* was the first that tilled the Ground, and furnish'd Men with Corn for their Food, and by good Laws learn'd them Justice, and the Manner of living in Society, to which before they were altogether Strangers.

Cerigo, *Cythera*, an Island upon the Coast of the *Morea*, belonging to the *Venetians*; the first Island of the *Archipelago* towards *Europe*, about 40 m. from *Candia*, and 60 in circuit; where the Poets say that *Venus* was born. It is now adorn'd with a City standing upon a Rock, having a Castle and a convenient Port to it, very strong by Nature and Art, of the same Name with it self, which is al-

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being heretofore an Abbey-T. standing in a Campaign Country, and water'd with a fine Rivulet.

Cervantes, Saavedra (Miguel) a *Spaniard*, born at *Sevil*: He was a person of an extraordinary Capacity, had a noble Genius, and a great deal of life and vigour in his productions. This Character is undeniable by his Writings.

Cesar, a Title of Honour which the *Roman* Emps gave their Sons, or to such as they adopted to be their Successors. The Title of the K. of the *Romans* in our days is something like it.

Cesar (Julius) first Emp. of *Rome*, Son to *Lucius Cesar* and *Aurelia* Daughter to *Cotta*, was born July 12. A. R. 654. The Dictator *Sylla* suspecting his ambitious Humour, would have had him put to Death; and when he was over-perswaded to pardon him, told his own Friends, that press'd him to it; *That he whose Interest was so dear to them at that time, should one day ruin their City.* After this *Cesar* goes to the Army in *Asia*, and at his return went to *Rhodes* to study under *Apollonius Molo*; but was taken by Pirates, who offer'd him his Liberty for 30 Talents; but he scorn-ing it at so low a price, gave them 50. As soon as he was out of their hands, he takes other Ships, attacks the same Pirates that took him, subdues them, and crucifies them all. The first Office he was rais'd to, was, *Tribune* of the Soldiers; then he was made *Ædilis*, and after that *Pontifex Maximus*, or *High Priest*: next he was constituted *Prætor*, and Governor of *Spain*; and at his Return, in 695, was chosen *Consul* with *Bibulus*, whom he depos'd and confined, because he would not consent to publish the *Agrian Law*. He subdued the *Gauls*, laid a Bridge over the *Rhine* to attack the *German*s, and conquer'd the Inhabitants of *Great Britain*. But while he was thus Victorious abroad, his

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Daughter *Julia* died at *Rome*, and his Friendship with *Pompey* ceased with her Life. They from henceforth regarded each other as *Rivals*; and as one could not endure a *Superior*, so the other could not abide an *Equal*. This drove them both to Arms, and after many sharp Conflicts, *Cesar* defeated *Pompey* in the Battel of *Pharsalia*, in the 706 Y. of *Rome*. This famous Victory, and the Death of *Pompey*, paved his way to the Imperial Throne, and that to his being murder'd in the Senate-House on the 15th of March, the 709th Y. of *Rome*, the 56th of his Age, and 43 Y. before the Nativity of our Saviour.

Cesarea, a T. of *Cappadocia*, named so by *Tiberius*.

Cesarea Philippi had that Name, because *Philip* the Son of *Herod* built it in honour of *Caligula*. It stood at the Foot of Mount *Libanus*, near the Springs of *Jordan*, and is thought to be the modern *Beline* or *Bolbec*. It was a Bishop's See, under the Metropolis of *Tyre*.

Cesarea, a T. of *Palestine*, built by *Herod the Great*, by the Sea-side, in a very advantageous place, called the Tower of *Straton*, and dedicated to *Augustus*. There is another *Cesarea* in *Africa*, very famous in the *Roman* History. The *Califer* demolish'd it in 959, yet there are still some signs of its Greatness.

St. *Cesareus*, Brother to St. *Gregory Nazianzen*, lived in the 4th Age. He studied in *Alexandria*, whence he came to *Rome*, where *Julian* the Apostate made him Overseer of the Treasury; but he soon quitted it, *that he might not give offence to the Christians by serving an Apostate*, and died in 368.

St. *Cesareus*, Abp of *Arles*, much renowned for his Learning and Piety, lived in the 6th Age, and died in 543, leaving us many Books of his own making.

Cesarini, (*Julian*) descended of a Noble Family of *Rome*, was, for his extra-

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extraordinary parts, made a Cardinal by Pope *Martin V.* in 1426; but in a Fight against the *Turks*, was either kill'd in the Battel, or murder'd by a Waterman, for his Mony, as he was escaping over the *Danube*.

Cestus, (*Bassus*) a Lyrick Poet and Historian, who lived in *Galba's* and *Nero's* time. *Persius* was his Friend, and address'd the 6th Book of his Satyrs to him.

Cesonia, the Emp. *Caligula's* Wife, was kill'd by *Julius Lupus*, as she wept over her murder'd Husband's Corps, in 41: She expos'd her naked Neck to the Cut-throats, and suffer'd with great Constancy. Her Daughter *Julia Drusilla*, tho' then but an Infant, was barbarously strangled with her.

Cesse, a R. of the Dutchy of *Luxemburg*; which, after it has pass'd *Hann* upon *Hesse*, empties it self into a frightful Cavern, and runs underground for a L. together: then appears again as fair and clear as when it enter'd it. Attempts have been

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well inhabited, and has some Mines of Lead and Tin.

Ceurawash, the Name of a Sect of the *Bannians* in the *Indies*, that hold the *Metempsychosis* with so much Superstition, that they will not kill the least Insect. They neither believe there is a Heaven nor a Hell; but hold, That the Soul is immortal, and passes from one Body into another. They burn the Bodies of their old People after their Death; but bury young Children that die under 3 Ys. of Age.

Ceuta, a T. and Castle of *Africa*, belonging to the *Spaniards*, near the Streights of *Gibraltar*, in the Km. of *Fez*, which was formerly Capital of *Mauritania Tingitana*: It has been long besieged by the *Moors*, and hitherto as bravely defended by the *Spaniards*, who are very unwilling to lose it.

Chabannes, (*James II.*) Lord of the *Palice* of *Passi*, Marechal of *France*, and one of the greatest Generals of his time. He did his Prince great

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Chagan, K. of the *Auari* or *Huns*, who made Incursions into *Thrace*, in the Reign of the Emp. *Mauritius*, in 598; but was unsuccessful. The Name *Chagan* was common to all the Princes of the *Huns*.

Cha-Gehan, K. of the *Indies*, second Son to *Gehan-Guir*, usurp'd the Crown which of Right belong'd to *Belak* Son of *Kasra* his eldest Brother: and having got into possession by a Stratagem, exercis'd all sorts of Cruelties to keep it, putting all to Death that shew'd any affection to his Nephew: but all would not do; for, as he usurp'd the Crown from the lawful Heir, so he was justly deprived of it by one of his own Sons, called *Aureng-Zeb*: who having defeated the rest of his Brothers that pretended to the Crown, upon a false Report that their Father was dead, and secur'd the King's person in *Agra*, all the Kingdom declar'd for him: and *Cha-Gehan* seeing himself abandon'd by his Subjects, who now own'd no other Prince than *Aureng-Zeb* for their Sovereign, died in 1666.

Chagford, a m. T. in *Devonshire*, in the Hundred of *Wenford*, 152 m. from *London*.

Chalcedon, or *Calcedon*, a City of the Lower *Asia*, in *Bithynia*, a Bp's See under the Patriarch of *Constantinople*, of great Antiquity, and much celebrated in History; but now reduced to the meanness of a poor Village, call'd by the *Turks* *Calcedin*. It stands on the Mouth of the *Propontis*, over against *Constantinople*, remarkable for the 4th General Council celebrated here, in 451.

Chalcis, the ancient Name of the Island and T. of *Negropont*; also a T. in *Ætolia* in *Greece*; with another in *Syria*, occurring in the Writings of the Ancients, but now unknown.

Chaldæa, a Prov. of *Asia* in *Assyria*, between the *Euphrates*, the *Tygris*, the *Persian* Gulf, and the Mountains of *Arabia Deserta*. It is now called *Cur-*

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distan, and possess'd by the *Turks*. The ancient *Caldæa* was divided into two parts; the one N. of *Misopotamia*, in which stood *Ur*, the Country of *Abraham*; the other S. of *Babylon*, in which the Philosophers lived and flourish'd, whose Fame became extended all over the E. and whose Enquiries gave the first Birth to *Astronomy*, *Philosophy*, and *Theology*. *Babylon* was the Capital of the ancient *Caldæa*.

Chalon, or *Gbalons* upon *Marne*, a T. of *France*, 7 m. from *Rheims* to the S. E. and 12 from *Troyes* to the N. W. It is well built, and fortified. The Bishops of it are Earls and Peers of *France*.

Chalon, or *Chalons* upon *Saône*, is a T. of the Duchy of *Burgundy*, and has the Title of a County. Its Antiquity is apparent in the great number of Statues, Inscriptions, Remains of an Amphitheatre, and Pieces of publick Structures, to be seen here still.

Chalvetti, the Founder of several Religious Orders amongst the *Turks*.

Chalus, or *Chalvus*, a Borough of *France*, in *Limosin*; at whose Siege *Richard II.* K. of *England* being shot with an Arrow, died of the Wound; and yet forgave him that did it, when in his power.

Cham, one of *Noah's* 3 Sons, and youngest of the 3, was born, according to the more common Opinion, A. M. 1559, which was the 502 of *Noah's* Age. Some are of opinion, that *Jupiter Ammon* of the *Egyptians* is the same with this *Cham*. It is also a Name of the Ks. of *Tartary*: and the Lords of the Court, the Governours of Provinces, and chief Judges of *Persia*, are called *Couns*.

Chamber of Accompts, a Sovereign Company in *France*, appointed to Receive and Oversee the Accompts of the K's Officers. There are nine in *France*; one at *Paris*, the like at *Rouen*, at *Dijon*, at *Nants*, at *Montpellier*, at *Grenoble* in *Dauphine*, at *Aix* in

Provence, at *Lille* in *Flanders*, at *Pau* in *Navarre*, besides that of *Blois* for the Appanage of the Dukes of *Orleans*. In that of *Paris*, besides the first and 10 other Presidents, are about 70 *Masters of Accompts*, 30 *Corrèctors*, 74 *Auditors*, with several other inferiour Officers, who serve in their turns, and examine and judge *Sovereignly* of all that belongs, either to the Receiving or Disbursing the K's Treasure.

Chambers, Capital of *Savoy*, the ancient Residence of the Duke, and Seat of Parliament, which they call a *Senate*, because it consisted of *Senators* and 4 *Presidents*. The *T.* is well built, and has a Castle that commands it. The Houses in many places toward the Streets are built upon Pillars which form a Gallery, and are good places to walk in, in rainy Weather. The *Maid* is pleasant, and much resorted to.

Chamber, one of the French K's Houses, 3 *Li.* from *Blois* towards *Orleans*, begun by *Francis I.* and finish'd by

ving *Lorraine* and *Franche Compté* to the E. the *Isle of France* and *Gatinoué* to the W. *Burgundy* to the S. and part of *Lucembourg* and *Hainault* to the N. The chief Counts of *Champagne* had the Title of *Palatins*, and 7 inferiour Counts their Vassals, which they called *Peers of Champagne*: but when the Ks. of *France* became Masters of it, they chang'd this Method.

Champaigne, (*Philip* of) a famous Painter, born at *Brussels* in 1602, who having profited much in his own Country, was advised to travel into *Italy*; but coming to *Paris*, Mr. *De Chesne*, Painter to Q. *Mary of Medici*, was so taken with him, that he kept him at his House, and married his Daughter to him: and he himself dying some time after, *Champaigne* was chosen to be the Q's chief Painter, where he perform'd things to Admiration; and dying in 1674, left his Nephew *John Baptista of Champaigne*, whom he himself brought up, Heir of his Wealth and Parts.

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Emprors *Questor Sacri Palatii*. The *Englsh* call him the *Lord Chancellor of England*, and the Keeper of the K's Conscience, having the Power of *Equity* to abate the Rigour of the *Common Law*. He presides in the K's Councils, declares his Majesty's Pleasure to the Parliament, and sits there before him on his left hand. *Chancellor* of the *French Academy* is the second Dignity of that Society. *Chancellor* or *Grand Prior of France* is he that seals the Commissions and Acts of the Chapter or Assembly of Knights. In *Germany* the *Lord High Chancellor* is constantly the *Abp. of Mentz*, but in *England* he is chosen at the K's Pleasure, and at present that Office is supplied by the Right Honourable Sir *Nathan Wright*, under the Title of *Lord Keeper of the Great Seal*.

Changchempa great T. of the Prov. of *Fokien* in *China*, Capital of a Jurisdiction of the same Name. On the S. side where the R. *Chanes* streams by the T. is a magnificent Bridge of 36 great and high Arches, with Houses and Shops upon it, where one may be accommodated with Rarities of *China* and other Trading Countries. The T. is well peopled; the Inhabitants are both witty and laborious; but naturally Sharpers, and much given to their Pleasures. Here have been found ancient Remains of the *Christian Religion*, with part of the Holy Scriptures in *Latin*, writ in *Gothick* Letters on Parchment, which the *Chinois* that was possess'd of it, would not sell at any Price, saying he would preserve it in his Family, as a Curiosity left by his Ancestors. There is another great T. of the same Name in the Prov. of *Nanking* in *China*, where are made Earthen Vessels much esteemed for the pleasing Relish they give their *Chs* or *Thee*.

Changte, a great T. Capital of a Territory that bears its Name, in the

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Prov. of *Honan* in *China*, where is a sort of Fish that cries like a young Child when taken, and is like a small Crocodile; its fat is of that strange Nature, that when once it flames, neither Water nor any thing else can quench it.

Changte, another great T. in the Prov. of *Huquank* in *China*, which exceeds all others in Fertility, and produces Oranges, which they call Winter ones, because they grow when the Season of all the rest is past. It also abounds in *Azure Stones*, and has some *Manna* of excellent use in Physic's.

Chantilly, an ancient and strong Castle 8 Ls. from *Paris*, and 2 from *Senlis*, near the Forest of this Name. It has fair Gardens and pleasant Waters, which renders it one of the most delightful Places of the Km.

Chaocheu, a great T. in the Prov. of *Quantung* in *China*; the Tide coming up to the very Walls, makes it a T. of considerable Merchandizing, and a very safe Port.

Chaoxing, a great T. of the Prov. of *Quantung* in *China*, whose private Houses as well as public Buildings, are very sumptuous. In the Country about it are great numbers of wild and tame Peacocks, which are very scarce in the other Provinces. In one of the Rs. here, are Fish call'd the *Swimming Cow*, which comes sometimes on the Land, and fights with the other Cows. Near the C. of *Sinbing* in this Prov. is a strange Lake, call'd by the Inhabitants *Dragons*, because as soon as the least Stone is cast into it, it returns as great a Noise as if it thunder'd, and immediately the Sky darkens, which is soon followed with Rain. Some say there is such a Lake in the *Alps*.

Chapclains, a second Order of *Maltre*, the first being that of Knights. These *Chapclains* receive Deacons Orders that they may be promoted to be Priests.

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Chappars, an Officer among the *Persians*, who carry Expresses from the K. to the Governors of Provinces, and from them back again to the K. They may dismount any Horseman they meet, if they find their own Horses weary, or fear they will not perform their Journey: And there is no Pardon for any Traveller, that shall refuse to let a *Chappar* have his Horse, or for any other that shall deny him the best Horse in his Stable.

Chappel in the *Pirch*, or *Chappel* of *Firth*, a m. T. in *Derbyshire*, in the Hundred of *High Peak*, 154 ms. from *London*.

Charadg, or *Gharag*, is a Tribute or Custom, which the Christians and *Jews* are obliged to pay the Grand Seignor, as soon as they arrive to trade in any of his Ports, and amounts to 4 Crowns a Head.

Charenton, the Name of several Places in *France*, whereof the most considerable is about a L. from *Paris*, near the Place where the R. *Seine* and *Marne* join. This is a great

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Charibert, K. of *Aquitain*, Son of *Clotaire II*, K. of *France*. Having an Appanage from his Brother *Dagobert I*, he fix'd his Residence at *Tholaufe*, where he was hardly settled when he dy'd in 630, and was soon followed by his Son *Chilperick*, a sucking Child, thought to be made away by *Dagobert*.

Charicle, Daughter of *Hydaspes* K. of *Aethiopia*, who was born *White*, because the Queen her Mother, when big with Child of her, had often beheld the Picture of a beautiful young Woman, that was extraordinary white; yet this Colour being uncommon in that Country, the Queen was in some fear, lest her Husband should suspect her Honesty; but soon after, to her great Satisfaction, there appear'd a round Spot of the Colour of *Ebony*, upon the Princess's Arm, a Mark almost Hereditary to the Family of *Hydaspes*.

Charilaus, K. of *Lacedaemon*, of the Family of *Proclides*, reign'd about 64 Ys. being obliged to his Uncle *Ly-*

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lick Service, assigning them a Maintenance out of the Revenues of the Hospitals and Infirmaryes of *France*, with a House at *Paris* in the Suburb of *St. Marcellus*. Those of this Order wear a Cloak with a Cross on the left side, with these Words embroidered in Gold, *for having served faithfully*.

Charite of our Lady, a Religious Order that observes *St. Austin's* Rule, established in the Dio. of *Chalon* in *Champagne*, by *Guy* Lord of *Joinville*, and of the Borough of *St. George*.

Chariton, of *Agrigentum*, who to revenge a young Man that he lov'd, call'd *Melanippus*, undertook to kill *Phalaris*, Tyrant of that Country; but the Design being discovered, *Melanippus* goes immediately to the Tyrant, and to save *Chariton's* Life, tells him it was he that put him upon the Undertaking, which Friendship so surpriz'd the Tyrant, that he forgave both, on Condition they should quit the Country.

Charkliqueu, a T. in *Cappadocia* in the lesser *Asia*, 2 Ls. from *Tocat*, standing in a fruitful Country for Wine. There is the Rock not far from it, which served in the Exile of *St. Chrysostrum*, for the Place of his Retreat, very much frequented by devout Christians.

Charlemont, a small, but very strong T. in the most Southern Borders of the Co. of *Namur*, upon the R. *Meuse*, about 4 m. S. of *Dinant*, and 9 from *Namur*, formerly belonging to the Bpk. of *Liege*.

Charlemont, an old Castle in the Prov. of *Ulster* in *Ireland*, in the Co. of *Armagh*, surrendred May 14, 1690, to the Duke of *Schomberg* upon Articles for want of Provisions, having defended it self for 6 Months, in the midst of all the Garrisons belonging to the said General, to Admiration.

Charleroy, a new built strong T. in *Namur*, where the Village of *Charney* stood, built by the *Spaniards*

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in 1666, and so called from the then K. of *Spain*. It was taken by the *French* in 1667, and restored by the Treaty of *Nimeguen*, to the *Spaniards*. In 1693, it was again taken by the *French*, and restored again to the right Owners by the Treaty of *Reswick* in 1697, with all its Artillery.

Charles the IVth, Emp. K. of *Bohemia*, and Duke of *Luxemburg*, was chosen upon the Request of Pope *Clement VI*, a Y. before *Louis* of *Bavaria's* Death in 1346. He was Crown'd at *Rome* in 1355, and the next Y. made that famous Constitution called the *Golden Bull*. He had such Affection for the Clergy, that he was called the Emp. of Priests. He added *Bohemia*, *Lusatia*, and *Silesia* to the Empire; and it is said of him, that as he ruined his Family to come to the Empire, so he undid this to re-establish that again. He dy'd Nov. 29, 1378, at *Prague* in *Bohemia*, being 63 Ys. of Age, and having reigned 32.

Charles V, Emp. and K. of *Spain*, Eldest Son of *Philip I*, Arch-Duke of *Austria*, and of *Jane Q.* of *Castile*, succeeded his Father in the Km. of *Spain*, in 1517, and was chosen Emp. 2 Ys. after by the Electors at *Frankfort*, after the Death of his Grandfather *Maximilian*. This Emp's Army took *Rome* in 1527, and plunder'd it 2 Months, without respect to the Pope or any thing else; during which time it was observed, that the *Spaniards*, tho' Papists, out-did the *Germans*, who were profess'd Lutherans. The Emperor pretended to be dissatisfied with their Proceedings, but it was well known that under-hand he countenanc'd their Violences. In the mean time the Pope ransoms himself, and makes an Agreement with *Charles* in 1529, who also concluded a Peace with *Francis I*, at *Cambray*, the same Y. He made War against *France*, which was ended by the Peace of *Nice* in 1538. He lead an Army into *Africa*

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Africa against *Barbarossa*; but this Enterprize proved unfortunate, and he returned into *Spain* with great loss. Papists accuse him for countenancing *Lutheranism* in *Germany*, by his Edict called the *Interim*, which was done for no other end, but to reap benefit by these Divisions. He made 50 different Voyages and Journeys; 9 into *Germany*, 10 into *Flanders*, 6 into *Spain*, 7 into *Italy*, 4 into *France*, 2 into *England*, 2 into *Africa*, 8 upon the Mediterranean, and 2 upon the Ocean, and at length shewed there was a Limit to the *Plus Ultra*, which was his Motto; for he withdrew from the World, and resign'd all his Possessions to his Son *Philip*, on the 25th of *October* at *Brussels*, and spent the Remainder of his Life in the Convent of *St. Justus*, in the Province of *Extremadura*, 8 m. from *Palenza* in *Spain*, dying there *Sept.* 21, 1558, being 58 Ys. and 7 Months of Age, whereof he held the Empire 38 Ys. 2 Months, and 24 Days.

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Lean, and Discontents run higher and higher. A third Parliament was call'd *March* 17, 1627, who gave a Summary of their Grievances, and to obviate Inconveniences, brought in the Bill call'd the *Petition of Right*, which was signed by the K. to their Satisfaction; but Mr. *Selden* and other Members, taking some unusual Freedoms in their Remonstrances, were committed to the Tower, and the Parliament soon after dissolved. The K. levies Ship-mony by the Advice of his Council and Judges, and Mr. *Hambden* contests the Point at Law with his Majesty. The *Scots* set up a Covenant against the K's Authority, which was a Combination against all that should oppose them, not excepting the K. and to back their Pretensions, march a first and second Army into *England*, and, as the Earl of *Bristol* said in Parliament, cost *England* 1100000*l.* besides a dishonourable Peace. Another Parliament was called at *Westminster* *Nov.* 3, 1640, where they insisted upon their old

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and *Ireton* heading a Faction my (call'd *Independants*) a Parliament, took the K. Parliament into their own, upon pretence of using; but making themselves of the C. of *London*, acted at on. During the absence of, who went to fight the *Scots Duke Hamilton*, the Parliament re-assumed their Treaty the K. who made such Con- that there was great hopes : commodation; the two Hous- ing voted the K's preliminary unce, a good Foundation for : But this Complexion of was soon chang'd by the Ar- o headed by *Ireton*, *Cromwel's* law, over aw'd the House to ff the Treaty by their Vote - *Addresse* : and now the Ar- ng wholly at *Cromwel's* Devo- : sets Agitators on work to that the K. be brought to Ju- and having imprisoned some of mbers, and frighted away o- at abhor'd these Practices, 'till aining *Jurists* were all of a and perfectly in *Cromwel's* In- this Remainder of a Parlia- rected the *High Court of Justice*, he K. and to proceed to Sen- and Execution according to the of the Cause. The Generali- the People look'd upon this as an abominable *Insolence* : resbyterian Ministers cry'd out it in their *Pulpits*; the *Scots* ed against it, and the Amba- of Foreign Princes did their to oppose it. Before this pre- Court the K. was accused of *Treason*; who maintaining his ter, and refusing to acknow- the Authority of these pretend- ges, had Sentence of Death upon him, and after a great ma- ises by the Soldiers, was behead- in a Scaffold, erected for that pur- efore the *Banqueting House* at

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Whitehal. This execrable Murder was committed on the 30th of *January*, 1648. This K. to speak a Word of him by way of Character, was a Prince of great Abilities for the Fun- ctions of Government, of great Reg- ularity of Life, and Equality of Temper; well furnished both with Capacity and Resolution to ad- vise in the Cabinet, and execute in the Field. His greatest Misfortune seems to have lain, in his too modest Sense of his own Sufficiency. This Diffidence made him sometimes be over-rul'd, by other Mens Opinions worse grounded than his own. To conclude, his Works printed in Fo- lio, sufficiently shew the Extent of his Knowledge, the Strength of his Reason, and the noble manner of his Expression; there being a peculiar Force and Delicacy in his Compo- sitions, hardly to be met with in the Age he lived in. He died with great Composedness and Christian Forti- tude, and declar'd himself of the Communion of the *Church of England*, as it was settled in the Time of his Father K. *James I*.

Charles II, K. of Great Britain was Son to *Charles I*, by *Henrietta Maria*, Daughter of *Henry IV*, of *France*. He was born *May 29*, 1630. Being at the *Hague* when his Father was mur- dered, he was honourably entertained by the States of *Holland*; while the Rebels in *England*, without either Fear or Shame, abolish Kingly Go- vernment, and turn all things upside down. The *Scots*, after some time, seem'd to repent of their infamous delivering of the K. up to the *English*, which they now find was but a lead- ing Step to his Murther, and there- fore to atone for that Crime, endea- vour to restore *Charles the II*d, but all such Endeavours by Arms, either by his well affected Subjects of *Eng- land* or *Scotland*, proving ineffectual. The Rebels themselves at length grew giddy and infatuated, by their various turn.

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turning from one Form of Government to another; 'till at length the long Rebellious Juncto dissolving themselves, and a Parliament or rather a Convention, meeting at *Westminster* on the 25th of *April*, 1660, consisting of 2 Houses, Lords and Commons; they sent Commissioners to the K. together with considerable Presents to his Majesty, and the Dukes of *Tork* and *Gloucester*. Admiral *Montague* delivers up the Fleet to his Majesty, who coming on Board the Admiral, landed at *Dover*, and made a splendid Entrance into *London*, May 29, 1660. His Reign, tho' disturbed with several Plots of the old Rebels, to destroy the K. and to restore their Idol of a Common-Wealth, and repeated Wars with the *Dutch*, was generally happy, and the Nation thrived by Commerce and Plenty; 'till 1678, that *Oates's* Plot was started, and then the K. or Nation never enjoyed any Quiet, 'till Death did him of his Troubles.

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1683, the *Rye-House-Plot*, for assassinating the K. and the D. of *Tork*, was discover'd. The Duke of *Monmouth* upon his Submission was restor'd to the K's Favour, and in a Letter to the K. own'd himself concern'd in the Conspiracy of seizing the K's Guard and his Person; but not in that part of it which related to the Murder of the K. and the D. This Y. being 1684, upon *Monday*, *February* 2, the K. fell sick of an *Apoplexy*, dy'd on the *Friday* following in the 55th Y. of his Age. and was buried in *Hen.* the *VIIth's* Chappel.

Charles I., called the *Great*, and commonly *Charlemain*, K. of *France*, and Emp. of the *W.* Born about the Y. 742, was Crown'd at *Noyon* in 768, after the Death of his Father, *Pepin the Short*, and after the Death of his Brother *Charlemain*, that had *Austrasia* for his Share, became sole and absolute Monarch of *France*. He subdu'd the *Saxons* a first and second time, and forc'd them to submit

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second Wife, Daughter of *Velfo*, Count of *Bavaria*. He was born at *Frankfurt* upon the *Maine*, in 823, and succeeded his Father in 840. He was crown'd Emp. by Pope *John VIII*, but did not long enjoy that Honour; for endeavouring to become Master of *Italy*, under Colour of supporting the Interest of his Niece *Hermangarde*; *Basen* this Princess's Husband thwarted his Designs, and forc'd him to return to *France*, where he died at *Briord* in *Bresse* the 6th of *October*, 877, and was buried at *Nantua*: He was thought to be poison'd as he came back from *Italy*, by the Treachery of his Physician, who was a *Jew*.

Charles III, through the weakness of his Brain, call'd the *Simple*, born of Queen *Adelaide* in *Sept.* 879, after his Father, *Lewis* the *Lisper's* Death. *Charles* the *Burly*, and then *Eudes*, Sons to *Robert* surnamed the *Strong*, govern'd the Km. in his Minority, and are for this only Reason put into the number of the Ks. by several Historians; but at last *Foulques* Abp. of *Rheims*, a Prelate of great Courage, procur'd him to be Crown'd in 893. His Reign, tho' peaceable at the first, was afterward much disturb'd by Competitors, who at length drew him to *St. Quintin* upon *Samme*, where they made him Prisoner, whence he was carry'd to *Castle Thierry* upon the *Marn*; where he dy'd after six Ys. Confinement in 929, and was buried at *St. Feurs*.

Charles IV, called the *Fair*, K. of *France* and *Navarre*, was third Son of *Philip* Count of *Marche*, by *Jean* Q. of *Navarre*, who being dissatisfied that *Edw. II*, K. of *England*, did not assist at his Coronation, took in all the Places in *Guienne* that belong'd to the *English*, in 1324, 'till the Council of *England* thought it fit to send *Q. Isabella*, *Charles's* Sister, with her eldest Son *Edward*, to do him Homage, and to negotiate a Peace, which suc-

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ceeded. After this, the Pope proffer'd this K. the Empire, which he refused, and soon after fell ill and died at *Bois de St. Vincennes* in 1327, without Issue Male.

Charles V, called the *Wise* and *Eloquent*, eldest Son of *John* and *Bonne* of *Luxemburg*, born in 1337, was the first that took the Quality of *Dauphine*, a Title which belongs to the eldest Son of *France*, by *Humbert's* leaving it to them. His Reign lasted 16 Ys. during which time, tho' he seldom took the Field himself, but carried on the War by his Brothers and Generals, yet he gave the *English* more Trouble than any of his Predecessors. He drove them out of *Berry*, *Tourain*, *Anjou*, *Limosin*, and *Rovergne*; gain'd the Battel of *Chize*; and sunk the Interest of the *English* very low. He dy'd in 1380, as he was forming other Designs. It was said that the K. of *Navarre* got him poison'd some Ys. before, but that the Violence of the Venom was abated by an Issue, which the Emp's Physicians order'd to be cut in his Arm, to give it vent, which drying up occasion'd his Death. His Body was buried at *St. Denys*, his Heart at *Roan*, and his Entrails at *Maubisfontain*.

Charles VI, surnamed the *Beloved*, born at *Paris* *December* 3, 1368, succeeded his Father at 13 Years of Age. His Reign was of 42 Ys. but unfortunate; for the extraordinary Taxes that he laid upon his Subjects, run them into Rebellion. As he was going out of *Mons* in the beginning of *August*, the violent Heat of the Sun discomposed his Brain; which Evil was increased by a Fright, occasion'd by a disfigur'd and ghastly Fellow's coming up to him, taking his Bridle, and speaking thus, *Stop King, whither go you? you are betray'd*, and then immediately disappeared. To crown this Misfortune, a Page that carried his Lance

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being sleepy, ran the point, by meer chance, against the Head-piece that another carried before him, which confirm'd the K. in his belief, that he was going to be delivered up to his Enemies, and put him into such a violent Frenzy, that he swooned away; but he came to himself, and was pretty well after; until being at a Masquerade to divert himself, he relaps'd into his Frenzy, being frighted by a Fire that took in one of the Actors pitch'd Garments. In 1394, he made a 4 Ys. Truce with the *Engliss*, but his Troubles multiplying at Home, he was much dejected, and dy'd the 21st. of *October*, 1402, in the 52^d. Y. of his Age.

Charles VII. surnamed the *Victor*, Son to *Charles the VIth*, born at *Paris* in *February*, 1403, got himself crown'd at *Poitiers*, after his Father's Death, whilst his Mother, and some others, proclaimed *Henry VI.* Son to *K. Henry V.* of *England*, and

ceded his Father at 13 Ys. of Age, in 1483, and was crown'd the Y. after at *Rheims*. His first warlike Action was in suppressing a Rebellion rais'd by *Louis Duke of Orleans*. Then he sent Home *Margaret*, Daughter to the Emp. *Maximilian*, to whom he was contracted, and in 1491, marries *Anne of Britany*, whom the Arch-Duke of *Austria* had married by Proxy. After this he marched into *Italy*, and made himself absolute Master of *Naples* and its Territories in less than 4 Months, and returning into *France*, dy'd in 1498, the 27th Y. of his Age, and 14th of his Reign.

Charles IX. second Son of *Henry II.* and of *Catherine de Medici*, was born at *St. Germain en Laye*, in 1550, succeeded his Brother *Francis II.* at 11 Ys. of Age, and was Crown'd and Anointed in 1561, at *Rheims*. In his time began the War between the *Papists* and *Hugonots* of *France*, where the whole Em. was a restless Disorder.

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ing any thing, he was deposed in 887, and reduced to so low a Condition, that he was scarce able to subsist, having but an inconsiderable Pension from his Nephew *Arnoul*, to whom he had left the Empire. This hard usage broke his Heart soon after, for he dy'd Jan. 13, 888.

Charles Martel, Major of the Court or Palace, and Prince of *France*, was Son to *Heristel*, descended of *Ferreol*, *Præfatus Prætoris* of the *Gauls*. He was a great Warriour, which got him the Name of *Martel*. He defeated *Mainfroy*, and made him Master of the Government of *France*. He overthrew the *Saxons*, the *Germans*, the *Bovarians*, and *Noricians*. Afterwards he took *Burgundy*, *Aquitain*, drove the *Saracens* out of *Avignon* and *Languedock*, and beat the Duke of *Narbon* out of *Marseilles* and *Provence*, for being the occasion of their coming. He dy'd at *Cress* upon *Oise*, in 741, being 50 or 55 Ys. of Age, whereof he govern'd 26.

Charles of *France*, Count of *Valois*, *Alencon*, *Chartres*, *Anjou*, and *Maine*, Peer of *France*, and youngest Son of *Philip the Bold*, was born in 1270, and afterwards surnamed *Defender of the Church*; was a K's Son, Brother to another, Uncle to three, and Father of a K. but was not one himself; for tho' Pope *Martin IV.* invested him with the Title of K. of *Aragon*, he quitted it for Peace, and the publick Good. He was a great General, and supported the Interest of the Church; for which Pope *Boniface VIII.* created him *Vicar and Defender of the Church*, Count of *Romania*, and Peace-Maker of *Tuscany*. He was employed in the Reigns of his three Nephews, and sent by *Charles the Fair*, against the K. of *England* in *Guienne*; where he subdu'd all the Country between the R. *Dardogne* and *Garonne*.

Charles, Prince of *Spain*, known by the Name of *Carlos*, Son of *Phi-*

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lip II, and *Mary* of *Portugal*, was born in 1545. He was of a melancholy, violent, and jealous Humour, and never slept but with naked Swords, and Fire Arms under his Pillow. His great Ambition to command, made his Father suspect he might undertake something to compass his Desires, and fearing he should go over to the *Dutch*, he seized him in the Night, discharged his Retinue, and kept him under a strict and severe Confinement. This usage put *Don Carlos* into such Despair, that he cast himself into the Fire; at another time almost choaked himself with a Diamond; but being prevented, he fasted two whole Days and then drank so much cold Water, that he almost kill'd himself. A little after this K. *Philip* got him poison'd, or as others say, strangled; however he dy'd July 24, 1568. Some think it was Jealousy put the K. upon this Extremity, for *Carlos* being to marry the Queen, and deceived of her by his Father, there seem'd some kindness between them afterwards; and there is some reason for this Opinion, because the Queen dy'd also the *October* following, not without Suspicion of being poison'd also.

Charles II. K. of *Spain*, was born at *Madrid* Nov. 6, 1661, and succeeded his Father *Philip IV.* in 1665. He took the Government upon him, and was declared a Major in 1676. He had 2 Wives, *Mary Louisa* of the House of *Orleans*, married in 1679, and *Mariana*, Princess of *Newburg*, to whom he was married in 1690. He lived an unactive, sickly Life, and dy'd in *October* 21, 1700, in the 39th Year of his Age. Before his Death he made a *Will*, or one was made for him, that is like to involve *Europe* in a bloody War.

Charles, surnamed *Martel*, the first of this Name, Son to *Charles II.* called the *Lame*, K. of *Naples* and *Sicily*,

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eily, and Count of *Provence*, was born in 1272, and came to the Crown in 1290, because his Mother, *Mary* of *Hungary*, Daughter to *Stephen V*, was Sister to *Ladislaus IV*, who died that very same Y. but could not take Possession of the Km. because *Andrew*, surnamed the *Venetian*, *Q. Mary's* Kinsman, was enthroned by the *Hungarians*. He dy'd in 1301.

Charles II, called the *Bad*. He was Crown'd in *Pampelune* in 1349, and came 4 Ys. after into *France*, with a Train of Miseries; for he got *Charles de la Cerda*, Constable of *France*, to be stab'd in 1353. He poison'd *Gaston Phibus*, Count of *Foix*, by the help of his Son *Gaston*, who innocently gave his Father the Poison, which he thought was a *Love Potion*, to make him send for his Mother *Agnes*, whom the Count had sent away. At last the Prince that caus'd so much Disorder, was himself burnt alive; for being wrapt up in Cloth sleep'd in strong Water and Limston, to

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elty, massacred all the *French* as they were at *Vespers* or *Evening-Song*, on *Easter-day*, in 1281, whence this Butchery was called the *Sicilian Evening Prayer*. This Prince ended his Days in 1285.

Charles II, called the *Lame*, who, while his Father lived, was called Prince of *Salerno*, was in Prison when *Charles I*, to whom he succeeded, died, and was not set at Liberty 'till a Peace was made, in 1288. As soon as he was set at Liberty, he came into *France*, whence he went into *Italy*, where he was Crowned K. of *Naples* and *Sicily*, in 1289. He also had *Hungary* by his Wife *Mary*, Daughter to *Stephen V*. All which he govern'd with great Prudence and Moderation, tho' he had many Competitors. He dy'd at *Naples* in 1309, being 63 Ys. of Age.

Charles, only Son of *Robert*, Son to *Charles II*, was called by some the Prince without Lands, 'till his Father made him Duke of *Calabria*, and

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in *Sweden*, whereof the first 6 are so little remarkable in History, that without mentioning them, we will begin with the Seventh.

Charles VII, under Colour of revenging the Death of *Eric IX*, put himself upon the Throne, and united *Gothland* to it; but *Canute*, *St. Eric's* Son, got him kill'd about the Y. 1168.

Charles VIII, was chosen after *Christopher*, in 1448. He is not only commended in History for his Justice and Wisdom, but for a good Philosopher, and expert Mathematician; yet he was thrice banished the Km. for his Severity to the Clergy, and died at last in 1470.

Charles IX, D of *Sudermania*, Son to *Gustavus I*, Brother to *John III*, and Uncle to *Sigismund*, lawful K. of *Sweden*. The States gave him the Title of K. in 1594; he was Crown'd 4 Ys. after, and dy'd in 1611. This Usurpation occasion'd bloody Wars between *Sweden* and *Poland*.

Charles Gustavus X, of the House of *Deux Ponts*, Son to *John Casimir*, Count Palatin of the Rhine, and of *Catharine of Sweden*, Daughter to *Charles IX*, succeeded Q. *Christina*; who made a voluntary Resignation of her Km. to him in 1654. The next Y. he began a War against *Poland*, and carried all before him; but at last the *Poles* took Heart, and drove the *Swedes* out of their Country. Then he begins a War against *Denmark*, besieges *Copenhagen*, and would have certainly carried it, had it not been relieved by the *Dutch* Fleet; and being a brave and enterprising Prince, would have done great things had he liv'd longer; but he dy'd of the *Spleen* in the 37th of his Age, in the Y. 1660.

Charles XI, Son of *Charles X*, King of *Sweden*, was born Nov. 25, 1655, two Ys. after his Father was advanced to the Crown. This K's Education in his Minority, by his

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own Genius, and the Indulgence of his Mother, was mostly in order to a Military Life. He was no sooner Crown'd, in the Y. 1674, but he found himself engaged in a War then on Foot, and espoused the *French* Interest, in consideration of the Subsidy of 200000 l. a Y. in which, the first blow was the Defeat of Field Marshal *Wrangel*, and his Army in *Germany*. The Success of this Action engaged the *Danes* in a War against him, in which he gained a great Stock of Military Experience, and that without any Tincture of those Vices which commonly prevail in a Camp, and was so indefatigable and perpetually employed, that he scarce had his Boots off in three Ys. time. So that at the Conclusion of the War in 1680, after he had consummated his Marriage with the Princess, *Ulrica Eleonora*, Sister to the K. of *Denmark*, the States of *Sweden* desir'd him to take his own Measures, for the Security of the Km. without inclining to the Advice of the Senators further than he pleas'd himself. Now finding all *Europe* engaged in a War, he observed an exact Neutrality, and by this means contributed much to the enriching of his own Km. and enlarging of Foreign Trade, and yet shew'd his Goodness in the indefatigable Endeavours to make the Peace that follow'd, by offering his Mediation to that end, to the several Parties concern'd, which at length was accepted, and a Treaty began at *Reswick*; but little Progress was made before the Thread of his Life was spun out; for he dy'd on the 17th of April, 1697, in the 42d. Y. of his Age, and the 37th of his Reign.

Charles XII, Son of *Charles the XI*, born the 27th of June, 1682, was by the K. his Father, left under the Regency of the Q. *Dowager*, his Mother, till 18 Ys. of Age; who had several

several Privy Counsellors appointed to assist her; but the young K. gave such early signs of his Capacity and Ability for Government, that the States soon declared him a *Major*, and put the Government into his hands long before the time appointed by his Father. He was no sooner warm in his Throne, but he was engaged in a War on the behalf of the D of *Holstein* against the K. of *Denmark*; and also in another unjustly, and without any notice, or pretence of Quarrel or Difference, commenc'd against him by the K. of *Poland* and the Czar of *Muscovy* in conjunction: in which the brave young Heroick Prince, with vast disproportion in respect of Number, has shew'd so much personal Courage, Bravery, and Conduct, that the K. of *Poland* has withdrawn his Troops; and the Czar's great Army being beaten with a handful of *Sweedes*, and forc'd to run home, will hardly tempt their Fortune again.

K. of *Navarre*, for whom he fought at the Battel of *Contres* in 1587; but some time after he quitted that side, and was received again into *Henry's* Favour, and continued a Courtier till he died, in 1612.

Charles II. of that Name, Cardinal of *Bourbon*, and Peer of *France*, was born in 1523, made a Cardinal in 1547, and was a great Persecutor of the *Hugonots*.

Charles III. called the Young, Cardinal of *Bourbon*, was 4th Son to *Louis* of *Bourbon* Prince of *Condé*, and of *Eleanor de Roys*. He was bred among the *Hugonots*; but for the sake of being a Cardinal, went over to the Ch. of *Rome*. He also plotted to make himself King; but his Design came to nothing, by *Henry IV.*'s declaring himself to be of the *Roman* Communion.

Charles D. of *Burgundy*, surnamed the Bold, the Warriour, and the Rash, Son to *Philip III D.* of *Burgundy*, by *Isabella* of *Portugal*, was born at *Dijen*

and bind himself to become an Enemy to all his *Barbaric Enemies*, and to follow him all his life-time, against all Men but his lawful K. This mean Submission so troubled the *French Nobility*, that they gave the Crown, which was *Charles's Right*, to *Hugh Capet*. He made some Attempts to regain it, but all in vain; for *Charles* and his Wife were taken Prisoners, and sent to *Orléans*, where the D. died, in 998.

Charles I. of the latter House of *Lorraine*, was Son of *John* who was poyson'd at *Paris* in 1382. He persecuted those that poyson'd his Father, and made several successful Expeditions into *Burgundy* and *Flanders*, but was not successful in his Attempts upon *France*. He died in 1430.

Charles II. Son of *Francis D. of Lorraine*, born 1542. he was bred in the Court of *Henry II. of France*, but nothing considerable is said of him.

Charles III. of *Lorraine*, Son to *Francis III.* Son of *Charles II.* was a courageous, bold, but unfortunate Prince, through his great Inconstancy; which gave himself and his Country abundance of trouble, till he died at *Birkenfeld* in Sept. 1675. This Prince had many good Qualities; but his Inconstancy was intollerable.

Charles IV. or *V.* reckoning from *Charles* the Son of *Louis Outremer* late D. of *Lorraine* and *Barr*, and Generalissimo of the Imperial Armies, was Son to D. *Francis of Lorraine*, Brother to D. *Charles IV.* He having been very unsuccessful in several great Matches, badly used by his Uncle, and worse by the Emp. who received him with a great Tenderness, promised him his Protection, and always call'd him Brother. Upon notice that the *French King* demanded *Marsal* from his Uncle, he went suddenly from *Vienne*, and put himself into it to defend it, sending notice of his Arrival to his Uncle, whereat both he and the *French K.* were alarmed: The old Duke being unwilling that his Ne-

phew should take possession before his Death; and the King bethinking himself, what an Enemy this young Prince might prove to him in time. However, *Prince Charles*, at the Solicitation of his Father and Uncle, left the place, and return'd to *Vienna*, where the Emp. received him with Tenderness and Concern for his Misfortunes, and renewed the Assurances of his Protection. The War between the Emp. and the *Turks* falling out in *Hungary*, the Emp. gave the Prince a Regiment of 1000 Horse; but not being then above 20 Years of Age, would not allow him to hazard his person: However, he went privately away to the Army; and the *Turks* having attack'd the Christian Camp, and put their Right Wing into Confusion, General *Montecuculi* was forc'd to make use of this young Prince's Regiment, and with much reluctance, because of the young Prince's danger, gave him Orders where to fall on; which he did with so much Valour and presence of Mind, as astonish'd the Old Officers. He perform'd not only the part of a General, but a private Soldier, and wrested the Colours from the hands of a *Turk*, who run at him with the Lance to which they were fasten'd: so that the Victory wherein above 5000 *Turks* fell, was almost wholly owing to the Prince. The Emp. sent the Colours to D. *Francis* his Father, who hung them up in the *Burgundian Chapel* near *Nancy*, with an Inscription over them. The *French K.* in a little time after dispossest his Uncle: but people flatter'd themselves that he would restore the young Duke to his Possessions, but were deceived; the *French K.* refusing him so much as the Title of Duke and Brother. In 1676, *Lauenburgh* being made General of the *French Army*, the D. of *Lorraine* was made General of the *Imperialists*, attack'd *Lauenburgh* near the *Saar*, and fought him for two hours with advantage.

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vantage; after which they both encamp'd themselves, and at last *Luxemburg* decamp'd in silence; which the D. of *Lorraine* having notice of, drove the *French* from the *Lanes* wherein they were posted to cover his Retreat, and thunder'd on their Rear with so much fury, that the *French* had certainly been routed, had not Count *Hamilton*, a *Scotch* Gentleman, with his Regiment, made a wonderful Effort in their Defence, and gave the *French* an opportunity to draw off. The next Year the D. prepared an Army to break into his own Country, but could not bring the *French* to a Battel. The Campaign being over, he went in great state to *Vienna*, and consummated his Marriage with the Emperor's Sister, the Q. Dowager of *Poland*, whom the D. had a passionate Love for. Having spent the *Leut* with his Q. at *Innsbruck*, he arrived, before the End of *April* 1675, near *Worms*, to command the Imperial Army; but this Campaign

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ish Empire. From warring with the *Turks*, the D. of *Lorraine* was employed by the Emperor upon the *Rhine*, against the *French*; where, in conjunction with the D. of *Saxony*, and the Landgrave of *Hesse*, they made a very advantageous Campaign for the Confederates in 1689. The Army being put into Winter-Quarters, the D. went towards *Vienna*, and in his way presented Memorials to the Dyer at *Ratisbon*, about recovering his Dominions, which the *French* K. had wrested from his *Uncle* deceas'd, and had a very satisfying Answer; so that he resolv'd to have had a push with *France* in the following Spring: but as he was at *Wiltz* in his way to *Vienna*, he fell dangerously sick, and on *April* 8. 1690, aged 49, died this Great Prince, whose Death was universally lamented through *Europe*, *France* excepted. He left 4 Children, the eldest of which, called *Leopold*, a young Prince of great expectations, succeeded him in his Title, who is

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of them are those of *Paris* in 1606, in two Volumes. He died in 1429.

Charlotte of *Bourbon*, Daughter of *Louis II. D. of Mompensier*, was first of all a Nun, and made Lady Abbess of *Jenaro*: but she quitted her Veil and that Dignity in 1572, got safe into *Germany* to *Frederick II. Count Palatin of the Rhine*, where she embraced the Protestant Religion, and was married to *William of Nassau*, Prince of *Orange*, whom she loved to that degree, that she fell into a burning Fever, when she heard of his being wounded by *John of Jauregni*, and died of it at *Antwerp*, May 6. 1582.

Charolles, a T. of *Burgundy*, and Capital of the Co. of *Charollois*, 6 L. from *Cluny*, and about the like distance from the *Loire*. The T. is pleasant enough, having a fine Church, and many well built Houses.

Charollois, is a Co. of the Dutchy of *Burgundy*, that lies between *Maccois* and *Bourbonnois*. This Country has often changed Masters; but now the *French* have been in possession of it, ever since the Treaty of *Nimeguen*, concluded in 1678.

Charon, look'd upon by ancient *Pagans* to be a Ferry-man, to whom Souls were obliged to pay a certain piece of Mony, for their passage over the River *Styx* to Hell. And this, undoubtedly, was the Reason some people put a piece of Coin into their Friends Mouths when dead, that they might have wherewith to pay this imaginary Debt.

Charon, (*Louis*) called *Chéronidas*, an eminent Lawyer of *Paris*, and a great Scholar.

Chartres upon *Eure*, a T. of *France* in *Beauvais*, Capital of a Country of that Name: some think it was built by the ancient *Druids*, Ministers of the Religion of the *Gauls*. *Henry IV.* was Crowned here in 1591. Its Streets are but narrow, yet has it fine Houses, fair Walls, and magnificent Churches.

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Chartreux, a Religious Order founded by *Bruno*, Native of *Cologne* and Canon of *Rheims*, who retir'd from the Converse of the World in 1084, to a place called *Chartreuse* in the Mountains of *Dauphine*. They wear a Hair-shirt, keep perpetual Silence, and abstain from Flesh in their very Sickness.

Charybdis, a dreadful Whirlpool joining to the Coasts of *Sicily S.* and not far from the Rock *Scylla*, which lies N. on the side of *Italy*; both very dangerous places, and difficult to be safely thunn'd, as appears by the Poet, *Incidit in Scyllam cupiens vitare Charybdin*.

Chasteau-Briant, a small T. of *France*, in *Upper Britany*, on the Frontiers of *Anjou*.

Chasteau-Regnauld, upon the River *Meuse*, a little fortified T. in *Champagne*, with the Title of a Principality.

Chasteau-Roux, which is a T. of the Isle of *Negropont*, is very remarkable for its fine Marble, and for being thought the Country of *Briarion* the Giant, so famous in Antiquity.

Chastel, (*Peter*) Bp. of *Orleans*, great Almoner of *France*. *Francis I.* ask'd him once in Conversation, *Whether he was born a Gentleman, or not?* To which he answered, *That he was not perfectly certain which of Noah's three Sons he was descended from.*

Chastelleraud, a pleasant T. of *France*, upon the R. of *Pienne*, 5 or 6 L. from *Poitiers*, where a Hind guided great *Clovis's* Army over the River to fight *Alaric K.* of the *Goths*. The Family of *Hamilton* in *Scotland* had formerly the Title of Dukes of this Place from the *French Kings*.

Chatham, a long through-fare T. in *Kent*, near *Rocheſter*, upon the Bank of *Medway*: The principal Station of the Royal Navy of *England*.

Chatri, a Taylor's Wife of *Sens* in *Burgundy*, who for about 20 Ys. after she was married, had all the signs

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of being with Child, yet could by no means be laid of her Burthen, but was forced to keep her Bed for 3 Ys; at the end of which her pains ceased, her Belly remaining big and heavy, as formerly, to her Death, which happen'd about 24 Ys. after, in the 68th of her Age. Her Husband got her opened, and found, to all peoples admiration, a Girl quite formed, but petrified. *Ali-bour*, Physician in the T. writ a learned Dissertation upon this Subject.

Chaucer, (*Jeffery*) born at *Woodstock* in *Oxfordshire* in the 14th Cen. He was called the English *Homer*. He was not only a Poet, but a Mathematician, and understood, according to the Talent of his time, the polite part of Learning. He died in 1400, and has a Tomb in *Westminster-Abbey*.

Chaznadar-Bachi, Treasurer to the *Scraglio*, or Privy Purse to the Grand Signior.

Chekiang, a Prov. of *China*, upon the E. Coasts, between *Nanking* and

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Chemnitius, (*Martin*) a German Lutheran Minister. He was very much esteem'd by the Princes of his own Communion, who often made use of him in the publick Affairs of the Church. He died in 1586. His Works are very elaborate.

Cheoper, or *Cheops*, K. of *Egypt*; he built those prodigious Pyramids, which have been deservedly look'd upon as one of the Wonders of the World. This vast Expence so much drain'd his Treasury, that he shamefully prostituted his Daughters, for Money to go on with the Work.

Chephnes, his Brother, succeeded him, and also built a Pyramid; but their Memories became so odious to the Egyptians, that they would not so much as pronounce their Names; but held, that the Pyramids were built by one *Philistion* a Shepherd, that kept his Flocks about that place.

Chepstow, a m. T. on the R. *Wye*, on the Eastern border of the County

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Mahomet, but one of his *Shippers*; for his *Tomb* is at *Medina* 200 m. from *Mecca*, and is a *Coffin* elevated upon *Pillars* of *Black Marble*, cover'd with *Cloth of Silver*.

Cherazoul, a *T.* of *Curdistan*, between *Ninive* or *Mosul*, and *Ispahan*, built on a steep *Rock* for a quarter of a *L.* together; the *Houses* having *Ladders* of 14 or 15 *Steps* to go up to them. Above these *Houses*, which look like *Nests* in a *Mountain*, are *Caves* or great *Cellars*, where the *Inhabitants* shut up their *Cattel*; which makes people think, that this place has been formerly a strong *Retreat*, to defend the *Frontiers* against the *Incurſions* of the *Arabians* and *Benovins* of *Diarbek*.

Cherax, Captain of the *Emp. Caligula's* Guards, who putting himself at the *Head* of those, who had conspired against that *Prince*, kill'd him as he was going from the *Theatre* to the *Barb*; yet tho' he rid *Rome* of a cruel *Monarch*, and open'd his *Uncle Claudius* a way to come to the *Empire*, he was sentenc'd to die by the very same *Claudius*, who thought *Emperors* were not safe, while such desperate *Fellows* liv'd. He suffer'd with great *Resolution*, and ask'd a *Soldier* that stood by, whether his *Sword* did cut well? And desired they might bring him that wherewith he kill'd *Caligula*, which being brought, it deprived him of life with one blow.

Cherif, (or *Xerif*.) a Name the *Turks* give their *Emp.* as well as that of *Sultan*. The *Prince* of *Mecca* assumes it too; and the *Emp.* of *Suz*, who is now *K. of Tafilet, Fez*, and *Morocco*, takes the Title of *Cherif* or *Cherifs*. Their *Rise* in *Africa* was about 180 *Ys.* ago, in the person of *Mahomet Brabames*.

Cherilus, a *Greek Poet*, born at *Samos*, who so finely described the *Victory* that the *Athenians* gain'd over *Xerxes*, that they gave him a *Stater* (about Half a *Crown* of our *Money*)

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for every *Verse*, and order'd that they should be publickly rehears'd every *Year*, with the *Works* of *Homer*.

Cherubias, Angels of the second Rank of the first *Hierarchy*. They are set forth only with *Heads* and *Wings*, without *Bodies*, to shew that the greatest *Knowledge* is in *Spiritual* and *Incorporeal* Creatures: Also a *Military Order* of *Sweden*, instituted in 1334 by *Magnus IV*, whose *Collar* was made up of *superstitious Fancies*. But *Charles IX*, when he abolish'd *Popery*, banish'd this *Order*.

Chesue, (*Andrew* of) a *Frenchman* of great *Repute*, for a *Historian*, in that *Country*.

Cheshire, a *Maritime County* in the *N. W.* parts of *England*; bounded on the *N.* with *Lancashire*, on the *S.* with *Shropshire* and part of *Flinshire* in *Wales*, Eastward with *Derby* and *Staffordshire*, and Westward with the *R. Dee*, which parts it from *Denbighshire* in *Wales*. In length from *E.* to *W.* about 40 m. in breadth, from *N.* to *S.* 25. The whole is divided into 7 *Hundreds*, wherein are 14 m. *T.* and 86 *Parishes*. In the time of the *Romans* it was inhabited by the *Cornavii*. In the *Heptarchy* it was a *Prov.* of the *Km.* of *Mercia*; and now makes part of the *Diocese* of *Chester*. The *Air* is healthful, the *Soil* rich and fruitful, both in *Corn* and *Cattel*; but excels in 3 things, *Salt*, *Cheese*, and *Mill-stones*. This *Co.* continues in the *Dignity* of a *Co. Palatine*, and sends two *Knights* to *Parliament*, who now are, *Sir Roger Mosslyn*, *Bar.* and *Sir George Warburton*, *Bar.*

Chester, the *Capital* of *Cheshire*, is a *Bp.'s See* in the *Pro.* of *York*, of which the *Right Reverend Father* in *God*, *Dr. Nicholas Stratford*, is the present *Bp.* This *City* is pleasantly seated on the *R. Dee*, over which it has a *Stone Bridge* with 8 *Arches*, and at each end a *Gate*, from whence issues the *City Wall*, that takes up 2 m. and has 7 *Watch Towers*, and broad *Bat-*

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Elements for Pieces of Ordnance. On the S. side is a strong built Castle, of a Circular Form, with a Case Court, enclosed with a Wall. It is a Garrison of the Queen's, of which *Roger Kirby Esq;* is Governor. In the principal Street is a cover'd kind of Gallery, where People may walk dry in rainy Weather. The Houses in the City are generally fair and well built, and the Inhabitants rich, by vertue of their Inland Trade, and Commerce with *Ireland* and Foreign parts: and 'tis pity the River is so choaked up with Sands that Ships cannot come nearer the City. It contains 11 Parishes. As a County *Palatine*, for the due Administration of Justice, here is a *Chamberlain*, a *Justice for the Common Pleas* of the Crown, two *Barons* of the *Exchequer*, a *Sheriff*, an *Escheator*, and other Officers, to the great ease of the Country in the Expedition of their business. The *Bishoprick*, which is one of *Henry VIII.*'s founding, is valued in the K.'s Books at

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Chiapa, a Prov. of *New Spain* in *N. America*; where, besides other strange things, is the Mountain *Ecatepec*, of such a prodigious height, that one must go 9 L. before he can come to the top: nor is there any time for this but Night; for the Sun is no sooner up, but there rises such a great Wind and Storm, that a Man can hardly stand on his feet.

Chicheley, (*Henry*) Abp. of *Canterbury*, born at *Higham-Ferrers* in *Northamptonshire*, a Person of great Worth; who, after several Embassies abroad, in 1424, founded a College in *Higham-Ferrers*; and in 1440 dedicated the Chapel of *All-Souls* in *Oxford*, which he founded. He died in 1453, and was buried in the Cathedral Church of *Canterbury*, in a Tomb made by himself; upon which was placed his Statue in white Marble, with an Epitaph, giving an Account of his Negotiations and Preferments.

Chichester, a Bp's See in *Sussex*, 52 m. distant S. W. from *London*, of

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ted Baron of *Newburg*, Earl of *Chichester*, and Duke of *Southampton*; by *Charles II.* It sends 2 Citizens to Parliament, who now are, *John Miller* and *William Ellison Esqs.*

Chios, a T. in the *Morea*, about 3 m. from the Sea, fortified with 5 Towers. It was taken by General *Morofini*, upon Composition, in 1685. The *Turks* endeavour'd to re-take it the Y. after, but were beat off, and all their rich Camp taken by the *Venetians*, with 50 Pieces of Cannon.

Childeric, the first of this Name, succeeded his Father *Meroveus* in 457, but through the Extravagancy of the beginning of his Reign, he was banish'd, by a general Rebellion of his own Subjects, who put a *Roman*, called *Egidius*, into his Place; but being recall'd after 7 Ys. Exile, he govern'd with more Moderation, and gain'd the good Esteem and Love of all his Subjects.

Chili, a great Country in *S. America*, bounded on the W. with the *Pacifick Sea*, on the N. with *Peru*, on the S. with the Country of the *Patagons*, and with the *Magellanick Lands* on the E. The Inhabitants are very stout, and worship the *Devil*, under the Name of *Apuemam*; the Country is very cold, but enrich'd with several Mines of Gold, great Quarries of *Jasper*, and plentiful in Corn and Cattle; but now and then arises a Wind that pierces and kills People.

Chiliasm, or *Millenaries*, a Party of Christians, who believe, that after the general or last Judgment, the Saints shall live a 1000 Ys. upon Earth, and enjoy all manner of innocent Satisfactions. 'Tis thought *Papias*, Bp. of *Hierapolis*, who liv'd in the IId Cen. and was Disciple to *St. John the Evangelist*, was the first who maintain'd this Opinion.

Chila of *Lacedaemonia*, numbred among the 7 Sages of *Greece*. He said there were 3 very difficult things in the World, viz. to keep a

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Secret; to know how to employ time and to bear Injuries without murmuring. *Pliny* says, he caus'd these Precepts to be engraven in Golden Letters in the Temple of *Delphos*, viz. That one ought to know himself; To desire no very advantageous Thing; and, That Misery is the Consequence of running in Debt, and being Litigious. Its said he dy'd of too great Joy, to see his Son Crown'd at the *Olympick Plays*.

Chilperic, the first of this Name, younger Brother to *Clotaire I*, was first K. of *Soissons* in 561, and then of *France* in 570, after the Death of his Brother *Cberibert*. In some things he discovered a Sense of Piety and Goodness; but in others, acted like one in a State of perfect Wickedness. Having put away his first Wife *Audovere* for standing God-mother to her own Daughter, he took *Galsente*, Daughter to the K. of the *Visigoths*; but got her strangled to please his Concubine *Fredegonde*, whom he doated on to that Degree, that he sacrific'd his proper Children at her Request; but she at last sacrific'd him to her Gallant *Landri de la Tour*, who at her Perswasion, kill'd *Chilperic* at *Chelles*, as he was returning from hunting, in 584, after 13 Years Reign.

Chiltern Hills in *Buckinghamshire*, thro' which they run in the very midst, yielding a large and pleasant Prospect from the Top; formerly they were over-spread with Woods, and were then a Receptacle for Robbers; but since they were cut down, the Pass is less dangerous.

Chimera, a Mountain of *Lycia*, that casts out Flame and Smoak in the Night; which gave Poets occasion to feign a Monster, and that he was kill'd by *Bellerophon*.

China, is a vast Km. in the E. of *Asia*, much famed for its Fruitfulness, Wealth, beautifulness of its Towns, and for its incredible number of Inhabitants. It has a great Ridge of Mountains to the N. and where these end, there

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there is that famous *Wall* of near 1000 m. long to keep out the *Tartars*; who notwithstanding made Incursions, and wasted a great part of the Country, till they made themselves Masters of it in the 17th Cent. Their Riches consist in *Gold* and *Silver* Mines, Pearls, Spices, Musk, which is the very best in the World; of the true *Ambergrease-Camfre*, Sugar, Ginger, Linnen, &c. The Inhabitants, whose number is as great as the Country is vast, are computed by authentick Authors to amount to 58914284 Men, without comprehending the Royal Family, the Magistrates, Eunuchs, Soldiers, Priests, or the Women and Children; so that it may not seem strange, if a late Author affirmed that there were 200000000 of Souls in *China*. The Men are Civil, Well-bred, Politick, and Industrious, but insupportably Jealous and Covetous; insomuch that they will not sell to sell their Children, or drown them if they think they have too many, and

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Churches the K.'s Proclamation, that gives the *Tartars* and *Chinese* liberty to embrace it, if they please. The *Chinese* make no Wine, tho' they have excellent Grapes: Their ordinary Drink is *Tea*, and they use *China* instead of *Plate*, both at Court and elsewhere.

Chines, Idols of the *Chinese*, built in form of a *Pyramid*, and curiously wrought. There is one of them stands without the Walls of the T. of *Fochien*, in the Prov. of *Fokien*, that is 9 Stories high: Its Figure is *Octogone*, or of 8 sides; the perpendicular height of it is 900 Cubits, and its breadth proportionable to its height.

Chintu, a great T. Capital of a Territory of the same Name in the Prov. of *Suehuen* in *China*. Here is a strange kind of Bird, called *Tungboafung*, with a red Bill, and Feathers of divers Colours, which is engendred of a Flower called *Tungboa*, and lives but while that Flower lasts: And near *Cungking*, upon *Mount Toyung*, are *Monkeys* that

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wounded by *Hercules*, and desiring to die tho' he was immortal, *Jupiter* placed him in Heaven, where he forms the Sign *Sagittarius*.

Chitor, a Prov. of the great *Mogul's* Empire, in the main Land of *India*, with a T. of the same Name between the Prov. of *Malwa* and *Guzerate*. The T. is almost ruined; yet there are still some Remains of the many Temples and sumptuous Buildings, that have formerly been there.

Chinin, or *Knin*, a strong Place in *Croatia*, on the Frontiers of *Bosnia* and *Dalmatia*, considerable for its Situation and its two large Ditches, formed by the Rivers *Cherca* and *Bosifniza*; it is now a Retreat to the *Turks*, when they make incursions into *Dalmatia*, and the other Places that belong to the *Venetians*.

Chocolocca, which the *Spaniards* call *Castro Virreyuna*, a T. of *Peru*, 60 L. S. of *Lima*, is very famous for its Silver Mines, which are at the top of a great Mountain, always cover'd with Snow, and but 2 L. form the T. The Mines are not very Rich, but the Silver is extraordinary fine.

Chorepiscopi, a Name that was given formerly to such as officiated for Bps. in the Villages or Monasteries abroad in the Country. The first Council of *Nice*, in 325, makes mention of them.

Christ-Church, a m. T. in *Hampshire*, 86 m. from *London*, situate between the River *Avon* and *Stower* at their fall into the Sea. It's the Capital of its Hundred, and has the Privilege of returning 2 Burgesses to Parliament, who now are *William Estricke*, and *Francis Gwyn*, Esqs.

Christ, or *Jesus Christ*, a Military Order of *Portugal*, instituted about 1318, by *Denis* King of *Portugal*, to hearten the Nobility against the *Moor*: confirm'd by *Pope John XXII*.

Christian, Duke of *Brunswick*, having taken up Arms for the Elector *Palatine*, he burnt a great many Ts. of the Elector of *Mentz*, gave his Ar-

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my the Plunder of *Amensburg*, and cut the Throats of the *Garrison*. Having made himself Master of all the Ts. in the Bpk. of *Paderborn*, he set Fire to all the Churches, and permitted all sorts of Outragious Liberty to his Soldiers. He forc'd naked Women to wait upon him at Table, then suffer'd them to be abused by his Favourites, and afterwards either cut their Throats, or drowned them. He was afterwards defeated by Count *Tilly* at the Battel of *Seatto*, and died in 1626.

Christians, a name given to the Faithful at *Antioch*, who before were called *Disciples*. The Heathens hated them, and tortur'd them with all imaginable Cruelty; but their Blood was a Principle of Life to the Church, and caus'd it to multiply in a surprising manner.

Christians of *St. Thomas*, in the *Ptinsula* of *India*, on this side the *Gulf*, were so called because that Apostlie suffer'd Martyrdom there, for whom these Christians have a particular Veneration.

Christianstad, a T. of *Sweden*, in the Prov. of *Blekin*, situated upon the *Baltick* Sea, with a convenient Port, between *Copenhagen* and *Christiansburg*: 'twas built by *Christiern IV. K. of Denmark*, but afterwards yielded to the *Swedes* upon the Pacification, in 1658.

Christiern I. K. of Denmark, Son to *Thierry* Count of *Oldenburg*. He govern'd with much Prudence and Moderation, was chosen K. of *Sweden* by the Faction of the Bp. of *Upsale*, and died in 1481.

Christiern II. surnamed the Cruel, or Tyrant, began his Reign in *Denmark* after the Death of his Father *John*. He caus'd all the great Persons of the Clergy and Laity, to be barbarously murder'd at a Feast he invited them to; which made his Subjects revolt, and force him into Exile. After 10 Ys. he endeavour'd to re-establish himself, but was taken and imprison'd

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for 27 Years, till he died in 1537.

Christiern or *Christian III.* Son to *Frederick I.* who usurped his Nephew's Crown in 1537. He established the Protestant Religion, banished the Popish Bps. govern'd the Km. with moderation, and died in 1559. He establish'd the College at *Copenhagen*, founded a fine Library, and gave great Proofs of the Love he always bore to learned Men.

Christiern, or *Christian IV.* Succeeded his Father *Frederick II.* in 1588. He was made Head of the *Protestant League* in *Germany*, for the Re-establishment of the *Electoral Palatine*. He made War against *Swedeland* in 1644, and subdued several Places; but Peace put an end to his Conquests. He dy'd after 60 Ys. happy Reign, at the Age of 71.

Christiern V. whom others call the *VI. K.* of *Denmark*, succeeded his Father *Frederick III.* in 1670. In the War that broke out in *Europe* in 1672, the

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Abdicated the Crown in 1654, in favour of her Cousin *Charles Gustavus*; and that she might have the pleasure of living out of her own Country, she withdrew to *Rome*, where she died in 1688. She was in esteem for her Learning and Skill in Languages, but not for her Religion, which was as loose as her Life.

Christine, a new Borough in *North America*, upon the River *Sud* in *New Swedeland*, built by the *Swedes* in 1640, and call'd after their Q. It was taken by the *Hollanders*, and they were beaten out by the *English*.

Christolytes, a Sect that appeared in the 6th Age, who held, that when *Jesus Christ* descended into Hell, he left his Soul and Body there, and only rose with his Divinity to Heaven.

Chronology, a State of time from the Creation of the World to the present Age: a piece of Learning very serviceable for the right Understanding

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The *Ld. Clifford* has a noble Seat here, with Title of *Baron*.

Chusitan, a Prov. of the Km. of *Perfia*, bounded by the Gulf of *Balsira* to the S. the Provinces of *Fatz* to the E. and *Hyrach* W. a very fertile Province.

Cibola, or *Civola*, a Prov. of N. America, in *New Mexico*, called by the Spaniards *New Granada*, who built a T. there of this name. This Country, tho' without Mountains, is very cold: the Inhabitants are the wittiest and whitest, and most sincere and orderly, of all the Americans. They have each but one Wife, are excessive jealous, and for Religion they worship Water.

Cicero, (*Marcus Tullius*) Prince of Latin Eloquence, was born *An. Rom.* 648. His Father was a Roman Knight, descended of *Titus Tatius*, K. of the *Sabines*. In his very Youth he pleaded with so much freedom against *Sylla's* Friends, that fearing the Resentment of one that spared no body, he travell'd into Greece, and thence into Asia, still seeking the perfection of his Eloquence. Afterward he studied at *Rhodes*, under *Apollonius Mofon*, the eloquentest Man of his time. Hence *Cicero* came to *Rome*, where, in consideration of his great parts, he obtain'd *Sizily*, and was made *Questor* of *Rome*. In 691 he was made Consul with *C. Antonius Nepos*; during whose time, was *Cataline's* Conspiracy, which he detected, and was for that Reason called the *Preserver* of *Rome*: Yet in 696 he was banish'd, but was recalled the next Yr. by *Pompey*, who had a hand in his Exile. He was not concern'd in *Caesar's* death, tho' he was an intimate Friend to *Brutus*; but after this Murder he favoured *Augustus*, who desired to be Consul with him, had not his Interest made him take other Measures, and join with *Anthony* and *Lepidus* to be of the *Triumvirate*. *Anthony* making use of his Power, and hating *Cicero* extremely, got

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him pursued and beheaded in the 41st Yr. of *Rome*, in the 64 Yr. of his Age: his Executioner being one *Popilius*, whom he had formerly defended against some, who accus'd him of having kill'd his Father.

Cicero, (*Quintus*) was Brother to the *Orator*, *Caesar's* Lieutenant-General in *Gaul*, and afterwards *Prætor* in *Asia*. He was proscrib'd by the *Triumvirate*, and kill'd in 711 of *Rome*, with his Son, who desired of the Murderers, as a great Favour, to be dispatch'd before his Father, who also begg'd to be kill'd before him: but they were both cut off just at the same time.

Ciclut, is a small T. in *Dalmatia*, situate upon the River *Narenta*; for a long time under the Dominion of the *Turks*: but the *Venetians* took it in 1694, and the *Turks* yielded up all their Pretensions to it by the Peace of *Carlowitz*, in 1699.

Cilicia, a Prov. of *Asia Minor*, that stretches along the *Mediterranean* Sea, which bounds it on the S. having part of *Cappadocia*, and part of *Armenia*, to Mount *Taurus*, that border it to the N. This Country is now comprehended in *Carmania*, and subject to the *Turks*.

Cimbri The Origine of this ancient People lies under dispute; as, whether descended from the *Scythians*, or the *Danes*, or the *Saxons*; or, whether the same with the *Cimmerii*. *Cluverius* supposes that they did anciently possess the *Cimbrica Chersonesus*. It is certain, that about the Y. of *Rome* 639 these People marched with an Army of 300000 Men, besides Women and Children, in search of a new Country to live in: and being join'd with the *Teutones*, the *Tigurii*, and others in the way, they ravaged *Germany*, *Africa*, *Sclavonia*, the *Griçons*, and *Switzerland*; till met and overcome by *Marius* in a very bloody Battel in the Field, called *Campus Martii*, between *Aix* and *St. Maximin*, near the little R. *Arc* in *Provence*, *A. R.* 652.

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Cimmerii, the ancient Name of a People in *Italy*, that dwelt in subterraneous Caverns, near the Lake *Avernus*; and of another by the *Euxine Sea*, from whom the *Bosphorus Cimmerius* derives its denomination. Whether of these two, occasion'd the Proverb *Cimmeria Tenebrae*, from the darkness of their Habitations, the Learned make a difference not worth determining.

Cimon, a Captain of *Athens*, Son to *Miltiades*, who was famous for the great Services he did for his Country, and for his great Charity to the Poor.

Cimon, a poor old Man, who being sentenc'd at *Rome* for some Crime, to be starv'd to Death, was fed by his Daughter, who came daily to the Prison to give him suck; which doubly sav'd his Life: for, the Judges being informed thereof, pardoned the Father and Daughter, and got the manner of the Action drawn, and placed the Picture in their Temple of Piety.

Cimonides, (Charles Oudart) a Poet

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highest Dignities, oppress'd the Commonwealth with the greatest Cruelty. But at last being grown unsupportable to his Army, he was stoned to Death at *Artema*, as he was preparing to make War against *Sylla*.

Cinyras, K. of *Cyprus*, was so unlucky as to have his Daughter *Myrrha* in love with him; who at length came to bed to him in a Disguise, and made him the Father of *Adonis*. There are probable Reasons to believe that *Cinyras* was *Noah*; and *Myrrha*, *Cham's* Wife.

Circe, a famous Witch, often mentioned by Poets: She poison'd her Husband the K. of the *Sarmatians*, and was therefore banish'd by her Subjects. In her Exile she came to *Italy*, where she changed *Sylla* into a Sea-Monster, and metamorphos'd *Ulysses's* Companions into divers sorts of Beasts. Mythologists will have *Circe* to be a lively Image of sensual Pleasures, that change Men of the greatest parts into

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1 in the Amphitheatre that round it, were Galleries, for the Spectators to sit on. It was first begun by *Tar- lens*, but was adorn'd, and more stately and beautiful, by the Emper. *Claudius, Caesar, Helio-gabalus*. There were noes at *Rome*, but this was Great one, because it was ous and beautiful.

1 little T. in *Phocis* upon of *Corinth*, now called the *epanto*; near *Delfos*: The relieve there was a Cavern whence proceeded Orac- u-gions, which inspired Peo- redictions.

1 ancient C. of *Namidia*, in- lled afterwards *Constantine*, Capital of the Prov. of *Con- the Km. of Algier*. In this the kill'd *Adherbal* Son of of *Namidia*. A Council was here in 303, by *Setundus Namidia*; where almost all f that Prov. were convicted ne of *Traditores*, that is, de- p their *Bibles* to the Infidels ition. A 2d Council was 2, whetear *St. Austin* assisted. ns, a Religious Order sprung met's, founded in 1098, by sor of *Melchior*, in the Dio- ngres.

1, a great T. in the Prov. n *China*, inferiour to none Houles, magnificent Bul- niples, Palaces, and Trium- s of an admirable Structure. eniency of the Sea, which from it, renders its Com- y considerable; yet it is ous for the Bridge *Lagang*,

1 a R. of that Name to the T. being 360 Perches in d one and a half broad, instead of Arches, by 300 rs, that form sharp and acute break the strength of the great Strait take up all

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the breadth from one Pillar to ano- ther, and each of the 5 is 18 foot long; the Sides are adorn'd with Sculpture, and embellish'd with sever- al Figures: not is this but one part of the Bridge, that ends at a Castle; on the other side whereof is another almost as long as this, and built after the same method.

Civita Vecchia, a T. of *Italy*, with a famous Port well fortified, in *S. Pe- ter's* Patrimony.

Claes, (*Christian*) an Inhabitant of *Leckerkerch*, a T. of *Holland*, 8 or 10 L. from the *Hague*, whose Wife was brought to Bed on the 21st of *June* 1686 of a Son, that lived almost 2 Months; 17 Hours after, she was laid of a 2d Son stillborn; and 24 Hours after of a 3d, that lived 2 Hours; at the end of 24 Hours more, she had another stillborn; but died in Labour of the 5th.

Clare, *Clarence*, a Country Village in the County of *Suffolk*, upon the R. *Stour*, which divides *Essex* from *Suf- folk*, about 6 m. W. of *Sudbury*. It had once a Castle in it, which now is ruined, yet famous for the Great Men, who have born the Titles of Earls and Dukes of it. The last of the Royal Family was *George D. of Clarence*, Brother to *Edw. IV.* who in 1421 was drowned, by his Brother *Rich- ard's* contrivance, in a But of *Malm- sey*. The Earldom is now in the Fa- mily of *Hollis*, the present D. of *New- castle*. There is also a Co. and a T. in the Prov. of *Connaght* in *Ireland*, of this name, standing on the N. side of a Lake, made by the R. *Shannon*, 3 m. S. of *Ennistown*. The Co. has the R. *Shannon* on the S. and on the W. the Western Ocean.

Clarendon, is a Noble Country-house and Park formerly belonging to the K. of *England*, about 2 m. N. of *Salis- bury* in *Wiltshire*; famous for a Parlia- ment held here in 1164, where were made the *Constitutions of Clarendon*. *R. Charles II.* made it an *Earldom*, when

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April 20. 1661, 3 days before his Coronation, he created *Edward Hyde* (sometime Lord Chancellor of England) Earl of Clarendon, Viscount Cornbury, &c. who dying at Rouen in Normandy in 1674, was succeeded by Henry his eldest Son, now living.

Claude of Lorraine, first D. of Guise, Peer and Great Huntsman of France, Count of Aumale, Son to Rene II. D. of Lorraine, was born in 1496, and did such eminent Service in the Wars, that Francis I. erected the Land of Guise into a Duchy and Peerage, in his favour, in 1528. *Claude* died 2 Ys after at Joinville.

Claude, (Join) Minister of Charenton, well known in this Age by his Writings, and Disputes of Religion against Mr. Arnaud, was born in 1618, in the Lower Guenne, where his Father Francis Claude, Minister of Montbazillac, improv'd his good Genius, by the great care of his Education. After exercising his Ministry at Treves, St. Afrique, and teaching Divinity 8

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Men do not agree about his Country, they all do in this, That the Stile of his Poems draws nigher that of Virgil's, than any one that has imitated that Prince of Poets: and Scaliger says, That he supplied the Meaning and Barrenness of his Subject, with the Fruitfulness of his Fancy and Wit. *Prosper* is also of the same Opinion.

Claudius, (*Herminianus*) Intendant of Cappadocia for the Romans, was so great an Enemy to the Christians, that by God's just punishment he was eaten alive with Worms, which he endeavour'd to keep as secret as possible, saying, that it would be a satisfaction to Christians should they know it. This happened A. C. 208.

Claudius, *Tiberius*, *Drusus*, *Nero*, Son of *Drusus* who was second Son of *Livia*, Daughter of *Augustus*, was born at Lyons. *Antonia*, his Mother, used to say he was a Monster only begun by Nature; and when she found fault with any one, she generally said, He was as great an *Ass* as her *Claudius*. In the 55th Y. of Christ

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of him, by mixing Poyson with his Mushrooms.

Claudius II. or Marcus Aurelius Claudius, lived in the sixth Age, was General of a Roman Army, and chosen Emp. at *Pavia* in 286. After the Murder of *Gallienus*, and his Brother *Valerian*, to which it's said he was accessary, he beat the *Goths*, the *Scythians*, the *Herules*, and other Barbarians; and the Commonwealth finding his Government so mild, after many Troubles, as a mark of their extraordinary Esteem, made him put on a Golden Buckler in the Palace, erected him a Statue of the same Metal in the Capitol, and after his Death, which happened in 270, rank'd him among their Gods.

Clavius, (*Christophor*) a Jesuit, born at *Bamberg* in *Germany*, lived towards the latter end of the 16th Century. He had a strong Genius for the *Mathematicks*, and cultivated that Science to perfection. His Works are in 5 Volumes.

Clausenbourg, a T. of *Transylvania*, 3 L. from *Warradin*, great, populous, and ennobled with an ancient Castle. The D. of *Lorrain* put an Imperial Garrison into it in 1687, upon Articles agreed in a peaceable manner, by the Magistrates and Governour for the late Prince *Abassi*.

Cleander, Minister of State to the Emp. *Commodus*, arose to that degree from a *Valet de Chambre*; but at length grew so insolent and avaricious, and the People were so enraged against him, that, to appease their fury, the Emp. put him to Death in 190.

Cleander, an *Arcadian*, Head of the Slaves of *Argos*, kept up the War a great while, which the Slaves there had begun against their Master: but at length were all subdued.

Cleanthes, a *Stoick* Philosopher, who laboured for his Livelyhood while he studied under *Zeno*: being convinc'd of the Immortality of the Soul, he starved himself.

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Clearchus, sent by the *Lacedaemonians* to appease the Troubles of the *Byzantins*, and to settle the Affairs of that State, became a downright Tyrant, as soon as the People had put the Power and Authority into his hands; but at length they forc'd him to fly the Country, and he was kill'd in his Exile.

S. Clement, the first of this Name. Disciple of *St. Peter*: We have nothing that is truly his, but his first Letter to the *Corinthians*.

Clement II. a *Saxon* by Nation: He was chosen Pope in 1046, and died 9 months after his Election.

Clement III. a *Roman*: He succeeded *Gregory VIII.* after whose Example he promoted a War against the *Saracens*, who became very strong in *Palestine*, after the Taking *Jerusalem*.

Clement IV. a *Frenchman*, succeeded *Urban IV.* He was first a Soldier, but after studied so hard, that he was one of the best Lawyers of his Age. He was sent Legate into *England*, and in his Return was chosen Pope, in 1265, and crown'd at *Viterbo*, where he died in 1268.

Clement V. a *Frenchman*, of the Pro. of *Gascogn*, was chosen Pope after *Bennet XI.* The Ceremony of his Coronation, was kept at *Lyon* in the Church of *St. Just*, remarkable for a sad Accident that happened by a Wall, that being over-burden'd by Spectators, yielded, and kill'd *John II.* D. of *Britany*, *Gallard* the Pope's Brother, with many more; the King and his Brother were also slightly hurt, the *Tiara*, or Crown, fell off *Clement's* Head, and lost a Carbuncle of great price.

Clement VI. a *Frenchman*, of *Lima-sin*, succeeded *Benet XII.* in 1342, brought the Jubilee or the Holy Year to be kept every 50th, opposed *Louis* of *Bavaria* in his Pretensions on *Italy*, and died at *Avignon* in 1352.

Clement VII. was an *Antipope*, call'd *Robert* of *Geneva*, and was Son

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to *Anastase III*, Count thereof.

Clement VIII. Antipope; he was chosen by the *Aragonian* Faction to be revenged of Pope *Martin V*; but he abdicated the pretended Dignity, protesting that he consented to his Election, only for the Peace of the Church.

Clement VII. lawfully chosen: He was Knight of *Rhodes*, afterwards made Cardinal by *Leo X*, and succeeded *Adrian VI* in 1523. During the War in *Italy*, *Henry VIII.* of *England* divorces his Q. *Catharine of Austria*, and is Excommunicated by *Clement*: whereupon that Prince declares himself Head of the Church in his own Dominions, and gives way to the Reformation, which he was against till then.

Clement VIII. Native of *Fano* in the Patrimony of *St. Peter*, was chosen in 1591; and after the Death of the D. of *Ferrara* united that Duchy to the See of *Rome*. He went a great way towards the Reformation of the

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Cleobis, Brother to *Bira*, Sons to *Juno's* Priestess, who prayed that Goddess to reward them with the best Fortune that could happen to Mankind. The next morning after this Devotion, they were both found dead in the Temple; to shew, that Death is to be look'd upon rather as an Advantage than an Evil.

Cleobulina, Daughter of *Cleobulus* of *Lindus*, called by some Authors *Enmetra*. This Lady had a great Delicacy of Genius, the Courage of a Hero, a sound Judgment, and a charming Humour; by which she mollified the rigorous Temper of her Father, and made him more mild in the Government of his Subjects.

Cleombrotus, Native of *Ambrasia*, an Academick Philosopher, who reading *Plato's* Book of the Immortality of the Soul, threw himself headlong into the Sea.

Cleon, a very troublesome *Athenian* Orator, Enemy to the best Generals of the Rep. *Aristophanes* accuses him

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set him in *Cilicia*, and an-
what was said of assisting
nd *Brutus*. This Princess,
des the Charms of her Beau-
very engaging Genius, re-
submit to this Conqueror;
same night she arrived, invi-
ony to a magnificent Treat;
so taken with her Charms,
married her, without any
f his Wife *Octavia*, *Augustus's*
In 722 *Augustus* declar'd War
Anthony, beat him, and at last
him so low, that he kill'd
believing that *Cleopatra* had
like: but she soon follow-
g stung by a *Serpent* which
ied to her bosom, that she
ot be carried to *Rome* in Tri-
Historians say, that she was
inary voluptuous, and so ex-
profuse, that to supply her
ence, she put *Anthony* upon
the War into the richest
s, to have the Spoils. She
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ra, *Seline*, Daughter to *Marc*
and *Cleopatra* Qu. of *Egypt*,
ried to *Juba* K. of *Mauritania*:
part of the Km. of *Cyrene* in
; and after the Defeat of *Ju-*
ed in Triumph to *Rome*.
ante of *Corinth*, one of those
ented the first Embellishments
ting, and drew Faces with
of Bricks.

ont, *eu Argene*, a T. in the
Barr, upon the R. *Ajr*. It
to the D. of *Lorrain*.
ont, in *Auvergne*, Capital of
v. 'Tis thought to have ri-
of the Ruins of *Gergovia*, an
m T. It now is annex'd to
mn of *France*.

ont, in *Beauvais*, a T. in the
rance. The Earldom of this
famous, for giving a begin-
the Royal House of *Bourbon*,
erson of *Robert* of *France*, the
it *Lewis*.

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Cleveland, a Tract of Land in the
N. Riding of *Yorkshire*, taking its
Name from the *Cliff* running along
one side of it; near which the Coun-
try spreads it self into a fine fruitful
Plain. K. *Charles I.* did this Place
the Honour to make it give the Ti-
tle of an *Earl* to *Thomas* Lord *Went-*
worth; who dying without Issue, K.
Charles II. created *Barbara* *Villiers*,
Daughter to the Ld. Viscount *Gran-*
dison, and Wife to the Earl of *Castl-*
main, *Duchess* of *Cleveland*.

Cleves, a C. and Dm. in *Germany*,
seated upon a small River about 3 m.
from the *Rhine*. The last Duke dy-
ing in 1609, a War happened, in
which the D. of *Brandenburg* seized
one part of it, and the D. of *Newburg*
another. The *Hollanders* in the mean
time, by *Mauritius* their General, in
1628 seized the City of *Clves*. But
in 1672 the *French* K. having taken
this and all the other T. possessed by
the *Hollanders*, and in 1673 being no
longer able to keep them, he put
them into the hands of the D. of
Brandenburg, who is now D. of
Cleves.

Clifford, (*Richard*) Earl of *Cork* in
Ireland, in consideration of his good
Services to the Crown, and by rea-
son of his Marriage with the Lady
Elizabeth, sole Daughter and Heiress
to *Henry* Earl of *Cumberland*, was by
Letters Patents bearing date the 20th
of *Charles I.* advanced to the Dig-
nity of a Baron of this Realm, by
the Title of Lord *Clifford* of *Lanf-*
borough in the County of *York*; and
afterwards by other Letters Patents
bearing date March the 20th, in the
16th of *Charles II.* created Earl of
Burlington, alias *Bridlington*, in the
aforesaid County of *York*. This Earl
had Issue by the said *Elizabeth* his
Wife, 2 Sons, *Charles* and *Richard*,
and 5 Daughters; viz. *Francis*.
married to the Earl of *Roscommon*
in *Ireland*; *Catherine*, who died in
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her Childhood; *Elizabeth*, Wife to *Nicholas* Earl of *Thaet*; *Anne*, married to *Edward* Earl of *Sandwich*; and *Henrietta* to *Lawrence* *Hyde*, second Son to *Edward* Earl of *Clarendon*, and now Earl of *Rochester*. Which *Charles*, commonly called Lord *Clifford* of *Lansborough*, married *Jane* the youngest Daughter of *William* late Duke of *Somerset*, by whom he had Issue 4 Sons, *Richard*, *Charles*, *Henry*, and *William*; and 4 Daughters, *Frances*, *Elizabeth*, *Jane*, and *Mary*; which *Charles*, is the present Earl of *Burlington*.

Clifton, (Sir *Gervase*) of *Layton* *Bronswood* in the County of *Huntingdon*, Knight, had the Title of Lord *Clifton*, by Writ of Summons to Parliament July 9. in the 6th of *James* I. Of which Family there is none remaining but the Lady *Catherine*, Sister and sole Heir to the late *Charles* Duke of *Richmond* and *Lenox*, who was first married to

ducing the Remainder from 12 in to half hours, it shews it to be in the 9th *Climate*, and the 18th *Parallel*. In the next place, they serve to distinguish not only the Situation, but the Nature and Qualities of Countries, and also of their Inhabitants in some measure one from another.

Clinton. Of this Noble and Ancient Family the first was *Jeffrey de Clinton*, Lord Chamberlain and Treasurer to *Henry* I. Sir *William Clinton* was the first who had Summons to Parliament, about Feb. 6. in 1298, the 27th of *Edward* I. And after the Succession of many Yrs. the same Line was created Earl the 4th of May 1572, in the 14th of *Elizabeth*; and subsists in the Person of *Henry Clinton* Earl of *Lincoln*, Baron *Clinton* and *Say*, who is at present under Age.

Clis, the Muse of *History*, called the Daughter of *Jupiter* and *Memory*.

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aged the young Prince, that he kill'd him with his own hand, in the 426th of Rome.

Clodius, a Roman Senator of the ancient Family of the *Clodians*, so extraordinary leud, that he was accused of Debauching his 3 Sisters. Being chosen *Tribune* of the People, he procured *Cicero* to be Banish'd in the 596th of Rome; who being recalled, all that *Clodius* did was revoked.

Cloisters, certain square Galleries in *Monasteries*, with a little Flower-Garden in the middle.

Clovis, the first of the Name, called the Ancient, Son to *Clodius* I. who enjoyed all *Austrasia*, and the whole Kingdom of *France*. It's said, he was an able, judicious, valiant, and liberal Prince, but withal very cruel and ambitious. He produced this memorable Sentence as he was just departing this Life; *Alas! who do you think the King of Heaven is, that has Power to make such great Monarchs of the Earth die.*

Clovis II, surnamed the Great, or Young, came to the Crown of *France* after the Death of his Father *Chilperick* I. in 584, being then but 4 Months old. *Goutran* King of *Burgundy* was his Protector; and when he came to Age himself, he subdued the *Saxons*, kill'd Duke *Berteald* with his own hand, and having punish'd *Brumhead*, employed himself to secure his Kingdom, and reform his Subjects Lives and Manners.

Clotho, one of the Sisters of *Dejiny*; who, according to Pagan Divinity, spun the Thread of Mens Lives.

Cluny, a famous Abby of the *Benedictines*, in the Territory of *Maschensis*, within the Dukedom of *Burgundy*, founded in the Year 910. The Popes *Gregory* VII,

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Urban II, and *Paschal* II, with a great number of *Cardinals* and *Bishops*, have been given to the *Roman Church* by this Abby; which is so very large a Foundation, that we find it lodged, at once, Saint *Lewis* King of *France*, *Baldwin* Emperor of *Constantinople*, the two Patriarchs of *Antioch* and *Constantinople*, Pope *Innocent* IV, 13 *Cardinals*, 2 *Archbishops*, and abundance of *Secular* and *Ecclesiastical* Nobility of their Relations and Attendants, without obliging the Religious to quit any of their ordinary Apartments.

Clyffale, a County in the South parts of *Scotland*. Out of a Hill in this County springs 3 Rivers, which run into 3 different Seas; viz. The *Tweed* into the *German Sea*, *Anan* into the *Irish*, and *Clyde* into the *Deucalidonian Sea*. *Glasgow* is the chiefest place in this County.

Clyfford, an ancient Noble Family, whose Line was preserved in *Richard* the youngest, whose Son *Walter* was possessed of several Lordships in the Reign of *Hen. II.* and Father to the *Fair*, but infamous, *Rassmond*.

Clyfford, (Sir *Thomas*) Father to the present Lord *Clyfford*, was first made *Comptroller*, then *Treasurer*, to King *Charles* II. afterwards advanced to the Dignity and Title of Lord *Clifford* of *Chudley*, and lastly to the Office of Lord High *Treasurer* of *England*.

Clytemnestra, Wife to *Agamemnon* King of *Mycena*. 'Tis said, when her Husband was at the Siege of *Troy*, she fell into an amorous Correspondence with *Egyffus*, and perswaded her Spark to kill her Husband at his Return; which he did, and seiz'd upon the Kingdom. Soon after *Orestes*, *Agamemnon's* Son, dispatch'd the Usurper;

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Usurper, and unnaturally murder'd his Mother.

Cneus, a Roman Surname, given to such as were born with a particular Mark upon them.

Cobales, certain *Demons* in Humane Shape, that were called *Sages*, and said to keep *Bacchus* company. Some say, there are many of them at this day in *Sarmatia*, who hide themselves in Houses, and do any Offices for the People that entertain them, that can be expected from the best of Servants.

Coblentz, a T. of Germany, in the Abk. of *Triers*, upon the meeting of the *Mozelle* and *Rhine*; much improved in its Fortifications, by drawing a Line from one R. to the other, after the most modern regular way. The *Mareschal de Boufflers* came before it in Novemb. 1688, with 7 or 8000 *French*; but retired with the Satisfaction of having only shot a great many

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pieces in the *Chaldean Tongue*. Long. 105. 00. Lat. 10. 00.

Cochin-China, is the most Easterly Km. in the *East-Indies*, on the Continent. *Alexander de Rhodes*, a French Jesuit, has a large Account of this Country, which is subject to a K. of its own, and stands divided into 6 Provinces, each under a subordinate Governor. Their Merchandize is Gold, Silver, Porcelain, Silks, &c.

Cocytus, a certain R. of *Epirus*, one of the 4 that Poets feigned to belong to Hell, because its Name, which signifies Groaning and Complaining, denotes the pains of the Sufferers there.

Cockermouth, a m. T. in *Cumberland*, situate upon the R. *Cocker*, near its Fall into the *Derwent*; by which 2 Rs. it is almost surrounded. 'Tis about 8 m. from the Sea, with a Castle upon one of the Hills adjoining to it; 226 m. from London; and has the Privilege of receiving a *Drum-Staff* to *Drummers*.

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mander should be kill'd, he disguised himself, and rush'd into the midst of the Fight, where he was slain. The *Athenians* put so great a value upon this generous Action, that, fearing they should never find so good a *Prince*, they chose to have their Commonwealth govern'd by Magistrates, called *Archontes*.

Conor-de-Roi, one that served in the Protestant Army during the Civil Wars of France; being taken Prisoner by the Papists, and led to *Auxerre*, he was there torn in pieces, his Heart cut in small bits, and sold to the people.

Coggs, a pleasant Seat upon the R. *Windrush*, near *Whitney* in Oxfordshire, possess'd by the Owner, *William Blake*, Esq;

Cogni, a T. of *Licaonia* in *Asia minor*, now Capital of *Caramania*, and the Seat of a Turkish *Bassa*.

Coire, *Glar*, the Capital City of the Country of the *Grisons*, upon the R. *Plessur*, a little below the *Rhine*, between *Chiracenne*, *Glaris*, and *Appenzel*. The *Grisons* ordinarily hold their *Diet* at it.

Cobberg, a T. or small C. in the Dukedom of *Pomerania*, upon the shore of the *Baltick* Sea, having a strong Castle at the Mouth of the R. *Persantz*. It belongs to the K. of *Prussia*, and is render'd considerable by making Salt.

Colbert (*John Baptist*) Marquis *Seignelai*, &c. chief Minister of State to the French King; a Scotchman originally, who owed his great Preferment to Cardinal *Mazarin*, who made him his Comptroller, and afterwards recommended him to the K. at his Death, in 1661; who having made Tryal of his great parts, entrusted him with the Management of all his Concerns. He died at *Paris*, of the Stone, in 1682, being 64 Ys. of

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Age, and leaving many Children, all well prefer'd before his Death.

Colebeester, a considerable T. or C. in *Essex*, seated on the Ascent of a steep Hill, upon the S. Bank of the R. *Colne*; from whence it takes its Name: A Town of great Antiquity; but more remarkable for giving Birth to *Lucius*, *Helena*, and *Constantine*, the first Christian King, Empress, and Emperor, of the World. Within the Walls it contains 8 Parishes, the Remains of 15, besides 2 in the Suburbs. The principal Trade of it consists in making Cloth, Bays, Sayes, and other Stuffs; and 'tis of some note beside for its excellent Oysters. It was the last Garrison for King *Charles I.* and did not submit, till forc'd to it by Famine, in 1648. Many of the Churches were ruin'd at that Siege, and now stand as sad and deplorable Monuments of Fanatick Fury and Rebellious Rage. Here those two Honourable Knights, *Sir Charles Lucas* and *Sir George Lisle*, the one a chief Commander of Horse, and the other of Foot, were shot to Death under the Castle Walls by the Rebels. This place elects 2 Members of Parliament, who now are, *Sir Isaac Rebow*, and *Sir Thomas Cook*, Knights. The T. is 48 m. from *London*.

Colebrook, a m. T. in *Buckinghamshire*, in *Stock Hundred*, upon the R. *Cole*, 18 m. from *London*.

Coleshil, a m. T. in *Warwickshire*, in the Hundred of *Hemlingford*, upon the R. *Cole*, 81 m. from *London*.

Colet, (*John*) eldest Son of *Sir Henry Colet* twice Lord Mayor of *London*, was born there in the Y. 1466, and Educated at *Oxford*. After Travelling into *Italy*, at his Return he took the Degree of *Bachelor* in Divinity; and, by King *Henry*

Henry VII. was made Dean of *St. Paul's* in *London*. In 1512 he founded *St. Paul's School*; and was no less remarkable for the Regularity of his Life, than for his Learning and Munificence. He died of the *Sweating-Sickness*, in 1519.

Coligni, (Francis) Lord of *Andelot*, &c. Son of *Mareschal Coligni*, and General of the *French* Foot, was born at *Chatillon-sur-Loing* in 1521: He served in the Wars of *Italy* and *Piccardy*, under *Hen. II.* at last he embraced the *Protestant* Religion, and was one of the greatest Men in *France* for his Moderation, Prudence, and Knowledge in Military Discipline.

Coligni, (Gaspar) the second of the Name, Count of *Coligni*, Lord of *Chatillon-sur-Loing*, &c. was born in 1516, brought up in the Army, and from his very Youth gave great proofs of his Courage and Conduct, in and before the Civil Wars in *France*. At *Henry II.*'s Death, he undertook the Pro-

ry of the people for 3 days, and then tyed to the Gallows at *Mont-faucon*, until his Cousin *Montmorency* had it brought and buried secretly in the Chappel of *Chantilly*.

Coligni, (Oder de) Cardinal of *Chatillon*, &c. was Brother to the Admiral, and to *Francis* Lord of *Andelot*. He was brought up with a great deal of care, which improved his great Wit, and forwarded his Inclination for Learning, whereof he afterwards became a considerable Protector and, tho' a Cardinal, embraced the *Protestant* Religion with his Brothers, and was very serviceable to his Party.

Coligni, (John) Earl of *Coligni* and Lieutenant General of the Forces of *France*, Son to *Gaspar III.* *Mareschal of France*, whose great Actions he imitated, acquiring himself with much Reputation in the several Posts he enjoyed under the King.

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Collina Porta, one of the Gates of Rome, at the Foot of *Mons Quirinalis*. It was afterwards called the *Salt Gate*, and the Street *Via Salaria*, because the *Sabins* that brought Salt to Rome came in at that Gate; his was also the Place where they used to bury the *Vestals*.

Colman, surnamed the *Wise*, an *Englisman* living in the 13 Cen. He wrote a Chronicle.

Colmar, an Imperial T. of *Alsace*, belonging to *France*, situate upon the R. *Helle*, 3 L. from *Brisac*, which during the Wars of 1674, was demolish'd and abandon'd.

Cologne upon the *Rhine*, an Imperial and one of the 4 Capital *Hanse* T. within an University and Archbishoprick, whereof the Prelate is Prince and an Elector of the Empire. It's 16 M. S. of *Mastricht*, and is not only a great and strong, but a rich and populous City, lying in the form of a Half Moon upon the *Rhine*. They reckon 355 Churches great and small in it, amongst which you see the Tombs of the 3 pretended Kings, that visited our Saviour in his Cradle by the guidance of a Star; commonly called the 3 Kings of *Cologne*, because of these their Relicks brought hither from *Milan*, and to *Milan* from *Constantinople*, as they tell you. It was under the *French*, from the Expulsion of the *Romans* to the Reign of *Otho I.* since when it has been under its Archbishops. The great Chapter of *Cologne* consists of 60 *Canons*, all Princes or Counts; for they receive no common Gentlemen, nor any so low as a *Baron*. The 24 *Seniors* of the 60, form a particular Chapter for the Election of the Archbishop, and have their active and passive Votes, with power to chuse any of the *Colleagues*, or to be chosen themselves to the vacant Dignity. The Cardinal of *Westm-*

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burg, in pursuance of his Election to the Archbishoprick, July 19. 1688, took possession of it; whose pretences on the one side being justify'd by the *French* King, and on the other being oppos'd both by the Emp. and the Pope, who put in the present Elector, Brother to the D. of *Bavaria*, produced a general War to secure him in it; but whether his present Actions, in siding with *France* against the Emperour, be a requital for so great a Favour, Time must determine.

Colonna (*Stephen*) a great Commander, Father of *Julius Caesar*, served the Emp. *Charles V.* and afterwards so many other Princes, that he brought his Fidelity and Constancy into question. *Colonna* (*Fabrizio*) a great Commander, Native of *Rome*. *Colonna* (*James*) Cardinal, also Native of *Rome*, whose Family, being upon the score of old grudge persecuted by *Boniface VIII.* to avoid falling into his Hands, withdrew to *Nepi*, where *John Colonna* a Cousin of theirs commanded. This enraged the Pope to that degree, that he publish'd a *Croisade* against them, besieg'd the place, and forc'd them to fly to a Friend's House at *Perouse*; but the Pope followed them with that extravagant Passion, that he published a *Price* for their Heads, and excommunicated all that should bear the Name or Arms of that Family; but at length in 1033, they surpriz'd *Boniface* at *Agnania*, where it's said *Colonna* gave him a Blow on the Face, with his Hand armed with a Gantlet: And the Pope, after he came back to *Rome*, died of Rage and Despair, in *October* following. *Bennet* the XI. his Successor re-establish'd the *Colonna's*, of which there were many famous Men.

Colony, a Detachment of People which the *Romans* sent to inhabit

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and cultivate either a new or a conquer'd Country; of which there were 3 sorts, *Roman, Latin and Military Colonies.*

Colophon, a T. of *Ionis*, supposed by some to be the Birth-place of *Homer*.

Colossus, an ancient C. of *Great Phrygia* in *Asia Minor* on the Frontiers of *Caria*, particularly known by the Epistle *St. Paul* writ to the *Colossians*: tho' some think that this Letter was address'd to the *Rhodians* called *Colossians*, from the *Great Colossus* erected at the Port of that Island in honour of the *Sun*, and esteem'd one of the Wonders of the World. After it had stood 50 Y. an Earthquake overthrew it. Few could embrace or girt its very Thumb. It was of such a vast Bulk, that when the *Saracens* made themselves Masters of *Rhodes*, An D. 667, they loaded 500 Camels with the *Brass*. *Nero* built a *Colossus* at *Rome* with his own Head upon it. *Vespasian* removed his Head, and put a *Sun* thereon.

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favourably, and gave him 3 Ships; with which he set forth from Port *Palos de Moger* in *Andalusia*, Aug. 3. 1492, sailed till he found the Islands, and landed at *Guana Bay*, one of the *Luccaies*. The Islanders frighted with an unusual sight, gain'd the Mountain with such speed, that the *Spaniards* could take but one Woman, whom he let go again; after he had given her Bread, Wine and some Jewels; which kind usage begat the Respect of the rest; insomuch that their *Cacique* or King gave *Columbus* leave to build a Wooden Fort on the Seacoast, where he left 38 *Spaniards*, and returned in all haste to acquaint the King with his Discovery; who ennobled him and his Posterity, and gave him for Arms, a *Sea Argent and Azure, Six Islands Or*, with the *World as Crest*. After this, some that envy'd his Success, represented him ill to *K. Ferdinand* and *Isabella*, but he was received into Favour again, and died in 1506. at 64 Y. of Age.



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ing that common Events happily, and Comets appear but rarely, which shews their dependence and Connexion on other.

Curia, a place where the People kept their Assemblies, the great Hall for publick Ors and Speeches, called *Rostra*. they propos'd Laws, made laws, and pleaded Causes. There another place called *Rostra* at foot of Mount *Palatin*.

Manerium, Livings or Benefices given to the Knights of the Order of *Malta*.

Comines (*Philip*) Lord of *Artois*, an Historian of a Noble Family of *Flanders*, much esteem'd by *Charles the Hardy of Burgundy*, and afterwards by *Louis XI*. He was first Master of the *French, Dutch, German* Tongues, but not excellent in the *Latin*: However being full of Experience and good sense, he undertook to write the History of his time; and did it very well, that the Work was translated into several other Languages out of the *French*. He died 1539.

Commodus, or *Lucius Aurelius Commodus Antoninus*, Son of *Antoninus Pius*, a Philosopher, was born in 161, his Father and Uncle being Consuls, he was declared Emp. in 181. He was a good Tutor, but his evil Inclinations prevail'd over Instruction. *Rome* found a second *Nero* in this wretched person; who had no Religion for the Gods, nor Respect for the most inviolable Ties of Nature. He was ungrateful to his Servants, unkind to his Friends, and neglected Mens Innocence nor Honour. Upon the least pretence, he put to death true or false, he would put to death *Roman* Senators, and chief Officers of the Empire to death, and all that he either fear'd or

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hated, and kept many Boys for his detestable Pleasures. But at last having design'd the death of *Martia* whom he kept, of *Letus* Captain of his Guards, and *Elefius* his Lord Chamberlain; *Martia*, to prevent the fatal stroke, gave him, as he came out of the *Bagnio*, some Wine mix'd with very violent Poyson; and because this did not work so quick as they would have it, they had him strangled by a *Wrestler*, with whom he used to exercise himself sometimes at that sport. This happened in 192, the 31 of his Age, and 13 Y. of his Reign.

Como, a certain Captain of *Robbers*; being taken and examined before the Consul *Rupilius*, he desired a little respite to answer, and then putting himself on his Knees, held his Breath so long that he died upon the spot.

Company of the Indies, or *East-India-Company*; in *Holland* is a Society of that Country to regulate and carry on the Commerce of the *Indies*, and consists of 6 Chambers which have 16 Directors, which makes 17 Voices, because the President has two. The C. of *Amsterdam* alone has one half of this Company, *Middelburg* a quarter, *Rotterdam*, *Delft*, *Enchusen* and *Horne* the other 4th part.

Compitalia, Feasts which the *Romans* celebrated in their Cross-ways, to the Honour of their Household Gods called *Lares* and *Penates*, whom they made to preside not only in their Houses, but also in Publick Places and in the Streets.

Complutum, vulgarly called *Alcala de Henares*, a Town in *Spain* in *New Castile*, famous for its University founded by Cardinal *Ximenes*, to whom we are obliged for the Bible in 6 Volumes; called *Biblia Complutensis*, wherein besides the *Hebrew* are the *Caldee, Greek* and *Latin* Tongues.

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Compostella, which the *Spaniards* call *St. Jago de Compostella*, Capital of *Galicia* in *Spain*, famous for the extraordinary Concourse of *Pilgrims* that resort thither, to visit the *Apostle St. James's Body*, which the *Spaniards* pretend they have there. It also gives name to a Town of the *Spaniards* in *America Septentrionalis*, built by a *Spaniard* called *Gusman*.

Compton (*William*) descended from the ancient Family of *Compton* at the *Vineyard* in *Warwick shire*, and dying in the 20 of *Henry VIII.* and his Son *Peter* in the 35 of the same Reign, he left Issue *Henry* who was summoned as a *Baron* to *Parliament* in 14 of *Elizabeth*. *William* Son and Heir to *Henry*, was advanced to the Title of *Earl of Northampton* in the 16 *James I.* and was also made *Knight of the Garter*. He died in 1530, and *Spencer* his Son succeeding him in his Title, took Arms for *K. Charles I.* against the *Rebellion*, and was kill'd at *Hopton Heath* near

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Peace succeeding, *Conarus* drown'd himself in all kinds of Vices, and demanding Money of his Subjects to support his extravagant Expences, they were so far from granting him Supplies, that they talked of *De-throning* him; upon which the King using minatory expressions, those that were next him seiz'd his Majesty, and put him with some few others in Prison, and the Authors of his wicked Counsels to death; and to prevent Tumults chose *Ar-gadus* for *Vice-Roy*, till they should choose another K. so that *Conarus*, partly by Diseases, and partly by Despair and Grief, ended his days in Prison, in the 14 Y. of his Reign A. D. 50.

Conception, a T. of *S. America* in the Prov. of *Chili*. Another little T. of *America Meridionalis* in *Paraguay*, situate where the R. *Uruguai* joins the *Rio di la Plato*. A little T. of the same name in *America Septentrionalis* in the Prov. of *Mexico*.

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by which the K. has the power to name such as he thinks fit for Bishopricks, &c. and the Pope, if he finds no fault in the Capacity or Life of the named, is to give his Bulls in vertue of which he is Consecrated.

Concordat Germanick, a Treaty made in 1448, between Pope Nicholas V. and the Emp. Fredrick III. confirm'd by Clement VIII. and Gregory XIII. wherein the Power of conferring vacant Bishopricks is adjusted between the Emp. and the Pope.

Concordia, a Goddess much esteem'd among the Ancient Romans; Julius Caesar and Tiberius built her a Temple, and all the World court her, tho' few are so happy as to gain her.

Conde, a T. of the Low Countries in Hainault, situate upon the Banks of the Shelde, 2 L. from Valenciennes. Since the French took it in 1676, they have regularly fortified it, and rendred it a very important place. There is another little T. of that name in Normandy.

Confession de Ausberg or the *Augsustan Confession*; a Profession of Faith drawn up by Melancthon, which Luther and he presented to Charles V. at Ausburg. It was divided into two Parts, with a design to support all the Points of the Lutheran Reformation, and to shew the Unorthodoxy of the Popish Doctrines.

Congallus I. the 44 K. of Scotland, succeeded Constantine I. his Uncle. He apply'd himself to reform the People's Manners, and restrain Thefts and Robberies; and endeavoured to reclaim others to a civil course of Life by his own Example. He died An. 500, in the 22 of his Reign.

Congleton, a large and noted T. of Cheshire, situate on the Dane; govern'd by a Mayor and 6 Alder-

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men; the Inhabitants make a great number of Gloves, Perles and Point. From London 123 M.

Congo, a Kingdom of Africa, border'd to the E. with Abissina, and on the W. with the Ocean. Citrons and Oranges grow here in abundance, and are very good. Their Date Trees furnish much Fruit, whereof they make Wine. The Banks of the R. *Lelunde* are full of Cedar and other Odoriferous Trees. The *Hollanders* have much of their *Cassia* and *Tamarinds* out of this Country. Most of the Inhabitants of Congo are very black, but not so deformed as the Negroes of Nubia and Guinea. They are Proud and Insolent to their Neighbours, but Civil and Obliging to Strangers. Their Wit is quick, and Humour fiery; yet have they no great Courage, for 20 Europeans will make 200 of them run, as has been experienced in several Rencounters.

Congregation of Rites, a Jurisdiction of Rome, compos'd of Cardinals deputed by the Pope to observe the Ceremonies of the Church, oversee the Divine Service, what concerns the Canonization of Saints, the Privileges of Precedence, &c. This Congregation is held at least once a Month in the Palace of the Cardinal Dean. *Congregation of the Holy Office*, a Jurisdiction of Rome compos'd of 12 Cardinals and several Prelates, who are called Consultators. It informs it self of matters of the Inquisition, what concerns Heresie, and hath its Palace, Officers, and Prisons: This Congregation generally meets on *Wednesdays* at the Palace of the ancientest Cardinal, and on *Thursday* before the Pope, wherein they give him account of Transactions there, and receive his Advice.

Conisalus, a God of the Pagans; whom the Athenians adored in the same

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same manner the *Lampsacians* worshipped *Priapus*. Several think that both were the same Deity, adored in different places.

Connaught, is one of the 4 great Prov. of *Ireland*, bounded on the N. by *Ulster*, on the E. by *Leinster*, on the S. by *Munster*, and on the W. by the great Western Ocean.

Conestable, an Officer of the Crown of *France*, who was formerly in great Consideration; but was annihilated by *Louis XIII.* and the Jurisdictions and Functions of it are now in the *Marschals of France*.

Conquest, a little Sea-Port in *Britany* in *France*, at the extremity of this Prov. called the *End of the World*, about 3 or 4 L. from *Brest*. The T. tho' small, is Neat, Rich and well built.

Conrad I. *Henry Duke of Saxony* revolted against him, beat his Lieutenant *Everard*, and put himself to flight; not long after *Conrad* died of a Fever, occasioned by a Wound he received in the *Bavarian War*.

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was chosen Emp. in 1138, after *Lothair II.* He overcame the *Bavarian Faction*, and marching to the *Holy War*, was betray'd by the *Greeks* at *Constantinople*, who mix'd Lime with the Meal they furnish'd the Army with; so that the Emp. having laid Siege to *Damascus* without any good success, and having march'd to *Jerusalem*, was forced to return into *Germany*, where he died in 1152, after a Reign of 12 Y. 10 M. and 15 Days. *Conrad of Suabia* Son of *Frederick II.* was made K. of the *Romans* by his Father, and proclaimed at 8 Y. old. He govern'd in his Father's absence with great Prudence, and bore Arms with Reputation, tho' not with so much good success. After *Frederick's* death *Conrad* endeavour'd to keep the Empire, but was oppos'd by the *Pope*; however he carry'd on his Victories in *Italy*; until *Manfroy* his Bastard Son who made away his Father *Frederick*, gain'd his Physician to poison him with a

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after a Reign equally long and happy in 599. *Conrad* Marquis of *Montferat*, Lord of *Tyre*, was in great Reputation in the *E.* for his great Courage and Conduct in the Wars against the Infidels; but was murder'd in 1192 by the *Baldwins*. *Conrad* who bore the Title of Prince of *Antioch*, was Son to *Frederick* Bastard Son to *Frederick* II. who warring against *Charles* of *Anjou*, was taken, imprisoned in the Castle of *St. Orbe* where his Eyes were put out, and afterwards strangled.

Conart (*Valentine*) Counsellor and Secretary to the K's Family, Crown of *France* and *French* Academy, was a *Parisian* and one of the chief Founders of that Society. Tho' he was of the Reformed Religion, it was not known which of the two Parties had most value for his Person and Merits. He died in 1675, about 74 Y. of Age.

Conferences, were according to the Superstition of the *Romans*, certain Gods of the first Order, who composed the Council of State in Heaven. There were 12 of these Deities, 6 Gods and 6 Goddesses.

Constance, an Imperial free T. in *Germany* upon the Lake *Constance*. It has its Name from *Constantius Chlorus* Father of *Constantine the Great*, and is a strong and populous City. Here was held the great Council in 1414, procured by *Sigismund* the Emp. which deposed 3 Popes at once, and elected a 4th Pope, *Martin V.* who owned the Papacy to be subject to a Council. In the 15 Session of this Council, the pretended Errors of *Wickliff* were severally recited and condemn'd: Also Sentence of Fire pass'd upon *John Huss*, Non obstante, his grant of safe Conduct from the Emperor; which Sentence was executed May 30. 1415. It's a Bishops See under the Archbishop of *Mentz*.

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Constance, a Lord of the K. of *Siam*'s Court, and his Minister of State, born at *Cephalonia* in *Greece* of a Noble *Venetian*, the Governour of that Island's Son, and of a Lady of one of the ancientest Families of that Country. Finding his Family was not in a condition to support his Quality, he embark'd for *England*; from thence went into the *Indies* in the service of that Company, where after several interchanges of good and bad Fortune, he was recommended as a Counsellor to the K. of *Siam*, with whom he still lives in good Reputation.

Constance, a T. of *France* in lower *Normandy*, situate on the *Burd*, and is Capital of a little Country called *Constantin* or *Contantin*, which *Robert* Duke of *Normandy* pawn'd when he undertook his Voyage to the *Holy Land* with *Godfrey* of *Bohillon*. Some think it the *Augusta Romanorum* of the Ancients.

Constans I. the first of this Name, third Son of *Constantine the Great*, and *Fausla*, was made *Cesar* in 333 by his Father; after whose death, in 337, he had *Italy*, *Africa* and *Illyrium* for his proportion of the Inheritance. He was kill'd at *Aquileia* in 340. *Constans* II. Emp. of the *E.* Son to *Constantine* III. was substituted in his Uncle *Heracleon's* place about the end of 641; being dissatisfy'd with his Brother *Theodosius*, he made him to be first ordain'd *Deacon* and then put him to death. God was pleas'd to suffer him to be troubled, with such a Remorse of Conscience for this unnatural Murder, that he imagined *Theodosius* always before him, and being in *Deacons* Habit, with which he officiated at the Communion, he gave him the Cup, and said, *Drink Brother*. Afterwards he went into *Sicily*, where he was kill'd by his Valet de Chambre in one of the Baths

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Baths of *Syracuse* in 668, after a Reign of 26 Years.

Constantia, Q. of *France*, Daughter of *William I.* of this Name, was very Handsome, but as Proud, Capricious and Unsupportable as could be. The good Prince *K. Robert* her Husband, used all possible means to reform her Humour, but to no purpose; for she embroil'd the Kingdom by endeavouring to disinherit her eldest Son, but at length was forced to compound with him. They died in 1032. *Constantia* Q. of *Arragon*, Daughter of *Manfroy*, *Frederick II's* Bastard, and Wife to *Peter III.* K. of *Arragon*, lived about 2084 in great esteem for her Piety and Magnanimity in *Sicily*, where of she was Sovereign. For having determined to put *Charles* Prince of *Salerno* to death, to revenge the untimely end of *Conradin* of *Suabia*, she sent him word to prepare to die on *Friday*: To which that Pr. answered with great Courage. That

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Emp. Constantine Copronymus, finished him; but having a mind to destroy him quite, recall'd him in 766, order'd he should be 1 and dress'd up in a Gown with Sleeves, and after he had e him to be put upon an *Ass* with Face toward the Tail, and the in his Hand, and expos'd over the T. to be laugh'd at by the ble, he order'd him to be beheaded and his Body to be drag'd to Dunghill.

Constantine the Great, first of the Name, Son to *Constantinus* and *St. Helena*, was born at *Naisse*, a T. of the Prov. of *Thrace* July 24. 272. *Hercules* *Gaul* kept him Prisoner at *Rome*, on pretence of Religion, when he was in *England*; but his Design was to hinder him from fleeing; which *Constantine* made sensible of, he found time to escape, and arrived at *Britannia* to close his Father's



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; he built at *Rome* and other places very Magnificent Churches, and endowed them. Then being willing to build a City that should bear his own Name, he erected one at *Constantium* in the finest Situation of the whole Universe; which he first called *New Rome*, and afterwards *Constantinople*. Whilst he was employed in this great Undertaking, the Heresie of *Arrius* a Priest of *Alexandria* infected the most part of the E. Church, for which he assembled the Council of *Nice* to suppress it. Having found out our *Saviour's* *pulchre*, he built a very Magnificent Church in the place, and put a piece of the *Cross* he suffered on, upon the top of a rich Pillar, which caused to be built in the middle of the great Square in *Constantinople*. Then he divided the Empire between his 3 Sons, *Constantine*, *Constantius* and *Constans*, and in the 5 Y. of his Age, being seized with a light Fever, to change the Air went to *Nicomedia*, where, it's said, he was Baptiz'd, Confirm'd, and receiv'd the Holy Communion, and died soon after at *Achiron* near the suburbs of *Constantinople*, on the 22^d of *May*, A. D. 337. after a Reign of 9 Y. 9 Months and 27 Days, to succumb from his Father's Death, which happened *July 25. 306.*

Constantine II. called the *Young*, son to *Constantine the Great*, was born at *Arles*, *August. 7.* and made *Cesar* *March 1. 317.* He was *Consul* 4 times, and after his Father's Death had the *Gauls*, *Spain* and *Great Britain* for his share. He was kind to *Athanasius* Patriarch of *Alexandria*; for when he was banished to *Treves* he sent him back to his Church again; but was not so just to his Brother *Constans*, for he would have dispossest him of the inheritance left him by his Father. Leading his Troops into *Italy* he was kill'd at *Aquileia*, being then but 21 Y. of Age.

Constantine V. surnamed the *Bear-ded*: He undertook a very successful War against the *Saracens*, which he held 7 Y. by Sea and Land, and at last obliged them to pay him Tribute. *Constantine VI.* Son of *Leo I. Isauricus*, was surnamed *Iconoclastes* because he supported the Image-breakers, *Copronymus* because he beray'd himself when he was christened, and *Caballinus* because he was a great lover of the smell of Horse-dung. He was a Man of no Religion, and consequently a great persecutor of the Clergy. He died in 775 in his Expedition against the *Bulgarians*, being madd before he expired, crying he was burn'd alive through the pain he suffered by the *Plague-sore* he died of. *Constantine VII.* Son of the Emperor *Leo IV.* begun his Reign in 780, at the Age of 10 Y. under the Guardianship of his Mother *Irene*, a Woman of great Beauty and extraordinary Wit; but *Constantine* coming to Rule, depriv'd her of the Government, and made her become a private person. He put her Uncle *Nicephorus's* Eyes out, and cut out his 4 Brothers Tongues, that endeavoured to raise him to the Empire; he also blinded one *Alexis Patricius* because the Legions of *Armenia* had some kindness for him. These proceedings got him the hatred of the great ones; and his Mother through her great Ambition to Govern, most barbarously put his Eyes out in the very Chamber he was born in, and on the same day that he did the like to *Nicephorus*. Thus *Constantine* lost both Sight and Life 797. *Constantine VII.* Son of *Basilius* the *Macedonian*, was created *Augustus* in 858, but died before his Father about 878. *Constantine* surnamed *Porphyrogeneta*. Son of *Leo the Wise*, begun his Reign under the Guardianship of his Mother *Zoe*, *June 7. 912.* He was a long time

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kept under by his Coadjutor *Lacapanes* an *Armenian*, whose Daughter he had marry'd; but at last he opened his Eyes, shook off his Lethargy, and govern'd the Empire with great Commendation. *Constantine X.* Son of *Romanus*, reigned 50 Y. with his Brother *Basilius* the *Young*, during all which time, he was rather a Companion of the Dignity than of the Power of *Basilius*. He died in 1028. *Constantine X.* surnamed *Monomachus* or the *Fence*, was recalled from Banishment, where he was sent by order of *John*, Brother to the Emp. *Michael* the *Paphlagonian*. This Prince was *Lazy* and quite buried in Vice, which gave the *Turks* opportunity to begin to extend their Power in *Asia* in his days. He died in 1054. *Constantine XII.* surnam'd *Ducas*, Son of *Andronicus*, was chosen by *Isaac Comnenus* to govern the Empire in 1059. He was esteem'd a good *Catholick*, but so excessively *Avaritious*, that it made him con-

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Constantine I. 43 K. of *Scotland*, succeeded his Brother *Dongardus*; while he was a Subject he lived temperately, but when mounted on the Throne he immers'd himself in all manner of Debauchery. He was Cruel and Haughty to the Nobility, but Familiar with the Vulgar, and Sneaking to his Enemies. He was at last slain by a Nobleman whose Daughter he had forced, or according to *Fordan*, died of a lingering Disease about 497. *Constantine II.* the 71 K. of *Scotland* succeeded *Kenethus*: He was a Prince of a great Spirit and very Valiant. In his time the *Danes*, being solicited by the *Pills*, invaded *Scotland* and landed in *Fife*, where they cut off all, from their inveterate hatred of the Name of *Christians*; *Constantine* marched against them, and defeated one of their Armies under *Habla* Brother to the King of *Denmark*; but attacking the other commanded by *Humber* he was defeated and slain near *Craig* in *Fife*; and the

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that time, and *Malcolm* was declared K. *Constantine* IV. the 81 K. of *Scotland*: He inveigh'd against the Hereditary Succession of the Crown, press'd the Abolishment of that Law, and having drawn over some of the Nobility and Commons to his Opinion, he was declar'd King, 12 days after the Death of *Kennethus*; but not long after was defeated and kill'd by *Kennethus* the lawful Heir.

Constantine, the Capital City of the Prov. of *Constantine* in the Kingdom of *Alger*, rich and well built, standing in a Soil that is exceeding fruitful of Corn.

Constantinople, a famous C. of *Europe*, the ancient *Bizantium*, now called by the *Turks* *Stamboul*, is the Capital of *Romania* or *Thrace*, and the Seat of the *Turkish* Empire. It was built by *Constantine the Great* about 331, and continu'd the Seat of the *Grecian* Empire till 1453, when being subdu'd by *Mahomet II.* the *Turks* left *Adrianople* to settle here, and built the *Dardanelli* for its Defence on the *Hellepont*. This C. is of a Triangular Form, walled with Brick and Stone orderly intermix'd; about 19 M. in circumference, full of lofty Cypress-Trees, so intermixt with the Buildings, that they contribute much to its Beauty, if seen from the Sea or the Mountains. Heretofore it abounded with the noblest Buildings in the World; but since it came into the Hands of the *Turks*, all the private ones are sunk below their Ancient Splendor, whilst the Publick retain something of it, after the many Violences this Pile has suffered by many dreadful *Fires*, *Time*, *War* and *Tyrants*. The Haven is the fairest, latest, and most commodious in the World; so conveniently deep, that the greatest Ships may lay their Sides to the Side of the Harbour, for the more easie Receipt or

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Discharge of their Lading, and so feared that no Wind can blow which brings not in some Ships or other into the Port.

Constantinow, a small T. in *Volhynia* in *Poland*, upon the R. *Horin*, 25 Polish M. from *Camminieck* to the N. E. The T. has been almost ruin'd by the *Cossacks* during the last War.

Constantius I. of the name, or *Constantius Chlorus*, Son of *Flavius Eutropius*, and of *Claudia* Daughter to a Brother of the Emp. *Claudian II.* In engaging against the *Gauls* he lost the first Battel, and was wounded in 295, but Rallying his Army he came upon the Enemy about 5 Hours after, kill'd 60000, and put the rest to flight. In 296 he subdu'd *England* that had revolted; and in 304, when *Maximinian* and *Dioclesian* quitted the Empire, he and *Galerius* remained sole Emperors. *Constantius* died at *Turk* in *England*. *Constantius II.* or *Flavius Julius Constantius*, Son of *Constantine the Great*, who embrac'd the Heresie of *Arrius*, and dishonour'd his Power, by the Murder of many of his own Blood, and persecuting the Orthodox Christians. His Reign was disturb'd by many Rebellions. He died in 335.

Consul is a Name which the *Romans* gave their first Magistrates, whom they look'd upon as chief of their Council. *Lucius Junius Brutus*, and *Tarquinius Collatinus*, were the first the Publick Assembly chose, after they had banish'd *Tarquin the Proud*, last K. of *Rome*, An. R. 245. But now the Office ceasing from its primitive Grandeur, the Name only signifies a Person in Foreign Ports, who is the Representative of his Country by Authority, and espouses the Interest of the Merchants, by Applying to the Courts of Princes or States, under a Publick Character, to redress their Grievances or miti-

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gate any Charge unjustly laid upon them; for which service, he has an Exhibition laid upon every Tun of Goods Imported, which the Merchants call *Consulage*.

Continent, a Name Geographers give some parts of the Land, to distinguish it from *Islands*, which they look upon as pieces cut off from the main Body; tho' in truth the whole Earth is but one vast Island. However, according to the customary way of speaking, there are 4 *Continents*, tho' but 2 well known. The first is what we call the *Ancient Continent*, comprehending *Europe*, *Africa* and *Asia*, and takes up almost all our *Hemisphere*; so united, that we may go from one to the other without crossing the Water. The second is the *New Continent*, called *America*, and takes up almost half of the other *Hemisphere*. The third is called the *Arctick* or *Northern Continent*, and comprehends *Greenland*, the *Isle of Island*,

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al in the County of *Carnarvan* in *Wales*, 174 M. from *London*.

Cooper (Sir *Anthony Ashley*) of *Winbourn St. Giles* in the County of *Dorset*, *Baronet*, was by Letters Patents bearing date 13 *Car. II.* advanced to the Degree of *Baron* of this Realm, by the Title of *Lord Ashley of Winbourn St. Giles*, and in the 24 of the same K. created *Lord Cooper of Paulet* and *Earl of Shaftsbury*; who, to do him right, was a Person of extraordinary Parts, but his Conduct at the later end of his Life grew exceptionable, and tarnish'd his Character; he having then join'd a Party of Faction Men, and concerted an Insurrection both in *England* and *Scotland*; but perceiving the Faction embarrass'd with new Difficulties, and not so forward in executing the Design as he thought necessary, he withdrew into *Holland* and there died *An. 1682*, leaving his Honour and Estate to his Son and Heir the

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tain'd by *Rheticus*, *Rothmann*, *Lausberg*, *Kepler* and *Galileus*; and in our days by *Des Cartes*, *Gassendus* and the Count of *Pagan*, and is now generally approv'd by the Learned. To resume *Copernicus's* Sentiments, the *Sun* is immoveable, and in the Center of the World. *Mercury*, *Venus*, the *Earth*, *Mars*, *Jupiter* and *Saturn*, move in their fix Circles round the *Sun*; but the *Earth* has another motion round its *Axis*, and the *Moon* makes its Circuit round the *Earth*. By this System, we avoid the difficulty of Explaining, and giving Reasons for the Diurnal Motion of the *Sun*, thro' an immense Space, and with an inconceivable Rapidity. As for the *Earth*, *Copernicus* gives it 3 motions; the first that it compleats in a day; the second yearly; and the third which always keeps the *Earth's* *Axis* in the same Position. The Diurnal Revolution, is that the *Earth* makes in 24 Hours upon its proper *Axis*; so that the part that is toward the *Sun* is always lightned, whilst the other lies dark. The Yearly, is that the *Earth* runs through the Signs of the *Zodiack*, when between *Venus* and *Mars* it takes its round about the *Sun* in a Year's time. The third serves to give Reason for the difference of Seasons, and the inequality of Days in the different Climates.

Copenhagen, a T. of the Isle of *Zeland*, Capital of the Km. of *Denmark*, and the K's ordinary Residence, with a good Port and considerable Cittadel. The Archbp of *Lunden*, in 1165, first built a Fortrefs there against the Pirates, which was called *Axel-Huis*. Some time after, several Fishermen built Cabins round this Fort, and then the richer sort built Magazines and Houses, to receive their Customers that came to buy Fish, and kept a considerable Commerce; whence the T. began to be called *Copmans-Haffen*, i. e.

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Merchant's Port. So Trade making it more and more considerable, *James* Bishop of *Roschildt* gave it many Privileges in 1254, and afterwards by the peculiar Care of the K. of *Denmark*, it came to be very considerable for its great Commerce.

Copranitz, a T. of *Sclavonia* with a good Fortrefs belonging to the House of *Austria*, 2 L. from the *Drave*, 4 or 5 from *Peter Waradin*, as many from *Canisa*, and is now one of the Emp. Bulwarks against the *Turks*.

Coprogli, or *Cuperli* (*Bacha Mahomet*) Grand Visier during the Minority of *Mahomet IV.* His Father's Name was *Coprogli*. He was a Seaman's Son, or as others say, Son to a French Gentleman, who being set upon by Pirates was kill'd, and the Son carried a Slave to *Cyprus*. His Valour gain'd him Reputation in the Wars of *Persia*, and his good Mein advantageously supported the Reputation his Valour had acquir'd him in the War; so that when young *Mahomet* was put upon the Throne in 1648, this Prince knowing *Coprogli's* Merit, made him Grand Visier in 1649; in which Office he demean'd himself so well, that when he died at *Adrianople* in 1653, he was much lamented by the Sultan and People, which is very extraordinary in the *Turkish* Empire, where such Ministers seldom die a natural Death. *Coprogli* (*Achmet*) his Son, succeeded in the same Post at 28 Years of Age. He took *New Hawsel* in *Hungary* in 1663, lost the Battel at *St. Goddard* the Y. after; but regain'd his Credit by taking *Candy* in 1669.

Coptes, a sort of Christians in *Egypt*, who follow the Errors of *Eutiches* and *Dioscorus*.

Coracota, a famous Robber of *Spain*, who hearing that the Emp. *Augustus* had proffered 10000 Crowns

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Crowns to any that should take him, presented himself of his own accord before that Prince, who thereupon not only forgave him, but also gave him great Presents.

Corbulo (*Domitius*) a Roman General, in great esteem under the Reigns of *Claudius* and *Nero*, and was so rigorous an observer of Military Discipline, that he condemn'd 2 Soldiers to Death, because the one wanted his Sword, and the other his Dagger, tho' both were at work in the Retrenchments. To keep his Soldiers out of Idleness, he made them cut a Channel 5 or 6 L. betwixt the *Meuse* and the *Rhine*, against the Inundation of the Ocean. This Channel is still to be seen between *Wieck* and *Crompen*. He fought the *Parthians*, and after seeing himself ill used at Court he kill'd himself at *Cenchrea*, a Port of *Corinth*.

Corck, a County, C. and Haven in *Munster* in *Ireland*. The C. is a Bishop's See under the Archbishop

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was the first which renounced the having any property in Goods or Estates.

Corderius, known by the Name of *Balthazar Corderius*, a Jesuit born at *Antwerp* in 1592. He understood the Languages very well, and particularly the Greek, as appears by his Translation of *Dionysius Areopagita*, which he printed in 2 Volumes in Folio, in 1634.

Cordove upon *Guadalquivir*, a T. of *Spain* in *Andaluzia*, which formerly had the Title of a Kingdom, with a Bishoprick Suffragan of *Toledo*; famous for the Birth-place of the 2 *Seneca's*, the Rhetorician and the Philosopher. The Episcopal Church which was once a Moske built by the *Moors*, The Jesuits sumptuous Church, the K's Palace and the great Square called *la Plaza mayor*, with the fine Houses supported upon the Portique, are great Curiosities.

Coree, a Peninsula of *China* in

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bounding in Citrons and Oranges, Wine, Honey, Wax and Oyl; and is so well fortify'd by the *Venetians*, that it is the *Barriere of Italy*.

Corinna, a certain Lady much addicted to *Poetry*, which she learn'd of a *Grecian* Lady that was very successful in such Performances. Authors say, that she carry'd the Prize 4 or 5 several times from *Pindar*; but they will have her *Beauty* contribute much to that advantage.

Corinth or *Cornatho*, as its now called, a T. of Greece in *Morea*, situate near the *Isthmus*, or the narrow Neck of Land that joins the *Morea* to Greece, between the Gulph of *Lepanto* and that of *Engia*. This place was called *Helopolis* or the T. of the *Sun*, and was considerable for its Citadel called *Acro Corinthe*, built upon a very high Mountain, as also for the Wealth of the Inhabitants, and for the Celebration of the *Isthmian Plays*. *Corinth* was utterly destroy'd by the *Romans* under *Lucius Mummius*, and it is not to be imagin'd what Wealth was spoil'd and consum'd at the taking of it: It is enough to observe, that the famous Metal call'd the *Brass of Corinth*, and so much esteem'd, was but the Remains of that great Conflagration. *Julius Caesar* Rebuilt and Peopled it a-new. It belong'd some time to the *Venetians*, but was taken by *Mahomet II.* in 1418, and was again retaken by the *Venetians* in 1687, upon the Victory which they gained near *Patras*. *Apollodorus* writes of 3 *Corinths* more, the 1. in *Theffaly*, the 2. in *Epirus*, and the 3. in *Elis*.

Coriolanus (*Caius Marcius*) a famous Commander among the *Romans*, and was very serviceable to his Country in establishing the *Common-wealth*. About 261 of *Rome*, *Coriolanus* missing the Consulate he sued for, went over to the *Volsci* and perswaded them to take Arms

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against the *Romans*, and encamping within 4 M. of *Rome*, would not listen to the Peace the *Romans* begg'd by their Heralds; until his Wife *Veturia* and Mother *Volumnia*, follow'd by all the *Roman Matrons* in Tears, forc'd him to a Compliance: But some time after, about 264, the *Volsci* put him to Death, as a Traytor that had made them quit their Conquest.

Cornaro-Piscopia (*Lucretia Helena*) Daughter of *John Baptist Cornaro* Procurator of *St. Mark*, was so well skill'd in Languages, that they were ready to give her a place among the *Doctors of Divinity* in the University of *Padua*, had not Cardinal *Berberigo* Bishop of the T. oppos'd it, and made her be satisfy'd with a *Doctor of Philosophy's Cap*, which she receiv'd in a numerous Assembly. She was also receiv'd a *la Nobilista* at *Venice*. *Cornaro* (*Catharine*) Q. of *Cyprus*, came to *Venice* upon her Brother *George Cornaro's* request, where she had greater Honours done her by the *Doge* and *Senators* than ever was paid to a Woman before her, upon which she gave her Interest in the K. of *Cyprus* to the *Venetians*.

Cornelians, one of the Noblest Families of the *Romans*, which was divided into several Branches, whereof there were 4 Principal or Chief: I. The *Maluginians*. II. that of the *Scipio's*. III. of the *Rufini*, and IV. of the *Lentuli*. All Brave Men, and did great Service for their Country.

Cornelius the *Centurion*, Captain of a Foot Company, who profited so much by *St. Peter's* Instruction, that he was chosen Bp of *Cesarea* after *Zacheus*, according to the *Roman Martyrology*. *Cornelius*, Pope, Native of *Rome*, Succeeded *Fabian* in 251, and was Beheaded by *Gal-lus* for refusing to Sacrifice to Idols. *Cornelius Gallus*, a *Roman*

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Knight and Poet; so much in the Emp. *Augustus's* Favour, that he made him Governour of *Egypt*; but being banish'd for his Severity and Extortions, he kill'd himself out of Despair, in the 728 Y. of *Rome*, and the 43 of his Age. *Cornelius (Nepos)* a Latin Historian, that flourish'd in the Reign of *Julius Caesar*. *Cicero* and *Atticus* were both his Friends. He writ the Lives of the *Greek* Historians, and what he says of *Cato* and *Hannibal* shews, that he also writ of the *Roman* Generals and Historians. He left several other Works, but they are all lost, excepting the Lives of the most famous Generals of the *Roman* and *Grecian* Armies, which *Æmilius Probus* sought to appropriate to himself, to gain *Theodosius's* Favour; but this Juggle was discovered afterwards, tho' many Authors have mistaken the one for the other.

Cornificius, a Latin Poet and Cap-

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thence to take the Name of *Cornwal*. For a long time it was the Storehouse of *Tin* to the World, till in 1240 there were other Mines of it found in *Misnia* and *Bohemia* by a *Cornish-man*. The Soil of this Country is tolerably fruitful, but Mountainous. In some Rocks they find a sort of Precious Stone, call'd the *Cornish Diamond*, shap'd and polish'd by Nature, and many times as big as a *Walnut*; only not so hard as a *Diamond* of the right kind. The Inhabitants are the Relicks of the Old *Britains*, and still retain their Language. It was by *Edward II.* in 1336 made a *Dukedom*, and given to his Son *Edward*; and has ever since belong'd to the eldest Son of the K. of *England*, who is born *Duke of Cornwall*. This County sends 2 Knights to *Parliament*, who now are the Honourable *John Granville*, and *James Buller*, Esquires.

Cornwallis (Sir *John*) descended



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Succeeded by *Charles* his Son, and he by the present *Charles Cornwallis*, *Baron Cornwallis* of *Eye*, and *Baronet*.

Coro, a T. of *S. America*, with a Bishop's See suffragan of *S. Domingo*, situate upon the Sea, in a very fruitful Soil, and mild and pleasant Air, belonging to the *Spaniards*.

Coromandel, a Country of the Peninsula on this side the *Ganges* in the Kingdom of *Narsinga*; so called from the abundance of Rice it produces. This Country is divided into several Provinces.

Coron, a T. of the *Morea* to the S. upon the Gulph of *Coron*. It has very good Walls with great Towers, which tho' built after the old way of Fortification, yet by the Hardness of the Rock, and Solidness of the Work, are of great Defence. The *Venetians* took it from the *Turks* with a Rich Booty, in 1685.

Coronis, Daughter of *Phlegyas*, was belov'd by *Apollo*, who being jealous of her, shot her to death with an Arrow. The *Crow* that acquainted *Apollo* with *Coronis's* Crime, had its Feathers changed from White to Black, for telling Tales out o'th School.

Correa (*Thomas*) born at *Coimbra* in *Portugal*, was one of the most eminent Grammarians in the 16 Cent. He taught School at *Palermo*, at *Rome*, at *Bononia*, and gained himself a great Reputation, by his Poetry, his Treatises of Rhetorick, and great Learning.

Corfica, is a considerable Island in the *Mediterranean Sea*, N. of *Sardinia*, belonging to the *Venetians*. Its Length from S. to N. is about 40 L. Its Breadth 17, and its Circuit 90. The *Corfi* are good Soldiers, but mighty Cruel, Revengeful and unpolish'd. It's thought their Robbing and Plundering, has been the reason why they that commit such at Sea, are call'd *Corsairs*, as well as *Pirates*.

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VI. annexing the *Corunna*, a T. of Ages to this City, with a famous Sea Port. Co. Corporate, a Gulph in the N. part *Warmic*, i. e. L. from *Compostella*. Its Port is convenient and well known, and the Town strong enough, being built on the side of a Hill, at the Foot whereof is another T.

Cosaques, a People that live near *Poland*, and had this Name given them from their extraordinary *Nimbleness*. They are generally Robbers and Pirates upon the *Black Seas*, and have sometimes had the boldness to advance within 2 L. of *Constantinople*, and carry'd off a Booty and some Prisoners. They sometimes side with the *Poles* and *Russians* against the *Turks* and *Tartars*; but change as oft as they can find advantage by it. Their Language is a Dialect of the *Polish* Tongue, full of Diminutives and pleasant Expressions. The common sort are of the *Greek* Church, but the greater part of their Gentry are either *Papists* or *Protestants*.

Cosenza, a T. of *Italy* in the hillier *Calabria*, with a large Bishop's See, being one of the principal Ts. in that Prov. near the *R. Crats*, 10 or 12 M. from the Ocean.

Cosimo (*Peter*) a famous Painter of *Italy*: He took great pleasure in representing Monsters and uncommon Sight; therefore much apply'd himself to *Bacchanalia's*, that he might have the liberty in painting *Satyrs* and *Fauns*, to shew extraordinary Shapes and Actions.

Cosmography, i. e. a Description of the World; from which *Geography* differs as a part from the whole; as this also does from *Chorography*, *Topography* and *Hydrography* as a whole from the part; being an aggregate of all these three together, which borrows from the First the Description of particular Provinces, Countries, Kingdoms and Regions; From the Second the Description of

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Emp. *Augustus*, Mountains, and made him *Ces*; and from the but being 1. Seas and Rivers.

Ed. *Ex-re*, Author of an excellent Work of *Physick* and *Chymistry*, which *Michael Sendivogius* would have ascribed to himself, whereas in truth the *Cosmopolite* was an *English-man*.

Cosmus, the first of that name, Grand Duke of *Tuscany*, was Son to *John II.* made Duke by Pope *Pius V.* in spight of the Emperor *Maximilian*, and of *Philip II. R.* of *Spain*, in 1557. He founded the University of *Pisa*, to forward Liberal Sciences, and died in 1574, in the 55 Y. of his Age. *Cosinus II.* Great Duke of *Tuscany*, Son to *Ferdinand*, whom he succeeded in 1609. A Prince of singular Merit, but very sickly, and died in 1621. *Cosmus III.* Great Duke of *Tuscany*, Son to *Ferdinand II.* whom he succeeded in 1670, who marry'd *Margaret Louisa* of *Orleans*, and is the now Reining Prince. *Col-*

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Co. of *Brisac*, re-establish'd military Discipline, reform'd *les*, and accusom'd the Soldi *Fatigues*, by obliging them always well arm'd, and obedi their Officers.

Costa-Rica, a Prov. of *A Septentrionalis* in new *Spain*, e the most Eastern parts of the *ence*, or the Government of *mala*, between the *Black* and *Pacifick* Seas.

Caste des dents, or the *Ivory* is a part of the Coast of *Gu Africa*, betwixt the Cape of and the Cape of *Three I* whither the *English*, *French*, *ders*, &c. traffick for the *Ele Teeth*, besides *Skins*, *Wax*, and *bergrease*.

Coste d'Or, or the *Golden* another part of the Coast i same Country, so called fr quantity of *Gold* they find u It is about 130 L. long, re from the Cape of *Three*

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Sir *Robert Cotton*, Founder of the Noble *Library* that bears his Name at *Westminster*. This Family has for some years been seated at *Connington* in *Huntingtonshire*, and are descended from the *Bruces* of the Blood loyal of *Scotland* by the Mother's side; and by many Honourable *Aliances* have flourish'd in the Quality of the Upper Gentry long before the time of *K. Edward III.*

Coventry, (*Thomas*) born in *Worcestershire*, descended from *John Coventry* Mercer, and Lord Mayor of *London*. He was of the Society of the Inner Temple *London*, the *K's Serjeant* at Law, and afterward one of the Justices of the Court of *Common Pleas*. His Son *Thomas* pursuing his steps, was in the 18 of *James I.* made the *K's Attorney General*. In 1. of *Charles I.* he was advanced to the eminent Office of Lord Keeper of the Great Seal of *England*, and in the 4 of *Car. I.* Dignified with the Degree of a *Baron* of this Realm, by the Title of *Lord Coventry of Ailesburgh* in *Com. Wigorn*. *Thomas* his Son and Heir succeeded him, and departing this Life in 1662, was succeeded by *George* Lord *Coventry*, and he by the present *Thomas* Earl of *Coventry*, and *Baron of Ailesborough* in the Co. of *Worcester*.

Coventry, a C. in *Warwickshire*, seated on the *Sherburn*, a small Stream, which not far from hence runs into the R. *Avon*. It is of no great Antiquity; but neat, strong, rich, and populous, by employing several Manufactories; and the pleasantness of the Situation, which causes it to be much resorted to. It is also a Bp. See in conjunction with *Leitchfield*, under the A. Bp. of *Canterbury*. It has 3 Churches; the *Abbey or Covent* (whence the name of *Coventry*) was the most Ancient Foundation of the City, being built by *Cannus* the Dane; and the *Cross* may be reckon'd among the Finest

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of *England*. *Henry VI.* annexing the adjacent T. and Villages to this City, made it with them a *Co. Corporate*, distinct from that of *Warwic*, shire. It is 74 m. from *London*, it is (as the Privilege of sending 2 Citizens to Parliament; who now are, Sir *Christ. Hales*, Bar. and *Th. Gery*, Esq; *Coulan*, a T. and K. of the *Indies* in the Peninsula on this side the *Ganges*, upon the Coast of *Malabar*. This City has been considerable, rich, well peopled, and extraordinary flourishing by reason of its Commerce; but of late years *Sands* have stop't up the Mouth of the Harbour, that *Goa* and *Calecut* have most of its former Trade. There are many Christians in it.

Coulour, a Borough of the K. of *Golconda*. Near it is a *Diamond Mine*, discovered by a poor Man about 100 years ago, who digging in a small spot of ground, he found a *Diamond* that weighed about 25 *Carats*, whereas the greatest that were found thereabouts before weighed but 10 or 12 *Carats*. So this spread all over the Country, and the Ablest of the Borough sent to dig that Ground, and found a great Number, some weighing above 45 *Carats*, and one that after it was workt, weighed 280 *Carats*.

Council, this Name taken in general, signifies an Assembly of *Prelates*, that confer about, and decide what belong to Religion, and Ecclesiastical Discipline. Of these are 3 Kinds. 1. General. 2. National. 3. Provincial. *Papists* count 18 general Councils: but *Protestants* allow only 6. The 2 best Editions of them are, that of the *Lowre*, consisting of 37 Volumes in Folio. In 1670, *Labeet* and *Cossartus* Jesuits, publish'd a new Edition of *Councils*, in 17 Vol. Fol. which is one fourth larger than the *Lowre* Edition; and besides, they have likewise run a *Critic* upon a great many Authors.

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and made very many judicious Remarks upon abundance of Places which wanted explanation.

Courland, a Dutchy between the *Baltick Sea*, *Samogitia*, a Prov. of the K. of Poland, and *Livonia*. *Goldingen* is its Capital, and the T. of *Mittau* the ordinary Residence of the Dukes. This Country belonged anciently to the *Teutonic Order*; but *Sigismund Augustus* K. of Poland in, 1587, forced *Gothardus Ketter*, Master of that Order, to Renounce his Right to it, and hold it together with *Semigalen* as a Fee of the Crown of Poland; so that ever since it has been Separated from *Livonia*, and annexed to that Crown, tho' still in the possession of the Family of the *Ketters*.

Courtenay (*Josseline*) Count of *Edeffa*, famous for his vertue and great Courage, who being Sick and Wounded, and hearing his Son refuse to encounter the *Souldan* of *Iconium's* Army, made himself be put

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Courzola, an Island with a T. of the same Name, upon the Coasts of *Dalmatia*, with a B. Suffragan of the A. of *Ragusa*, now belonging to the Rep. of *Venice*, very conveniently seated, for it serves them for an Arsenal to build and refit their Ships; being all covered with very good Timber.

Cowes, a noted Harbour at the Entrance of the Creek, that goes to *Newport* in the Isle of *Wight*, fortified with a Castle.

Cowley (*Abraham*) born in *London*, in 1618. was educated in *Westminster School*, and *Trinity Colledge* in *Cambridge*, where his Progresses in Learning were very promising. At the beginning of the Wars his Loyalty drew him to *Oxford*, the Head Quarters, where he continued his Studies with Reputation. He attended the *Queen*, when she was forced to retire into *France*, in whose service he was above twelve Years absent from his Native Country,

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If in his *Mistresses*, that were wrote in his younger Days, he took an unwarrantable Freedom, his *Muse* was more Religious, and better Governed in his latter Years. He lived about 50 Years, and dying was buried near *Chancer*, and *Spencer* in *Westminster-Abby*.

Cracow, or *Cracovia*, is the Capital City of *Poland*, and stands on the *R. Wey* (*Vistula*) about 40 Polish m. from *Presburg* to the N. E. and 85 from *Dantzick* S. It is a B. See, under the A. of *Gnezna*: there belongs to it a strong Castle built upon a Rock, with vast Suburbs, and an University opened in 1401. by *Uladislaus* K. of *Poland*. The Palatinate of *Cracovia*, which belongs to this City (and is one of the 3 that make up the lesser *Poland*) has *Silesia* on the W. *Hungary* on the S. *Sandomiria* on the E. and the Palatinate of *Siradia* on the N. This City was taken by the *Swedes* in the War under *Charles II.* K. of *Sweden*, in 1655. It is stiled the *Rome* of *Poland* for its Excellency. They tolerate the *Jews* wearing a distinct Habit. In the T. are between 50 and 60 Churches.

Craford, the Title of an *Earl*, Chief of the *Lindseys*, an Ancient and Honourable Family in *Scotland*, which according to *Cambden* have been *Earls* about 400 Years. *James II.* being at variance with his Nobility, endeavoured to bring over some of them by Condescension, and conferring of Honours upon them; and amongst others he created *David Lindsey* *Earl* of *Craford*, *Duke* of *Montross*, because he was a powerful Man in his Country. The Papers and Records belonging to this great Family, having been squandered during the 8 years Imprisonment of the late *Earl*, for his adherence to the K. a fuller Account cannot now be given. The Present *Earl* lived in Retirement

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from all publick Affairs during the late Reigns, and suffered among others for his Nonconformity. But at the time of the *Revolution*, he was by His Majesties favour, and the People's choice, made *President* in all the chief Judicatories of the K. that of *Common Pleas* excepted; in all which Stations he behaved himself as a Loyal Subject, and a true Patriot to his Country. The Mansion-House of this Family is at *Struthers*, in *Fife*, and the Eldest Son bears the Title of *Lord Lindsey*.

Cranbourn, a m. T. in *Dorsetshire*, the Capital of its Hundred, seated near the Spring of a R. that runs into the *Stowre*. It is a T. of good Antiquity, having a Chase that extends almost to *Salisbury*, 85 m. from *London*.

Cranbrook, is a m. T. in *Kent*, in *Surry Lath*, seated at the Head of the *R. Medway*, 44. m. from *London*.

Cranmer (*Thomas*) born at *Aslacton* in *Nottinghamshire*, in 1489. He was Son to *Thomas Cranmer*, Esq; a Gentleman of a very Ancient Family, and whose Ancestors came in with *William I.* His Son *Thomas* was Educated in *Jesus Colledge* in *Cambridge*, where he commenc'd *Doctor of Divinity* in 1523. The lawfulness of the Marriage between *Henry VIII.* and *Q. Catharine* of *Spain*, being made a Question, *Cranmer* took the K's side, and disputed for the Divorce. The K. being pleas'd with his way of arguing, commands him to Court, and afterwards sends him Ambassador to *France*, *Italy*, and *Germany*, where he managed the K. Affairs to his satisfaction, and upon the Death of *A. Warham* sends for him home, and makes him A. of *Canterbury*. He pronounces the Sentence of Divorce against *Q. Catharine*, and marries the K. to *Anne* of *Bulloign*. He disputes against the *Pope's Supremacy* in Parliament: Moves for the

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Translation of the Bible, and promotes the Dissolution of *Monasteries*: Projecting an Erection of New *Bishopricks* out of the Revenues of those Religious Houses. These steps towards a Reformation occasion'd him many Enemies, especially from the *Prebendaries* of *Canterbury*, and the *Justices* of the Peace of the Co. of *Kent*; and afterward by one Sir *John Gostwick* of the House of Commons, whose Information being false and scandalous, he was obliged to submit to the A. and ask his Pardon; but all these did but sleep till Q. Mary's coming to the Crown, and then finding encouragement, the whole Band of *Papists* conspire his Ruin. He is attainted of *Treason*, and sent to the Tower, and from thence to *Oxford*, where after a publick Disputation about Religion, he is condemned for a *Heretick*, and being degraded by the *Pope's Delegates*, appeals to a General Council; soon after he is prevail'd upon to renounce his Principles: but order'd

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and so his great Design died him.

Crassus, (*Lucius*) an Excellent Orator mention'd by *Cicero*, liv'd about 90 Years before our Saviour. *Crassus* (*Marcus Licinius*) a Roman Consul, descended of a Noble Family, was Son of a Consul. He made an Inventory of his Goods, and found he was worth 7100 talents, that is, 4260000 *Crown* sterling. His ordinary saying was as *Cicero* serv'd, that he esteem'd no man his Friend but he that could maintain an Army. He went through all the great Wars in the Roman Com. We. His Avarice was so insatiable, that during his Conquest in *Syria*, he plunder'd the Temple at *Jerusalem*, and carried off an inestimable Booty out of it, worth above 7000 talents. He died in 700. His Covetousness put him at last upon a fatal War against the *Parthians*, for his Son *Marcus* was killed almost in his sight, and himself lost his life in 701 of our S. It's said that the *Parthians* cut off his Head, and carry'd

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wounded his Father, of which wound he died. *Althemes*, finding what he had done, prayed the Gods that he might not survive his Father, so the Earth open'd and swallow'd him.

Crater, Disciple of *Diogenes* the *Cynick*, having a desire to devote himself to the study of Philosophy, threw all his money into the Sea; others say he put it into Bankers hands, with orders to give it to his Children, if they should chauce to have no Wit; but if they should have any, and became Philosophers, he should distribute it among the People, because his Children would then have no occasion for it.

Cratespolis, *Alexander's* Wife, tyrant of *Sicyone*, whom the *Sicyonians* would have dethroned; but she put her self at the Head of an Army, defeated the Rebels, hang'd about 40 of the most Seditious, and so revenged her husband's Death, whom they had murdered, and made her self dreaded by the disobedient.

Cratippe, *Cratippus*, a Greek Historian, contemporary with *Thucydides*, who made a Collection of what the other had omitted, as *Dionysius* of *Halicarnassus*, observes in his Critick upon *Thucydides*.

Craven, (*William*) the Son and heir of *Sir William Craven*, Knight, Merchant-Taylor, and Lord Mayor of *London*, in 1611. 9. *Jac.* I. in his youth much affecting Military Exercises, was sent to the Wars of *Germany*, by *K. Charles I.* where he served under *Gustavus Adolphus*, and afterwards in the Low Countries under the Prince of *Orange*, wherein he gained so much honour, that at his return, *K. Charles* advanced him to the Degree and Dignity of a *Baron* of this Realm, by the title of *Lord Craven*, of *Hamsted-Marshal*, in *Berkshire*, 2 *Car.* I. with remainder for want of Male-Issue of his Body, to *John* and *Thomas Craven*, his Brothers successively, and so the

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Heirs-Male of their Bodies. And for his faithful Services during the civil Wars, was advanced by *K. Charles II.* in the 16 of his Reign to the title of *Viscount Craven*, of *Uffington* in *Berkshire*, and *Earl of Craven*, in the Co. of *York*; and because his Brothers were dead without Issue, with remainder of that title of *Lord Craven of Hamsted-Marshal*, for want of Issue of his own Body lawfully begotten, to *Sir William Craven* of *Lenchwick* in *Worcestershire*, Kt. and to the Heirs-Male of his Body: And for default of these, to *Sir Anthony Craven*, Kt. his Brother; and the Issue-Male of his Body: And afterwards by reason that the Issue-Male of *Sir William Craven* of *Lenchwick*, Kt. was then extinct, in case of Failure of Issue-Male from the before named *Sir Anthony Craven*, Kt. by other Letters-Patents, bearing date 17, *Charles II.* obtained a farther grant, that the title of *Lord Craven of Hamsted-Marshal*, should remain unto *Sir William Craven* Kt. Son to *Sir Thomas Craven*, Brother to the said *Anthony*, and to the Heirs-Male, of his Body for ever. Which honour is enjoyed by the present *William Craven*, Lord, *Craven*, of *Hamsted-Marshal*, in the Co. of *Berks*.

Credi, (*Lorenzo di*) a famous Painter of *Florence*, who setting himself to imitate the Works of *Leonardo de Vinci*, his copies were so fine, that 'twas hard to distinguish them from Originals.

Crediton, a m. T. in *Devonshire*, once a Bishop's See, till *Edward the Confessor* translated it to *Exeter*. 'Tis situate in a good Soil, has a considerable Trade for *Serges*, and is 148 m. from *London*.

Crekelade, a m. T. in *Wiltshire* in the Hundred of *Highbworth*, which returns two Burgesses to Parliament; who are now, *Edmund Dunch*, and *Sir Steven Fox*, Esq.

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Crellius, the most esteemed *Unitarian*, next to *Socinus*. He was born in a Village near *Nuremberg*, in 1590, and settled at *Racovia*, in *Poland*, where the *Socinians* had a School in which he became *Professor*, and was afterwards made *Minister*. He has writ several *Traacts*, in *Theology*, and a *Book of Morals*, and therein among other things maintains, that it's lawful for Men to beat their *Wives*.

Crema, a T. of *Italy*, in the State of *Venice*, with a B. erected by Pope *Gregory XIII.* and *Suffragan* of *Bologna*, situate upon the R. *Serio*, which on the borders of *Milanois* joins the *Adige*. Its fine *Palace*, its *Castle*, and other *Fortifications* make it *Considerable*.

Cremesna, a *Castle*, or *Palace* of the great D. of *Muscovy*, in the T. of *Moscow*, environ'd with 3 Walls, all well furnished with *Cannon*. 'Tis so big within, that it may pass for a small T. contained in a greater.

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Town Ditch that is about 500 paces Round. It borders upon the D. of *Parma*, 40 m. from *Mantua* to the E. and the same distance from *Milan*, to the S. E. Its *Castle* is very strong, and its *Tower* very High. Most of the *Streets* are large, and straight, beautified with good *Buildings*, *Magnificent Churches*, and *Large Squares*. It has been often ruin'd and rebuilt, but at present is a strong Rich and *Populous City*, inhabited by curious *Artificers*, who have been famed through *Europe*, for exceeding others, especially for the best *Violins*, and other stringed musical *Instruments*. It has a good *University*, and the *Territory*, belonging to it, is a fruitful and delicious *Plain*. The *French* and *Modenois* besieged this *City* in 1648, but were not able to take it; and *Prince Eugene* surprized it in *Febr.* 1701.

Crempen, or *Crempten*, a little T. of *Holstein*, in the *Prov.* of *Stormarn*, that belones to the K. of *Den-*



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in Don. Philippin, Bastard of *Sal*, whom he killed in 1599. He killed by a Cannon-Ball at *Cre*.

Francis Crequi, Marechal of *France*, Governour of *Metz*, and Lieutenant General of his Majesty's Armies, was a Scholar as well a Soldier, and gave sufficient proof of his Valour and Conduct. *Frescentin*, (*Marcellus*) Cardinal of *Marsica*, in the K. of *Naples*, *Julius III's* Legate in the Council of *Trent*; his sickness was said proceed from a Fright. He fancied he saw a dog with a terrible Mouth, fiery Eyes, and Ears, lying down, that came to him if he were mad, which threw him into a *Delirium*; and when he was just dying, he cryed out, have care of that dog that is getting into the Bed.

Crespin, or *Crispin*, (*John*) born *Ayas*, understood the Law, and the Polite part of Learning very well; was Advocate to the Parliament, and making an Acquaintance with *Calvin*, he turned Protestant, and removed to *Geneva*, in 1647, and was resolv'd to go to Service to maintain himself.

Crete, or *Creet*, an Island of the *Mediterranean*, to the S. of the *Ægean*.

Sea, now called the Isle of *Candia*, to the S. of the *Archipelago*. The Inhabitants are not oblig'd to *Christians*, who give them very bad Characters; for they say, they were Pirates, Cheaters, and so covetous, that Gain was welcome to them, however they came by it.

Crensa, Daughter of *Creon*, K. of *Thebes*, was married to *Jafon*, which troubled *Medea*, his cast off Wife, that to be reveng'd, she destroy'd several of the Royal Family by Witch-craft.

Crew, (*John*) of *Stene* in the Co. of *Northampton*, Esq; Son and heir to Sir—*Crew*, Kt. one of the sergeants at Law to K. *Charles I.* be-

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ing descended from the Ancient Family of *Crew*, in the Co. Palatin of *Chester*, by contributing with his small hazard his best endeavours, in order to the happy Restoration of K. *Charles II.* was in the 13 Y. of that Prince's Reign advanc'd to the Degree of a Baron of this Kingdom by the Title of Lord *Crew of Stene*, which Honour is now enjoy'd by *Nathaniel Crew*, Baron *Crew of Stene*, Bishop of *Durham*, Kt.

Crim, a T. of the lesser *Tartary*, which was also called *Crim Tartary*. It comprehends all the Peninsula, which the Ancients nall'd *Chersonesus Taurica*, and was inhabited by the *Cimmerians*.

Crinas, or *Critias*, a famous Physician, and Astrologer of *Marseilles*, liv'd in *Nero's* time, and got so much money, that he allowed a Million to environ the City with a Wall, and left another considerable Sum to repair others.

Criolles, a Name which was given to the Families descended of the first *Spaniards*, that settled in *Mexico* in *America*.

Criticks, a Name given to those that pretend to pass their Judgments on the Productions of *Wit*, who often become the Objects of some People's laughter, and of others compassion, for being more passionate in censuring, than wise in judging, for want of Capacity; for those that intend to gain credit by their *Criticks*, should be Masters of several rare Qualities, that are hardly met with in one single Person; the most important is *Judgment*, to discern between *Truth* and *Falshood*, and between *Good* and *Evil*; besides this, he must be universally learned and sincere, exempt of Prejudice and Prevention; for otherwise, instead of inheriting the Honour of *Aristarchus*, they will fall under the Reproach of *Zoilus*.

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Critolaus, a Greek Historian, rendered his Name very famous by a Treatise of the *Epirots*, cited by *Plutarch* in his third Book. *Critolaus*, Son of *Reximachus*, was Eldest of the three Brothers, that fought against the three Sons of *Damoftratus*, which decided the Quarrel between the Citizens of *Tegæa*, and *Pheneæ*, a T. in *Arcadia*. Both *Critolaus's* Brothers were kill'd, after they had wounded their Adversaries; but *Critelaus* kill'd his Man call'd *Damoftratus*, and then made an end of the other two that were wounded; but as he return'd victorious, his Sister *Damodice*, that was promis'd to *Damoftratus*, refusing to congratulate his Victory, with the rest of the Inhabitants of *Tegæa*, so vex'd him, that he kill'd her on the place. Her Mother appear'd against him before the *Senate* of the T. but the *Tegæans* could by no means be brought to condemn him, who had but just given them their Liberty, and

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Crocus, a young Man, who falling desperately in love with the Nymph *Smilax*, was changed into the Herb *Saffron*, and she into the *Yew-Tree*.

Cresus, K. of *Lydia*, who possessed great Wealth and Treasure, and sent some Wedges of Gold for an Offering to *Apollo*, as a Reward for his Oracles. He was taken Prisoner by *Cyrus*, and condemned to be burnt alive; being brought to the place of Execution, and lying upon the Pile of Wood, he cried out *Solon*, *Solon*, and having repeated those words three times, *Cyrus* asks what God he was calling upon; he answer'd that *Solon* was a Philosopher, who fore-told him this Misfortune; whereupon he commanded the Fire to be put out, but they could not do it. Then *Cresus* called upon *Apollo*, and a sudden Rain fell which put out all the Fire.

Croisade, a Name given the Christian Expeditions, against the Infidels, for the Conquest of the Holy



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ice of Cardinal *Wolsey*. After-
d preferred unto the service
K. *Henry VIII.* where his first
was to *Master* of the K. *Tewel-*
e: Then advanced to the de-
of a *Peer*, *Master* of the *Rolls*,
er of the *Privy Seal*, *Vicar*
ral, and *Lord Vicegerent* in Ec-
astical affairs, *Earl* of *Essex*, and
of the *Garter*. He is said to
given too much encouragement
ills of *Attainder*, without bring-
the Persons to their *Answers*: and
ell afterwards himself by those
ous methods of Justice. He
Arrested for high *Treason* in the
ncil-Chamber by the Duke of
olk, committed to the *Tower*,
tinted for *Heresy* and *Treason*,
Act of Parliament, and *Behead-*
on *Tower-Hill*, July 28. 1540.

Cromwell, (*Oliver*) born in 1599, at
Stington, Descended of a Gentle-
ily in that Country. He study'd
e little time at *Cambridge*, and
ols-Inn; but without much im-
vement either in *Learning* or *Law*.
Youth was at first unmanage-
, and Leud; then he pretended
eform, and set up for a *Puritan*.
ea the Rebellion broke out, he
made a *Captain* of Horse under
Earl of *Essex*; but run away at
e-Hill, and had like to have been
ke: Tho' to do him Justice, he
rwards appear'd a Man of Cou-
e. His Zeal and Successes pre-
'd him to the Post of *Leiente-*
t-General, to the *Earl* of *Man-*
ster. The King being brought
his Tryal, *Cromwell* was one of
High Court of Justice; and af-
the K. was Murder'd, was sent
eral into *Ireland*, in 1649. Com-
back to *England*, he is made *Ge-*
d in the room of the *Lord Fair-*
. He turns the Parliament out of
ors, and makes himself *Protector*:
en by his Creatures, he started
Project of being made *King*, but
ft not venture on it. Then find-

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ing discontents fomented in the Ar-
my by *Lambert's Gang*, he falls in-
to the *Spleen* at *Hampton-Court*, and
Dies at *White-Hall*, Sept. 3. 1658.

Cromwell, (*Richard*) *Oliver's* El-
dest Son, being named by him for
his Successor before his Death,
was by Order of the *Privy-Council*
proclaimed *Lord Protector*. He was
addressed by the generality of the
Nation, who promised to stand by
him with their Lives and Fortunes;
but he had no sooner solemniz'd his
Father's Funeral, which cost near
60000 l. but he found himself in-
volved in abundance of trouble by
the Officers of the Army, and for
want of Courage to handle them
roughly at first, as his Father used
to do, they assumed the Power to
Discard him, and so *Richard* retired
into the Country to a private Life,
where he has lived ever since.

Cronenberg, a considerable Castle,
in the Isle of *Zealand*, in *Denmark*,
upon the Sound, 5. m. from *Copen-*
hagen, near the Town of *Elseneur*,
is a Defence against any Invasion,
either by the Ocean, or the Baltick
Sea: yet the *Swedes*, took it in
1659, but restor'd it again.

Cross, the most cruel, and dis-
graceful of all Torments, and Deaths.
The Romans lookt upon it as so vile
a Punishment, that *Cicero*, imputes
it as a Crime to *Verres*, that he
Crucified a Roman, Citizen.

Crown, was first a Mark of *Victo-*
ry, and afterward of Dignity; of
which there were several sorts a-
mong the Ancient Romans. The
Triumphal Crown, which at first
was made of *Lawrel*, but after-
wards some were made of *Gold*.
The *Oval Crown*, allowed to them
that had the Honour of the *Little*
Triumph, and was made of *Myrtle*, and
some *Lawrel*. The *Obsidional Crown*,
presented to him that raised the
Seige, and was made of the *Green*
Grass, that grew within the T. The

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Civick Crown, due to a *Citizen* that saved his fellow Citizens. The *Mural* Crown, due to him that first Scaled the Wall, and entred a *Besieged* T. this was made of Gold. There was also one call'd *Castrensis*, for him that first entred the Enemies Camp: With a *Naval* Crown of Gold, for him that first *Boarded* the Enemies Ships. And now there are *Imperial*, *Regal*, and *Sovereign* Crowns, according to the Custom of several Countries, which are peculiar Marks of Dignity.

Croydon, a M. T. in *Surrey*, the Capital of its Hundred, 9 m. from *London*; where there is a good Free-School, and an Hospital, both Founded by Archbishop *Whitgift*.

Crummus, K. of the *Bulgarians*, in 811, who overcoming *Nicephorus*, Emp. of *Constantinople*, killed him; and exposed his head upon a *Gibbet*, then he made a Cup of his *Skull*, and cover'd it with Silver, that his Successors as well as himself might make

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Culembach, upon the *Mein*, a little T. of *Germany* in *Francia* situate between *Bamberg*, and *Coburg*; it gives its name to the Marquis of *Culembach* of the House of *Brandenburg*.

Culpeper, (Sir *John*) a Person of great abilities, and known Loyalty, was by K. *Charles* I. constituted Chancellor of the Exchequer, afterward Master of the Rolls, and one of his Majesties privy Council. In consideration of his good Service during the War, he advanced him in the 20 Y. of his reign to the Dignity of a Baron of this Realm, by the title of Lord *Colepeper* of *Thoresway* in the Co. of *Lincoln*, who was succeeded by his Son *Thomas*, and he by *John Colepeper*, Baron, *Colepeper*, of *Thoresway*.

Cumberland, is the farthest Co. in *England*, N. W. Devided N. from *Scotland*, bounded E. with *Northumberland*, and *Westmorland*, S. with *Lancashire*, and W. with the *Irish Sea*.

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his Royal Highness, Prin. George of Denmark, created by K. William III. Baron of Ockingham, E. of Kendall, and D. of Cumberland, April. 10. 1689. This Co.sends 2 Ks. to Parliament, who are now Sir Edward Hesel, Kt. and George Fletcher, Esquire.

Cumea, a Sibyl, called *Italique*, because the Prophetied in *Italian*, of several things concerning our Saviours Birth; so that *Julian* the Apostate observing her Books did not favour him, he burnt them.

Camegonda, descended of the Count *Palatine*, was married to the Emp. Henry II. with whom she lived in perpetual Virginity. Its said that to convince that Prin. of the wrong opinion he conceived of her life, she walked upon burning Coals, or as others say, held a burning Iron in her hand. After the Emp. Death which happened in 1024, she spent the remainder of her life which was 16 Y. in a Convent of Nuns, founded by her self.

Cunibert, Son of *Petavic*, King of the Lombards, was Associated to the Government, about 680, and Reigned after his Father in 689, *Alabri*, D. of Trent, whose life he had saved sometime before, Revolted against him in 691, and made himself Master of *Paris*; but lost his life in a Battel fought in 694, after which the K. reigned peaceably until he died, in 701.

Cunina, a Goddess, who according to ancient Pagans, had the care of Young Children in their Cradles.

Cupido, a Deity which the Ancients thought did Preside over Love.

Curdes, Inhabitants of *Curdistan*, who have also spread over *Mesopotamia*, *Armenia*, and *Syria*: they are under the Protection of the K. of *Persia*, and their Language resembles the *Persian* very much.

Curio, a Roman Orator, that lived in *Julius Caesar's* time. He was na-

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turally Eloquent, and his sentences were very Instructive: *Tacitus*, says he was one of those that reap'd the Fruit of their Studies, and that *Claudius*, and he received great Sums for Pleading. *Suetonius* adds, that in one of his Orations he called *Cesar*, every Woman's Husband, and every man's Wife.

Curislairs, are 5 small Islands over against the Mouth of the Gulph of *Lepanto*, formerly called that of *Corinth*. Near these Islands, the Christians gained the famous Battle, of *Lepanto*, against the Turks, in 1571.

Curson, or *Curtson*, (*Robert*) an English-man, who lived in the 16 Cent. He studied first at *Oxford*, and from thence went to *Paris*, where he made such a happy progress in Learning, that he was made Chancellor of that University. Pope *Innocent III.* gave him a Cardinal's Hat, with a Commission to publish the *Croisade* in *France*; from whence he came into *England*, on the same business; and being afterward sent as *Legate* into the E. he died at *Damietta*, in 1218.

Curtius, (*Quintus*) a Roman Gentleman, who lived in the 292 Y. of *Rome*. 'Tis said that upon perceiving a great Gulph in the middle of the *Forum* at *Rome*, which made an Impression upon the People, and seemed to preface Misfortune, and understanding likewise by the Oracle, that this Chasm, could not be filled up, unless the Romans, would be at the expence of throwing the most valuable thing they had into it, *Curtius* concluding that his own Valour was the best thing in the Town, he Arms himself as for the field, Mounts, and clapping Spurs to his Horse, Gallops into the Abyss, upon which the ground closed again immediately.

Cusco, a T. of *S. America*, in *Peru*, which the Spaniards, took from the Natives and found immense Treasure

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in it, lockt up in *Caves*, and hid in Holes of the Earth; the Air here is somewhat cold but healthful, and they want nothing that is necessary for the Support of Life.

Cuthbert, A. of *Canterbury*, died in 760. He published the Acts of a *Synod*, held under him in 747. His other Writings were an Epistle to Pope *Zacharias*, and a discourse on the *Tombs*, of great men.

Cutler, (*Sir Gervase*) of *Stainber-Hall*, in *Yorkshire*. This Family in former times wrote *Coteler*. The first of this Name since *William* the I. was of *Saxon* Extraction, and was for sometimes forc'd to be disguis'd under another name upon the *Norman* invasion. This *Sir Gervase* in the time of *K. Charles I.* rais'd a considerable number of men at his own charge, to serve the *K.* against the *Rebellion*, and convey'd almost 1000 *l.* worth of Plate to *Pontefract* Castle for his Majesties Service. After his decease his Lady was oblig'd to compound twice

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her Crowned with Towers, with a Key in her hand, clad in flowred Stuff, and placed upon a chair drawn by four Lyons. The *Pine-Tree* was consecrated to her, after *Atis* whom she loved so well was metamorphos'd into it.

Cyclades, Islands of the *Aegean* Sea called the *Archipelago*, because they make a Circle in the Sea, round about the Isle *Delos*, where they say *Apollo* and *Diana* were born.

Cycle of the *Sun*, a Revolution, of 28 Y. after which the Y. adjust'd to the *Sun*, by the Preceeding *Bis-sextile*, begins at the same day of the Week, as *Sunday*, *Monday*, &c. To apprehend this, it must be known that the ordinary Y. consisting of 365 Days, making 52 Weeks, and one day, makes the last day of the year to be the same with the first, and the following begins with another day than the preceeding began with. If there was no change but this, the *Cycle* of the *Sun* should

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is sooner than in the preceding. This Cycle, consists of Y. in which are 7 Embolus 7 Months inserted, which 35 Lunar Months, that 39 days, 16 Hours, 39 Minutes 19 Solar Y. according to the Calendar, make 6939 118 Hours; whence it follows this Cycle, of 19 Y. of the Moon, is less by about a half; but this was by the Gregorian Calendar; Hour and a half being necessary an Anticipation of 4 that the new Moon was the Golden Number four soon, in such a manner, Rules established for the of Easter, were not rightly

the first inhabitants of a Monstrous or Gigantic as appeared by the Bones several Tombs. They were, and kept about Mount which gave Poets, occasion them Vulcan's Smiths, who d them in making Jupiter's bolts.

a R. of Asia Minor in where the Water is so very it had like to have killed the great by washing in lid as some Writers affirm, Emp. Frederick Barbarossa return from the E. in

one of the chief T. of the Crete, first called Apollonia; called Candia.

Daughter to Philip II. R. don, and Sister to Alexander. She married Amintas Son of Alexander III. lawful Heir to own, that Philip usurped.

a Courageous and Heroick, commanded Armies, won victories, killed the Q. of the with her own hands. After the Alexander's Death, that

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his Possessions might not fall to her Children, that she had by Perdicas, she opposed his Pretensions, who at length contrived her Death.

Cyniques, a Sect of Philosophers founded by Antisthenes of Athens, who lived in the XCIV. Olympiad: his Sect grew famous by the Reputation of his Disciples, Diogenes and Anonymus of Syracuse. It took its name from the place Antisthenes taught in, without the Gates of Athens, called Κυνεουρας; though some have been pleased to say since, that the too Free or Canine way the Cynicks lived, was occasion of the name; but the People of this Profession did but laugh at the injurious Title, and Diogenes, made very pleasant Repartees to those that thought to affront him with it. Thus he asked Alexan. the great, when he came to see him, whether he was not afraid the Dog would bite him? They applied themselves to the study of Morality; yet nothing was more biting and offensive, than their Conversation. They held that good was Good in all places, and therefore that 'twas Lawful to Eat, drink, or perform natural Actions like Brutes in the Street, and that all things were common among Friends. Hipparchus suffer'd Crates to lye with her in a full company; and Diogenes is accused of the like Indecencies. Yet several Authors excuse their Faults

Cynopolis, a T. of Egypt, in the E. part of the Nile, where Anubis a God of the Egyptians, was Adored, and Dogs were kept at the charge of the Publick. Κύνωνας signifies, the T. of Dogs.

St. Cyprian (Cecilius) B. of Carthage lived in the 3d. Cen. and succeeded Donatus, or Agrippinus An. C. 248. His birth was Noble, and he taught Rhetorick with great applause before his Conversion to the Faith of Jesus Christ, which was occasioned by a Friend of his

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his called *Cecilius*, in gratitude to whom he took his name. During the Emp. *Decius's* Persecut. of the Christians, he shewed all possible Zeal in the Defence of his Flock; and after, lying hid in a secure place, he supplied the wants of his People by his Letters full of Piety, and Instruction. He suffered *Martyrdom* during the Persecution of *Valerian*, and *Galienus*, in 258, or 261 as *Baronius* will have it. The best Edition of *St. Cyprian's* Works; is that of *Dottor John Hall* Lord B. of Oxford, which was Printed in *England* and *Germany*. This has in the beginning of it the Life of *St. Cyprian*, Entitled, *Annales Cyprianici*, Written by *Dr. John Pearson*, Lord B. of *Chester*.

Cyprus; an Island of the *Mediterranean* Sea, called by the *Turks* and *Arabians* *Kubros*, about 60 M. N. from the Shoars of *Syria* and *Anatolia*; extended in Length from E. to W. 220 m. and is in Circuit about 350. This Island is so very fruitful;

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netians, possessed themselves In 1560, *Selim* the grand S took it from them; whose Successors have enjoyed it to the present. There are three considerable cities, viz. *Merouge*, W. *S. Famagusta*, E. and about Villages.

Cyrano Bergerac, a French of a very particular Character flourish'd in the last Age. He was born in *Gascony*, in 1620. his Father a good Gentleman, would have had him a Scholar, but his inclination to Arms, put him a Cadet into the Regiment of *Guards*: Here his Courage and Readiness to serve his Friends, made him soon know the frequent Duels he was engaged in, as *Second*. This, and some other desperate Actions, got him the Name of *Intrepid*, and the *D* *Courage*. He was shot through the Body at the Siege of *Mouzon* run through the Neck at the Siege of *Arras*, in 1640; but what he

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man, in 1558, and in process of time fell to the *Arabians*, and at last to the *Turks*.

Cyreneans, a Sect of Philosophers, so called from their Founder *Aristippus* of *Cyrene*, Scholar of *Socrates*, who liv'd in the *XCVI Olympiad*. These would have two motions in the Soul, Grief and Pleasure; thought all Pleasures were alike, and esteem'd Vertue no otherwise, than as it conduced to Sensuality.

St. Cyril, Patriarch of *Alexandria*, famous for his Piety and Doctrine, lived in the V Age, and in 412 succeeded *Theophilus* his Mother's Brother. He began to exercise his Episcopacy with great Authority, and put *St. Chrysostom's* Name into the Ecclesiastical Records at *Atticus's*, and *St. Isidore's* Request. He presided at the General Council of *Ephesus*, in 431, wherein *Nestorius* was condemned. And afterwards wrote against *Theodorus* of *Mopsuestia*, *Diadorus* of *Tharsus*, and *Julian* the Apostate: And after writing many other Books, died in 453. We have his Works both Greek and Latin, in VI Volumes.

Cyrus I. of this Name K. of *Persia*, was Son to *Cambyses*, a Person of mean Condition, and *Mandana* Daughter of *Astyages*, K. of the *Medes*; he was expos'd to be devoured in a Forest by his Grandfather's Order, who was told, that one of his Grandchildren should dethrone him. *Harpagus* who was sent to execute the Command, preserv'd and got him brought up in a Shepherd's House; so that afterwards at the Head of some rebellious Subjects, he pull'd *Astyages* off the Throne, and gave beginning to the *Persian* Monarchy, founded upon the Ruin of that of the *Medes*. This happened in the 55 *Olympiad*, 559 Y. before *Jesus Christ*. After this his great Conquests made his way to the Crown. After these ex-

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ploits he set the *Jews* at Liberty after 70 Y. Captivity, and gave them leave to return into their Country, and Rebuild the City and Temple of *Jerusalem*. *Theodoret* says, that *Daniel* shew'd him his Name in *Isaiah*, and the Prediction of this Return. In the mean time, almost all *Asia* truckled to this mighty Conqueror; who making War against the *Massagetes*, defeated their Army by a Stratagem, with their General *Spargapifus*, Q. *Tomyris's* Son; but this Prince's coming her self sometime after with a mighty Army, routed the *Persians*, and got *Cyrus's* Head cut off, and plunging it into a Vessel full of Blood, bid it fill it self with what it so much thirsted for. His Death is generally put in the 224 or 5 of *Rome* 530 Y. before our Saviour, and the 9 of his Empire.

Cyrus II. called the Young, Son to *Darius*, surnamed the Bastard, and younger Brother to *Artaxerxes* II. called *Mnemon*. This Prin. not satisfied with the Government of *Asia*, which his Father had given him, would deprive his Brother of the Crown, under Pretext, that he only was born since his Father was K. but was defeated in his first warlike Attempt.

Cythera, an Island of *Greece*, where Poets say, *Venus* was born of the Froth of the Sea, and that is the Reason why she is called *Cytheraea*. The Inhabitants adored her in a sumptuous Temple, consecrated to her under the Name of *Venus Urania*.

Cyzicus K. of the Peninsula of the *Propontis*, treated the *Argonauts* sumptuously, who landed there as they went for the *Golden Fleece*. These *Heroes* having put to Sea, were beat back again upon the Coasts at night by a Storm. *Cyzicus* taking them for Pirates, or Enemies oppos'd their landing, but was killed in the Engagement. *Jussu* d'Argemonting h.

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the next day among the Dead, buried him honourably.

Czar, that is King, a Name the *Russians* give their Sovereign, whom we generally call Great D. of *Muscovy*. *Beckman* does not doubt, but they drew the Name from *Caesar*, hearing that the other People of *Europe* called him so, that was chosen to be their Emperour, they would have no meaner Title for theirs, who commanded a greater Country than *Germany*. *Basilus* Son of *John Basilides*, under whom the *Muscovites* Power began to appear about 1470, was the first that assum'd the Name of *Czar*.

Czaslaw, a T. of *Bohemia*, one of the Prefectures of the Country, where is *Guttenberg*, and some other Boroughs. It's Big and well Peopled, lying upon the little R. called *Crudinck*.

Czenstochow, or *Creschow*, a little T. of Upper *Poland* in *Lithuania*, belonging to the *Czar* of *Muscovy*; it lies upon the R. *Danube* in the Du-

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Czyrkhizersee, in *Lugea*, a great Lake of *Carniola*, a Prov. of *Germany* towards *Italy*, stretching 4 m. between Woods and Mountains, very remarkable, because every Y. they Fish, Hunt, Sow and Reap Corn in it. About the Spring, small Brooks run down the Mountains into it. This Water lessens in its Course, because the open Earth soaks in a great part of it; the rest is received into Pits of Stone, which look as if they were cut by Art. When these are full, there happens a very strange thing: for the Water not only runs over, but all that they contain'd rushes out with extraordinary Violence and Rapidity, and the Brooks ceasing to run, all the Water forms a Lake, where in the deepest Places it's 8 Cubits, and in other places 5 Foot. Sometime after, this same Water returns into the Pits, whilst part of it is lost under Ground. It's then they Fish, and they that dwell near the Lake saw their Corn, and through the Streets



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ag, Governour of *Spain* un-
isian and *Maximian*, a suc-
 cessor of the Christians.
Vincent and several others
 in the III. Cen.

ag, a fruitful Plain in *Per-*
sia the T. of *Schiras* and
 ending with *Orange*, Ci-
 ty. Pomgranate Trees, some
 are so very large, that 3
 scarcely grasp them, and
 unable in Height, The rest
 in produces good *Rice* and
 it is one of the most de-
 and plentiful places in all

ag, an Ingenious Mechan-
 ic, who invented divers use-
 ments, and curious Sta-
 tues. His Eyes moved so natural-
 ly they seemed to have Life;
 which rendered him most
 was, that being confined in
 the under the Displeasure of
 of *Crete*, he made himself
 Son Artificial Wings, with
 he escaped; but his Son not
 his Direction fell into
 and was drowned. Some
 it this was only the use of
 which gave motion to Ships

ag, a Country between the
Astragon to the N. and the
Schirmam in *Persia* to the S.
 it by *Tartars* under a Prince
 own; in security against In-
 by the means of inaccessible
 is: They live by robbing
 es, and stealing one ano-
 thers and selling them for

ag I. Son of *Clotarius* and
 he, was during his Father's
 of *Austrasia*, and afterward,
 the IX. French K. He redu-
 ced the Britons and Gascons, and
 given Peace to *France*, died
 at Age, An. 638, or 644.

ag II. surnamed the Young,
Childebert the Just, was K. of

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France, An. 711, in Name, but had not
 the Authority of a K. for that was
 usurped by the Majors of the Palace.

Dagobert, Son of *Sigibert* II.
 King of *Austrasia*, was depo-
 sed by *Grimoald* Mayor of the
 Palace, to set *Childebert* his own
 Son upon the Throne; but the Peo-
 ple hating his Treachery, *Dagobert*
 was restored, An. 676, but after-
 wards assassinated by the Faction of
Thierry I. K. of *France*.

Dagon the *Philistin* Idol, of Hu-
 mane Portraiture upwards, but
 downwards, the Legs excepted, re-
 sembled that of a Fish, with Scales
 and a Finny Tail turning upwards.
 The word in *Hebrew* signifies a Fish,
 and probably was the same with
Neptune or *Triton*.

Daille, a celebrated Protestant
 Divine at *Charenton* near *Paris* in
France; born at *Chateleraut*, Jan. 6.
 1594. He was designed for a Lay-
 man, but his own Inclination led
 him to study at *Poitiers* and *Sau-*
mur; and in 1619 was Tutor to the
 Grandchildren of the Sieur *Philip du*
Plessis Mornay, in *Italy*, *Germany*,
Holland and *England*. At his return
 he was ordained a Protestant Mini-
 ster and entertained by the Sieur *du*
Plessis, who died in his Arms not
 long after. He was afterward Mi-
 nister of *Saumur*, then at *Charenton*,
 and died at *Paris* in April 1670, a-
 ged 77. His Integrity and great
 Learning gave him a valuable Cha-
 racter in the World.

Daillon, a French Family of which
 there have been many famous Pro-
 testants, Secular and Divine.

Dairo, the Name of the High
 Priest in the Empire of *Japan*, to
 whose Family the whole did anti-
 quently belong, till it was usurp'd by
 the Predecessors of the present Em-
 peror. The Sanctity ascribed to the
Dairo by these Pagans is so extraor-
 dinary, that his Feet must not touch
 the Ground, nor the Sun shine up-

on his Head: He is never expos'd to the Air, nor hath his Hair, Beard or Nails cut. His Food must always be carried to his Table in new Baskets, and put upon new Plates. When he goes abroad it is in a Litter resembling one of our *Chariots*, whose Pillars are all of Massy Gold, carried by Gentlemen of the best Quality in his Court. His Guards march before, and a Coach follows with two Horses, whose *Happings* are embroider'd with *Pearls* and *Diamonds*, which is for the *Daïro's* Wife and Concubines; and other stately Coaches follow, to make the Cavalcade.

Dale (*Sir Thomas*) flourished in March 1406 - in the Time of the most Victorious *Edw. III. K. of England*, &c. being servant to *Lionel, Duke of Clarence*, &c. as also Lord-Justice of *Ireland*, *Ann* 1359 (39 *Edw. III.*) and cast away with *Sir John of Arundel*; [so call'd for that he was 2d Son to *Richard* third Earl of *Arundel* of the Family of *Fitz-*

the King's Service, for *Aquitain* (1292) 17 *Rich. II.* This *Thomas* married *Beatrice*, eldest of the three Daughters and Co-heirs of *Roger Wolverston*, Junior, of *Wolverston-Hall* in *Sussex*, by *Elizabeth* his Wife, Daughter and Heir of *Robert Fitz-Ralph*, by another *Elizabeth* his Wife, Daughter and one of the two Co-heirs to *John* (Son and Heir of *Sir Thomas*) *de Helbroke*, by *Maud*, his Wife, Daughter to *Sir Robert Bouchier*, Kc. Lord *Bouchier* and Chancellor of *England*, prime Ancestor to the Earls of *Essex* and *Esse*, Viscounts *Bouchier*, Lords *Bouchier* and *Lovaine*; the Earls of *Bath* and Lords *Fitz-Warine*; as also to the Lords *Berners*, and the Lords *Cromwell*, all branched from that illustrious Stock: Which *Thomas Dale* and *Beatrice* (who serving him, remarried *Thomas Belthorpe*, Esq; and was living with her said Husband Feb. 1. (1442.) 22 *Hen. VI.*) had a Son *Thomas*, born at *Tattingston, Com. Suff. prædictæ* who was buried in the Parish Church

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Robert Aspell, Kt. Sister of Blood to John Lord Tiptotrys, Father to John the first Worcester, Lord Tiptot, &c. Joan was Sister and Co-heir to Denys, Esq; who died die prox. post Festum S. Petri ad Jul. Aug. 1. (1435.) 13 Hen. VI. at that time of the age of 5, whereupon the said Thore uxoris) became possess'd of the manor of Tiptotcote aforesaid, and residing as one of the Commissioners to levy LXIV Men at Arms in Rutlandshire for defence of the Realm, Dec. 17. (1457.) VI. which Year he moreover held the Office of Sheriff for that County, but died Sept. 15. (1358.) IV. leaving John his Son and aged 30 Years or upwards, according to an Inquisition taken at Braham [now written Babram] in Bridgshire, ultimo Octob. eodem Anno. Which John Dale, Esq; was made Sheriff of Rutland (1459.) IV. who took to Wife Emme daughter to Walter Taylard, of Ewer-Temple, London, Esq; [Sir William Taylard of Doddington in Huntingdon, Esq; whose Heir I is the Right Honourable Robert Rudnel) E. of Cardigan, &c.] he ceased Octob. 20. (1479.) 19 V. being seiz'd of the Manors of Dale-Hall, with the Apurtenances in Thurleston Com. Suff. held Prior of the Holy Trinity in London, as in right of his Abbey; Mannor of Lalford [called Lallford] in Lalford, Com. Essex; of the manors of Temysford [aliter Temyrd] and Berkford, both in Northamptonshire; of the Mannor of Wymington, Com. Cantabr. (which was vested in Trustees) held of the King of Richmond; of the Mannor of Wynginge in the Town of Evertan in Northamptonshire (likewise in

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Trustees) and of the Mannor of Tiptyncote [verius Tikencote] in Com. Roteland, leaving William his Son and Heir, upwards of the Age of 8 Years; which William Dale of Dale-Hall, &c. aforesaid, Esq; and of Tedelmarsh [modo Tidmarsh] in Berkshire, wedded Elizabeth, Daughter to Richard D'Anvers (vulgo Davers) of Prescot, Com. Oxon. and of Culworth in Northamptonshire, Esq; immediate Ancestor to Henry late Earl of Danby, &c. Knight of the most Noble Order of the Garter, and died Octob. 24. (1536.) 28 Hen. VIII. seiz'd (inter alia) of the Mannor of Dale in Lawford, Com. Essex, as also of 20 Melluages, 400 Acres of Land, 60 Acres of Meadow, 200 Acres of Pasture, 100 Acres of Wood, together with 40 Acres of Furz and Heath, likewise in Lawford, having Issue only Daughters, scil. 1. Jane, Wife of William Wollascot, of Wollascot, in Com. Salop, Esq; 2. Ann, married to Alexander Fetiplace, of Swynbrook in Oxfordshire [a lineal Descendent from Thomas Fetiplace of East-Shefford, Com. Berks, Esq; by Beatrice, a Daughter to John I. K. of Portugal, Relict of Gilbert, Lord Talbot, but before him of Thomas, Earl of Arundel, &c.] And, 3. Elizabeth (then deceased) sometime Wife to Randle Lynne of Norfolk; thereof ensued the Decay of this Surname in a direct Line, yet by a younger Brother, viz. Leonard Dale, (second Son to Sir Thomas) aforesaid, there was preserved a Succession of Males, in whom it still prosperously continueth at Hunters-tie-head, Westerdale in Blackmoor, &c. Com. Ebor.

Dalecarlia, a considerable Prov. of Sweden, having Norway on the W. and N. Helsingia on the E. and Wermerland a Prov. of Gothland on the S. It is a rough hilly Country, and has no considerable T. in it, on-

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ly some small Villages. It was this rugged People that assisted *Gustavus Erick* against *Christiern II.* K. of Denmark, for recovery of their Liberty, and who laid the Foundation of the Swedish present Grandeur.

Dalem, a small T. of Holland in the Dutchy of Limburg, having a great Territory; 3 L. from *Aix la Chapelle*, and 2 from *Leige*; it has a strong Castle, and is well fortify'd.

Dalmatia, a Prov. in the ancient *Illyria*, formerly very large, but now much abated. It's divided between the *Venetians* and the *Turks*: The Language of the Christians is *Sclavonick*, and their Religion *Papery*. The People are Martial by Nature, but ridiculous in their Diversions.

Dalmatius, Son of *Constantius Chlorus*, he was honoured with the Purple, and had the Title of *Nobilissimus*. Of this Name there was a Bishop of *Cyzicum* who wrote the Acts of the Council of *Nice*. It was also the Name of an Orthodox *Hermit*, who confuted the *Nestorian* He-

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rate, 20 L. from *Surat*: In the Hands of the Portuguese, who built it, and have so strongly fortify'd it, that the Great Mogul in vain lately besieg'd it with 40000 Men

Damascus, sometime the Capital of Syria, but now of Phoenicia, seated in a Plain, surrounded with Mountains, 140 m. from *Jerusalem* to the S. and *Antioch* to the N. famous for the miraculous Conversion of *St. Paul* near and in it. This was one of the first great C. that the *Saracens* took from the *Romans* in 636. In 813 it was made the Seat of one of their *Califs*. *Babylon* being the 2d. and *Grand Cairo* the 3d. About 1395 it became a Prey to that *Flagellum Dei* *Tamerlain* the great *Scythian* Conqueror: After this it was subject to the *Sultans* of *Egypt*, till *Selim I.* about 1514 subjected it to the *Ottoman* Empire, under which it still remains. 'Tis situate in a fruitful Valley, and so extremely Pleasant, that many Authors give it the Title of the *Paradise* of the



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It continuing by a strong Hand in
a Usurpation and Impieties.

Dambea, a C. and Km. in *Ethiopia*
Africa, near the Fountains of the
ile, which has a *Lake* in it of the
me name, 25 *French* L. in length,
and 15 in breadth, encompassed on
l sides by Mountains, out of which
ise a vast number of *Rivers* to
rm the *Lake* called *Bardam-Bear*,
the Sea of *Dambea* in the *Ethiopic*
language : And out of these Wa-
rs thus united, the *Nile* springeth,
some distance from the Moun-
ins. There are 21 Islands stand-
g in this *Lake*, the chiefest of
ich is *Dek*.

Damianus, Captain of a Troop of
abbers, who resolv'd to kill *Soly-*
m II. in his Tent in the middle of
Army, encamp'd on the Bank of
e *Ionian* Sea, near the C. *Butranto*
Albania, and to that end engag'd
me Savage People in his Design ;
it was discovered, put to the
ick, and afterwards devour'd by a
ild Beast.

Damianus, a Greek Philosopher
nd Mathematician. He wrote two
oks of *Opticks*, now in the Library
f Cardinal *Francis Barbarini*. *Isaac*
iffus got them transcribed, in or-
er to their Publication.

Daniata, a famous *Egyptian* T. on
he entrance into the *Mediterranean*
ia, and the most Easterly Branch
f the *Nile*. This C. stands on the
pposite Shoar to *Pelusium*. It was ta-
ken by the Christians in 1218, but in
1221 they were forced against their
Wills to restore it ; for they were
volv'd in such insupportable Mi-
eries by the Waters that were let
tose upon them, that they must o-
herwise have inevitably perish'd.

Damocles, a flattering Courtier to
Dionysius the Tyrant, whose Happi-
ss he extoll'd and extreemly ad-
ir'd, but chang'd his Sentiments,
hen being invited by that Prince
a sumptuous Feast, and set upon

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a magnificent Couch, he perceived a
naked Sword hanging over his Head
by a slender Thread, which made
him supplicate the proud Tyrant to
reduce him to his former state, that
he might enjoy the Happiness of a
middling Condition, without the
danger of aspiring higher to his De-
struction.

Damocritus, a Greek Historian, fa-
mous for his Works about the Mili-
tary Art of Ranging and Adjusting
Battels.

Damocritus, General of the *Ætoli-*
ans against the *Romans*, being ta-
ken Prisoner, run himself through to
prevent being led in Triumph.

Damon, a Philosopher and Schol-
lar of *Pythagorus*, who contrasted
such a sacred Friendship with his
Schoolfellow *Pythias*, that *Dionysius*
the Tyrant having signify'd that one
of them should die, permitted *Damon*
to go home and settle his Domestick
Affairs before his Death, provided
he could find one to be security for
his return : Which *Pythias* present-
ly offered. *Damon* returning pre-
cisely at the Hour appointed, *Diony-*
sius did so much admire their mutu-
al Fidelity, that he pardon'd both,
and pray'd that he might be admit-
ted the third into their Friendship.

Dampiere, the Name of an anti-
ent Barony, and of a Family now ut-
terly extinguished in *France*. →

Danæ, Daughter to *Acrisius* K of
Argos, who having consulted the O-
racle, and being told that he should
be kill'd by her Son, shut her up in
a Castle of *Brass* to prevent it ; but
the Subtle *Jupiter* transforming
himself into a *Shower of Gold*, brib'd
her Keepers, and got her with Child ;
which being born, her Father caus-
ed both the Babe and the Mother
to be enclosed in a Chest and thrown
into the Set ; but fortunately being
cast a-shoar on one of the Islands
called *Cyclades*, the Prince of the
Country married the Mother, and

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her Son *Perseus* in War unwittingly slew his Grandfather according to the Oracle,

Danaides, 50 Sisters, who married their 50 Cousin Germans, Sons of *Ægisthus* their Father's Brother; these cruel Women barbarously murder'd all their Husbands the first Night, by order of their suspicious Father, who had been informed by an Oracle, that he should be dispossessed of the Crown of *Argos* by a Son in Law; but *Hypermnestra* one of the Daughters, saved her Husband *Linus*, who succeeded her Father, The Poets feign, that the other Sisters are Slaves in Hell condemned to fill Water into a Hoghead without a Bottom, whilst their better Natured Sister triumphed in the possession of a Crown:

Danby, (Sir Robert) of *Thorp* in the Co. of *York*, Kt. Serjeant at Law, a Reverend Just and Learned Judge in the Reigns of *Henry VI.*

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Cimbrians. The Danes were merly very Powerful, having subdued *England*, and frequently *Ireland* and *Scotland*; but that Km. is reduced to such bounds that it contains but 90 Leagues from S. to N. or 50 from E. to W. from *Cogen* to the W. side of the *Ripen*. The Danish Air is exly Cold; yet tho' the Countrey is environed with the Sea, it is Marthy; but very Fruitful in and Pasturage. There are st Deer, and *Elkes*, Horses and E which strangers go thither to above 50000 being sold an into *Germany*. This Km. was Elective till 23 of 1660. since which time they do not enjoy their ancient Privileges; for the Commonality displeased with the Lords, they divested them and themselves of their Rights and Privileges

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manded by some Hills, which Garrison'd in time of War, and *Lampyris*, on that side are so, that they cover the T. very from the Hills.

Danube, The greatest R. of *Europe*; it runs through *Swabia, Bavaria, Austria, Hungaria, Servia, Bulgaria* and disburthens it self into the *Sea*, by 6 or 7 great Streams, so much Rapidity, that its Waters continues fresh for 20 L. From its be to the Mouth, are reckon'd 700 L. and all the way a very Country. The Upper part is d the *Danube*, and the Lower *River*. It receives 60 other Rivers, 30 of which are Navigable, Water is 200 Foot deep in places, colour'd like *Whye*, and wholesome to Drink, or Bath

Pythias, a certain *Sophist*, that intruding the Oracle of *Apollo*, with purpose to ridicule his Answer, Whether he should have a Horse for his Journey. The Oracle answer'd, Yes, and a fall from off him too; whereupon leaving *Delphos* on foot, he a Design to mock the Oracle; fell into the hands of *Attalus K.* of *Perth*, who caused him to be thrown on a high Rock called the *Horse*, having writ reproachfully against

Daphne, feigned to be the Daughter of the R. *Peneus*, who at her own fire was changed into a *Laurel* by her Father, to avoid *Apollo's* Amours. *Daphne*, Daughter of *Tiresias*, prophesied at *Delphos*, in so excellent style, that *Homer* is said to have ascrib'd many of them into his works.

Daphne, a pleasant place abounding with Springs, and *Cypreissods*, dedicated to *Diana*, on the banks of the R. *Orontes*, where was a large famous Temple consecrated *Apollo*. The *Romans* for some time kept a *Legion* here, till they

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found their Men effeminated by the Pleasures of the place. *Pompey* the Great, charm'd with its Beauty, became a Benefactor to it. *Constantine* the Gr. built a House of Pleasure in it, in the Y. 326. *Gallus* caused the Body of the Martyr *Babylus*, the Patriarch of *Antioch*, to be transported thither; whereupon its said, *Apollo* surceased his Oracle. *Julian* the Apostate commanded the said Body to be removed, in 362. After which the Temple of *Apollo* was so consumed in a Storm of Thunder, and Lightning, that in *St. Chrysostom's* Time only one Pillar, now nothing is remaining thereof. And the Christian Emperours succeeding *Julian*, crested Churches in its Room.

Dardanelles, two Castles built by *Mahomet II.* one in *Europe*, where *Cestos* stood, and the other in *Asia*, where stood *Abydos*, upon the narrowest Place of the *Hellepont*. They are the Keys to *Constantinople*, and stand 200 m. from it. That which is in *Europe* side in *Romania*, stands at the Foot of a Hill, which commands, and covers it. This Castle has three Towers, 2 towards the *Terra firma*, and the 3 which is the biggest upon the Harbour; on which are mounted 20 Guns level with the Water, and of such prodigious Bores, that a Man may creep into some of them. The Castle on *Asia* side stands in a Plain, having 3 Towers on each side, with a Dungeon or Platform in the Middle, but has not so many Port-holes as the other. These Castles are only design'd against Ships, and are of little or no Force to the Landward, though in them both are good Garrisons. This Place has been famous for 3. Naval Victories obtain'd by the *Venetians*, against the *Turks*, in 1555, 76, and 57, which I suppose was the Cause that the *Turks* have since built two other Castles, which bear lust upon the Entrance of the *Hellepont*.

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about 3 m. more S. than the old *Dardanelles*. They stand directly opposite one to another, and the Ferry is not above a League and a Quarter over; so that their Guns will reach from side to side.

Dardanus, Son to *Jupiter*, and his Mistress *Elestra*, was compelled to fly from *Crete* for killing his Brother, and founded the C. and Km. of *Troy*.

Dardanus, (*Claudius posthumus*) a Roman Governour in *France*, who contributed to the Usurper *Jovin's* Death, and a Man of an infamous Character.

Darba, a Prov: of *Biledulgerid* in *Africa*, with a T. and R. of that Name, betwixt the Kingdoms of *Morocco*, and *Segelmessé*. Date-Trees are the Principal Revenue of this Country, because their Dates are great, of an excellent Taste, and will continue long. Here are many *Jews* both Tradesmen and Merchants, particularly *Goldsmiths*; Great store of *Indico* for Dyers; and considerable

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Eunuch *Bagoas* had murdered *Artes* Son of *Artaxerxes Ochus*. This Eunuch not contented with destroying the former K. presented also a Cup of Poison to *Darius*, who made him drink it off himself, and so dispatch'd a Traitor that had attempted to destroy the whole Royal Family. He began to Reign, A. M. 3718 when *Alexander the Great* first became formidable to the World, against whom he lost 3 Battels. In the 2d of which, he lost his Mother, his Wife, and Children; and at last flying into *Media*, *Bessus* his Governour of *Bactria* kill'd him, A. M. 3724. in the 6th Y. of his Reign; so that the *Persian Monarchy* of this Race had its fall in this unfortunate Prince 225 Y. after *Cyrus* laid its Foundation.

Darling, a m. T. in *Surrey*, the Capital of its Hundred, situate upon a Branch of the R. *Mole*, which at a place called the *Swallow* falls under ground, and rises again about

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. Dart, where it is defended by 2 castles which stand on each side the R. *Charles II.* honoured this place with the Title of a *Barony*, which he conferr'd upon Collonel *George* *Clifton Dartmouth* returns two members to *Parliament*, viz. *Nathaniel Herne*, and *Frederick Herne*, Squires. It's governed by a Mayor and Brethren, and is 165 m. from London.

Darwent-water, a large Lake in *umberland*, and the Name of an Ancient Manoir near it, which has been several hundred Years in the Possession of the Ancestors of the Present *Earl of Darwent-water*, Viscount *Udelffe* and *Langley*, and Baron of *Udale*, of which his Lordship is now the Proprietor, and has made great Improvement of his Estate *Lead Mines*.

Datary, an Officer in the Court of *Chancery*, who has a warm and beneficial place on't; for all the Petitions for *Benefices* not exceeding 24 *Ducats*, he passes by his own Authority, without addressing to the Pope for his Consent; but those for greater value he carries to the Pope to sign, and then adds the Date in these words, *Datum Romæ apud*, &c.

Daventry, a m. T. of *Fausley Hundred* in the W. parts of *Northamptonshire* 73 m. from London.

David, the Son of *Jesse*, who succeeded *Saul*, as K. of *Jerusalem*, was born, *An. M.* 2950, having lived 70 Y. and Reigned, 40 died.

David I. the 95 King of *Scotland*, succeeded his Brother *Alexander*, in 124. He married the Daughter of Neice of *William I.* and with her lived in *Dowry Northumberland* and *Westmorlandshire*. He was a Merciful, Pious, and Just Prince, and after he had reigned 29 Y. died in the Y. 1153.

David II. the 90 K. of *Scotland*, being a Minor at his Father *Robert Bruce's* Death, the Estate chose *Thomas Randolph*, Earl of *Arrray*, for

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Regent, and after his Decease *Duncan*, Earl of *Marr*, for the rest of this K. Reign, both which discharged their Trusts with great Care and Fidelity.

David, (*John*) a Dutchman, who retiring to *Jamaica*, made rich Prizes on the *Spaniards*, and with 50 Men only, plunder'd the T. of *Granada*, where there were at least 800, and carried away a considerable Booty.

David, (*George*) a blasphemous Heretick of *Ghent*, who called himself the *Messias*. Being prosecuted for his Principles he fled to *Basil*, where he lurked under the Name of *John Bruck*, and died in that C. in 1553. promising his Disciples to rise again the third Day, which was not altogether false, for the Magistrates understanding what a Monster in opinion he was, did about that time dig up his Corps, which together with his Writings they caused to be burnt by the Hangman.

Dauphiné, a great Prov. in the S. E. parts of *France*, bounded on the E. by *Piedmont*, on the N. by *Savoy*, and *la Bresse*, from which it is separated by the R. *Rhône*, on the W. by *Lions*, and *Vivarets*, from which the same R. divides it. It had heretofore Princes of its own called the *Dauphines*; but *Humbertus II.* their last Prince, in 1343, gave this Principality to *Philip de Valois*, K. of *France*, upon Condition that the Eldest Son of the K. of *France* should bear the Title, which has been observed ever since. *Grenoble* is the Capital of this Province.

Day, the space of time between the Rising of the Sun and its Setting: This time is called a *Natural Day*, and is longer in Summer than in Winter; but the *Artificial* or *Civil Day* is always 24 Hours. There is other distinctions of Days: The *Babylonians* begin theirs at the Rising

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of the Sun: The *Italians* of *Ombria* at Noon: The *Jews* now begin theirs at Sun-set, and the *Egyptians* at Midnight..

Deal in *Kent*, a Member of the Port of *Sandwich*, a fair large T. situate over-against the *Downs*, and is of great consideration for outward and inward Bound-shipping. It's 74 m. from *London*:

Dean-Forest, is one of the largest Forests in *England*, and celebrated for yielding the best Timber for building Ships in the World. It lies in the Co. of *Gloucester*, on the W. side of the *Severn*, betwixt that and the *R. Wye*. This Forest is said to contain 32000 Acres of Ground, 3 Hund. and 23 *Parish-Churches*.

Decemviri, particular Roman Magistrates appointed to take care that the Laws of the 12 Tables were duly executed; but above 3 Y. after they were laid aside for *Mismanagement*, and never revived.

« *Decius*, or *Calus Messius Quintus*

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Westchester, and then falls into the *Irish Sea*, at a place called *Dee Mouth*.

Degree, a Honour and Title in *Universities* given to Scholars, after the studying there the times appointed by the *Statutes*, as *Bachelor*, *Master*, *Dollar*, &c. in the several Faculties they espouse. The word is used in another sense among Philosophers, and Mathematicians: The first divide Qualities by *Degrees*, as *Hot* or *Cold* in the 3d. Degree: And the latter by this word understand the 360th part of a *Circle*, in relation to *Astronomical* Calculation, or to Longitudes and Latitudes in *Geographical* Mensurations.

Deinse, a small T. in *Flanders*, which was taken by the *French*, in 1695. and the Soldiers of the Garrison perfidiously declared Prisoners contrary to the mutual *Cartel*; but the T. has been since restored to the *Spaniards*, by the Peace of *Reswick*.

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one God, the Immortality of the Soul, Providence. Vertue and Vice, Rewards and Punishments; but believe no other Article of the *Christian* Religion, or of any other.

Delf, or *Delft*, the 3d. T. in *Holland*, its enrich'd by the sale of its Beer, and Cloth, which were formerly of good Esteem; the Town-House, and that of *Saburg*, are fine Piles of Building. It hath also 2 fine Churches, in one of which is the Tomb of Prin. *William* of *Nassau*, who was stabb'd to death by *Balthazar Gerrard*, a Native of the *Franche Compté*, in 1584. And in the other is that of *Admiral Trump*, enrich'd with *Miniature* and a Memorable Inscription. The T. is situate in a Plain 4 L. from *Leyden*, and one from the *Hague*. *Delfhaven* is about half a m. from *Roserdam*.

Delos, the Island *Delos*: *Neptune* received an Order from *Jupiter* to stop this floating Island, which had been separated from *Sicily* by stormy Weather, that *Latona* who was in Labour might lie in there. *Juno* being highly provok'd, banished her out of *Heaven*, and the *Earth* swore she would not receive her; wherefore there remained no other place for her, but only that *Island*, which was lately thrown up out of the Sea by an Earthquake, and was not then in the World. *Latona* was therefore received there, and deliver'd of Twins, *Apollo* and *Diana*, the fairest Children of *Jupiter* as *Lucian* tells us.

Delphi, a City in *Bzotia*, near Mount *Parnassus*, where *Apollo* had a Magnificent Temple, enrich'd with Presents that were sent thither from all Parts. In this Temple was a Priestess called *Pythia*, or *Pythiassa*, inspired by *Apollo*, who gave out Oracles sitting on a Three Legg'd Stool called *Tripos*, or *Cortina*, because it was covered with the Skin

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of the Serpent *Pytho*; wherefore *Virgil* says, *Nec te Phæbi Cortina fefellit*, The Oracles of *Apollo* have not deceived you.

Delta, an Island in the *Nile* below Grand *Cairo* in *Egypt*: So called as some think, because it resembles the Greek Letter *Delta*.

Demetrius, Patriarch of *Alexandria*, Successor to *Julian* in 190. He reprehended *Origen* for making himself an Eunuch, and blamed the Bishops of *Palestine* for ordaining him a Priest.

Demetrius I. K. of *Macedonia*, surnamed *Poliorectes*, i. e. the Besieger of Towns. His Life was decipher'd with an Intermixture of good and bad Fortune, and at last he was forced to fly for Refuge to his Father-in-Law *Seleucus*, K. of *Syria*, who kept him under a kind of loose Custody for 3 Y. in which time he sared so deliciously, that he kill'd himself by Intemperance. He was accounted the most beautiful Prin. of his Time. ¶ *Demetrius*, Son of *Philip*, and Grandson to *Demetrius II.* was of a modest and obliging Temper, and grew so much in favour with the *Senate* of *Rome*, that when his Father was accused he brought him off; yet his Father hearkening to scandalous and false Stories of him, caused him to be Poison'd, in the 574 Y. of *Rome*, at the Instance of his Brother *Perseus*; but afterward understanding his Innocence, he died with Grief for the unnatural Murder he had committed, and disinherited *Perseus* who put him upon it.

Demetrius I. Soter K. of *Syria*, Son to *Seleucus Philapater*, by whom he was given to the *Romans* as a Hostage, while his Brother *Antiochus Epiphanes*, and his Son *Eupater* usurped the Crown; he endured this Injury patiently; till on a pretence of hunting he found means to escape from *Rome*,

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in 3983, and possessed his Km. but lost it again after 11 Y. Reign.

Demetrius (*Nicanor II.*) succeeded his Father *Soter*, and married *Cleopatra* daughter of *Ptolemy Philometer*, but *Demetrius* being taken Prisoner by *Phraates K.* of the *Parthians*, he forced him to marry his Daughter *Rhodoguna*; whereupon *Cleopatra* in Revenge gave her self to *Sidetes*, called *Antiochus VII.* Brother to *Demetrius*; after whose Death *Demetrius* returning, enjoyed the Crown again for 4 Y. But his Pride rendring him intolerable to his Subjects, he was forced to fly, and in his flight was killed, not without *Cleopatra's* concurrence to revenge her self for marrying *Rhodoguna*.

Demetrius III. Surnamed *Eucerus*; Took in a part of *Syria*, seized *Damascus*, and made a League with the *Jews*; but being taken prisoner by the *Parthians*, was carried to *Mithridates*, where he died *A. M.* 3969.

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and many of his Officers deserting him, *Boris* died for Grief; his Wife and Son were imprisoned, and *Demetrius* was Crowned with extraordinary Joy, in 1605. Now that there might be no doubt of his Birth, he sought out the Mother of the true *Demetrius*, whom Duke *Boris* had immured in a *Cloister*, and demeaning himself with great respect to her, assigned her an Apartment in the Castle, and treated her Magnificently. This good *Princess* knew well enough, that her Son *Demetrius* was killed; but disssembled it very handsomly, for fear of ill treatment from the Impostor; being also well pleased to see *Boris* so well punished for his perfidy, and to enjoy a more comfortable life than she had done in the *Cloister*. But the Counterfeit shewing more kindness to the *Poles* than to the *Muscovites*, and having married the *Vaidvode* of *Sandomir's* daughter, the *Muscovites* conspired against him as an Impostor, and while the Court was at

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but unluckily displeasing *Philadelphus*, he banished *Demetrius*, who in his Exile was killed by an *Asp*. He wrote many Books of *Poetry*, *History*, *Politicks*, *Rhetorick*, *Harangues*, and *Embassies*.

Demetrius, a *Cynick* Philosopher in the Y. of our Lord 40, was much esteemed in his Profession; yet *Vespasian* Banished him from *Rome*.

Democles, an Ancient Greek Historian, who lived long before the *Peloponnesian* War begun, in 431 ante *Christum*.

Democritus, a Philosopher called *Abderites*, who continually Laughed at the Weakness and Vanity of Men, who employ'd themselves about a thousand Ridiculous things. He believed that all things depended upon *Chance*, and a casual concurrence of *Atoms*: The Inhabitants attributing his laughing to Madness sent for *Hippocrates* to cure him. But the Physician having discoursed him, declared that in his opinion, those who fancied themselves most healthy and in their Wits, were most destempered. Some say he put out his Eyes that he might the better study *Philosophy*. He dyed, A. R. 392. at 109. Y. of Age. He believed that *Atoms*, and a *Vacuum* were the Principles of all things.

Demosthenes, a famous Orator of *Athens*, born An. R. 373, and was disciple to *Iſocrates*, *Plato*, and *Isæus*. He opposed *Philip* K. of *Macedon*, with all his might, and *Alexander* the great after him. But *Alexander* dying, *Antipater* desired the *Athenians* to send him the *Orators* that spoke against him, which made *Demosthenes* retire into the Island *Celauria*, where he sucked the *Poyson* he kept on purpose in a Quill, for fear of being taken alive. He dyed in the 114. *Olympiad*.

Demosthenes, General of the *Athenians* in *Sicily*, where he landed after he had Harassed the Country

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of the *Epidaurians*. He was unfortunate in the *Sicilian* War; for the *Athenians* were entirely cut off by Sea and Land, he himself put to Death, and all the *Athenians* they could meet with, laid in *Irons*, in 341 Y. of *Rome*.

Dempster, (*Thomas*) a Scotch Gentleman, who lived in the 17. *Cent.* and was much esteemed for his Learning, being a good Historian, Lawyer, Poet, and Orator;

Denarius, a Roman Penny containing Seven Pence half penny in the Currant Coin of *England*.

Denbigh, the Capital of *Denbighshire*, in N. *Wales*. It was Conquered by K. *Edw. I.* made a Co. Town by *Henry VIII.* and an *Earld.* by K. *James I.* in the Person of *William* Viscount *Fielding*, in 1622, This T. sends one *Burgess* to Parliament who now is *Edward Brereton*, Esq;

Denbighshire, a Maritime Co. of N. *Wales*, in Length from E. to W. 30 m. in breadth 18. is divided into 12 *Hundreds*, wherein are 57 *Parishes* 4 m. T. in the Dio. of St. *Asaph*. The Air is cold but wholesome, the Soil Hilly and Barren, but feeds great numbers of Goats, together with some Cows and Sheep, and the Valleys yield Corn. This Co. sends one Kt. to Parliament, viz. Sir *Richard Middleton*, Baronet.

Denin, a famous Abby of *Nuns* in the Low Countries between *Falenciennes* and *Doway*. The Chapter is composed of 18 Ladies *Canonesses*, who before Admission prove they are nobly descended by a right to 8 Coats of Arms in their Pedigree. Their Habit is White: They make no Vow, and when they have a mind to Marry, they return the Chapter abundance of thanks for the Honour they have done them.

Denis, or *Dionysius* Patriarch of *Alexandria*, in 248. So Zealous in maintaining the *Orthodox* Religion, that

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that he spared not *Origen* his own Master. Y^e *St. Basil*, says he laid the Foundation of *Arius's* Heresy in one of his *Epistles*, but not maliciously. He dyed in 265.

Denys, or *Dionysius* the *Areopagite*, i. e. one of the Judges of *Areopagus*. Being at *Heliopolis* with *Apollonius* the day that *Jesus Christ* was crucified, he observed the Eclipse, at that time, which forwarded his conversion afterwards, when he heard the History of *S. Paul*. He was sent by Pope *Clement*, to the *Gauls* and was the first Bishop of *Paris*; but in a persecution, his head being cut off, (saith the Legend) he walked a little while carrying it in his hands, and being weary, in as many places as he rested at, are *Chappels* built in his Honour; besides *S. Denys's Church* where he was buried.

Denys, or *Dionysius*, Tyrant of *Syracusa*. He pretended to be a *Wit* and a *Poet*; but was mocked for it by the *Grecians*, which rendered him more Cruel to his Subjects. After

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governed his own Dio. but took care of almost the whole Catholick Church, by writing Letters into Foreign Parts. ¶ *Denys*, or *Dionysius* Bp. of *Milan*, lived in the 4th Cen. He was a very Excellent and Orthodox Prelate; but some what too Credulous: His easiness of belief made him sign the Condemnation of *St. Athanasius* at the Council of *Milan*; not imagining that this Compliance would be of such ill consequence to the Catholick Faith: however to make what reparation he could, he died in Exile in the Defence of the *Nicene Faith*.

Denys, or *Dionysius Exiguus*, a *Scythian* by Birth and a *Monk* by profession, Acquaintance of *Cassiodorus*, who gives him a great Character for his Learning. He was called *Exiguus* from the littleness of his Stature, and died about the Y. 556.

Denys, or *Dionysius* of *Halicarnassus* Author of the Roman Antiquities, lived in the time of *Augustus Caesar*. His Chronology is very exact and in

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inding the Banks of the R. Der-
by, over which is a fine Free-
stone Bridge, with a Chappel upon
both bearing the name of S. Ma-
rtyr. A large populous and Rich
Borough Town, consisting of Five
Wards. The steeple of All-hallow's
Church, built by Young Men and
Maidens, and the T. Hall where the
Records are kept are very beautiful.
In T. returns two Members to
Parliament; who are now, John
Piercy, Esq; and the Right Hon.
Earl James Cavendish. The Title
Earl of Derby is in the Fam-
ily of Stanley, and at this time
held by the right Honourable
William Stanley Earl of Derby.

Derbyshire, is an Inland Co. having
a Share on the N. Leicestershire, on
the S. Nottinghamshire on the E. Staf-
ford and Cheshire, on the W. from
60 S. 38 m. from E. to W. about
100 m. in which are 6 Hundreds, 166
Villages and 10 m. T. in the Dio.

Litchfield and Coventry. The Soil
Rich, the Country plentiful and
abundant with Coal Mines, and the
best Lead in England, besides Quar-
ries of Millstones. It's also famous
for the Peake and its 3 wonderful
rivers. There are also 2 Springs
called the Quardon Springs near Der-
by of the same nature with those of
Walsbridge in Kent, and the Spas in
Yorkshire: of Wirksworth Springs,
the Water is Warm and the other Cold,
so near each other that a man
may touch them both at once;
the Bath at Buxton be-
ing Hot, which is not inferior to the
others in Somersetshire if the Road
is made Tolerable to it. This
Co. sends two Knights to Parliament,
who are Thomas Coke and John Cur-
wen, Esq;

Derceto, an Assyrian Goddess cal-
led Astarte, who was half a Wo-
man and half a Fish.

Derry, generally called London
Derry, is a City and Co. in Ulster

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in Ireland. The City consists of a
Colony sent from London about
100 Years since. In the great
Massacre, it preserved itself and
all that fled to it, the Irish be-
ing not able to surprize nor
Master it. Several thousands of
this place perished through sick-
ness and famine, in the time they
held it out for R. William. At last
they were relieved by Major Gene-
ral Kirk, July 19. 1689, upon which
R. James II's Army decamped,
leaving little appearance of a Siege
behind them, by any damage done
to the Houses and Wall.

Dervis, a kind of distracted Ma-
hometan Monks, whose chief Mo-
nastery is near Cogni in Natolia,
where there are 4 or 500, Religious
of that order. They keep their
Legs bare and Stomachs open, in
all Weathers. They fast every
Thursday till Sun set, besides the or-
dinary Fast of Ramezan. They
play much upon the Flute, and af-
fect playing such odd Mountebank
tricks, you would think them Fran-
tick.

Descartes, (Renatus) Lord of
Perren, the Famous French Philo-
sopher, derived from a good Fa-
mily of lesser Britany in France.
He was first a Military-Officer, and
gave sufficient Proofs of his Cou-
rage in the Wars of Germany, and
Hungary; but his love to dear Phi-
losophy withdrew him to a private
Retirement at Egmond in Holland,
where, and in other parts of the
Province he spent 25 Y. in that
pleasant study. His Meditations are
Fine, and his System well Metho-
dized Concise and Satisfactory. He
died at Stockholm in Queen Christi-
na's Court in Sweden, who invited
him thither, and was buried there;
but his body was afterward brought
into France, and laid in a fine Tomb
of white Marble, in the Church
of S. Genevieve at Paris.

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Deimond, a Co. of the Prov. of Munster in the S. W. part of Ireland, where the *Fitz-Geralds Earls* of it had large possessions; till the last Earl of *Deimond* of that name by his dangerous *Rebellion*, lost himself, and in a great measure wilfully Ruined a most Noble and Potent Family. However, there are yet some remaining of that name, though some have changed it for others.

Despauterius, (*John*) born at *Ninove* in *Flanders*, a famous Grammarian in the 15th Cen.

Deucalion, K. of *Theffaly*, and Son of *Prometheus*, in whose time there happen'd such a Deluge in *Theffaly*, that Poets took the liberty to say all mankind were drowned, and that only *Deucalion* and *Pirra* were miraculously saved in an Ark, who re-peopled the World by casting Stones behind them; those thrown by him were changed into Men, and those by her were turned to Women: and by this means con-

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Devizes, a Borough T. in *Wiltshire*, so called because it was anciently divided betwixt the K. and the Bp. of *Salisbury*, as direct Proprietors. 'Tis situate near the Head of a Stream of the *Avon*, *Fittitions*, which joins the *Avon* of *Teuth*, 6 Burgeses to Par. most, at present *Sir Francis Ch. live*, and *John Metbren*, Esq;

Devshire, one of the S. Counties of England; bounded on the N. by the *Hibernian Sea*, on the W. by *Cornwal*, on the S. by the *British Sea*, and on the E. by *Somersetshire*, and *Dorsetshire*. Its Figure is almost a Square, in which are 33 Hundreds, 39 m. T. and 394 Parishes, in the Dio. of *Exeter*. On the 2 Seas it has several good Harbours: The Country is Rich in Mines of Tin and Lead, and abounds with pleasant Meadows, Fine Woods and in other places, where the Soil is more Barren (as in *Dartmore*) it is yet improveable, and rewards the good Husband's Industry. It was long an Excl. in

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that succeeded him was created Lord *Ferrers* by *Edward IV.* He was slain at *Bosworth-Field* with *K. Richard III.* being succeeded by his Son *John*, and he by his Son *Walter*, who was made *Earl* by *Edward VI.* and was *Places where* by his Grandson *Walter*; c. *Earl of Essex* by *Q. Eliz.* in the *Reign*; but being by the contrivance of the *Earl of Leicester*, sent twice *Earl-Marshal* into *Ireland*, and badly us'd by the Court, he died of the Country disease in *Sept. 22. 1576.* though others say of *Poyson*, and give that Report credit by the *Earl of Leicester's* sudden Marriage with his beautiful Widow. This *Walter* was succeeded by his Son *Robert*, who being brought to Court became a particular Favourite of *Q. Elizabeth.* This and his brave Exploit at *Cadix* in *Spain* made him very popular, and both created him many and powerful Enemies, who by Artifice divested him of the *Queen's* Favour, and put his Life in danger; he apprehending it, by ill Advice, took up Arms to defend himself, and remove his Enemies from the *Q.* but failing in his Attempt lost his Head. *K. James I.* restored his Son *Robert*, who displeas'd at the dissanulling his Marriage, went to divert himself in the *Palatinate War*, and returning for *England*, when the Breach happened between *K. Charles I.* and the Parliament, he was made General for the latter; but at length seeing and disapproving their ways, left that Employ, and retired to *London*, where he died without Issue: And now the Title is, by Succession from his Father, in *Algermoon Capel Baron Capel of Hadham Viscount Malden*, and *Earl of Essex.*

Deus Dedit, a Pope celebrated for his Charity, and the Cure of a Leprous Son by the Application of his Mouth. He reigned about three Y. and died in 617.

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Deuteronomy, or a *Second Law*, the Fifth of the *Canonical Books* of the Old Testament, composed by *Moses*, An. M. 2582. to which the last Chapter (in the opinion of some learned men) was added by *Joshua*, or *Esdras*.

Deux Ponts, a T. and Family of the *Palatinate* in *Germany*, who are a Branch of the House of *Bavaria*; the *Swedes* have a pretension to this Dukedom; the *French* took it for that reason in 1676, and resigned it to the *Swedes* at the Treaty of *Reswick* 1697.

Dey, a Name given to the Chief Governour of *Tunis* and *Algiers* in *Africa*, whose Children do not succeed them, unless Elected by the Nobles before their Father dies. If they commit *Piracies* upon the Grand Seignior's *Allies*, he orders the Complainers to take their own Satisfaction, as was done by Sir *John Narborough* at *Tunis*, for Injuries done by them to *English Merchants*.

Diagoras of Rhodes, who hearing his Sons and Grandsons had won the Prize at the *Olympick Games*, died with Excess of Joy.

Diagoras, an *Atheistical Philosopher*, banished by the *Athenians* for propounding these two Questions in his Works. *Whether there were really any Gods? And if there were any, what they were?* As thinking it too great an Impiety to be tolerated.

Diana, The Daughter of *Jupiter* by *Latona*, who was distinguished under three Denominations, viz. in *Hell Hecate*; on *Earth Diana*, and *Phæbe* or the *Moon* in *Heaven*. She was also stiled the Goddess of *Hunting*, and had many Temples dedicated to her Honour, the Chief of which was that of *Ephesus*, accounted one of the 7 Wonders of the World, and was consum'd by fire by *Erostratus*, to keep alive his Name and Memory.

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Diarbekir, a great T. in *Mesopotamia*, under the Dominion of the *Turks*, and inhabited by *Armenians* and *Nestorians*, of which there are said to be 20000. Here is the best *Red Turkey-Leather*, no other Water being able to die so fine a Colour.

Diceneus, an *Egyptian* Philosopher, who taught both the *Goths* and their K. the Rudiments of a Religious and Civil Life, in the Distribution of Justice, Preservation of Peace with their Allies, and the Honour of their Gods; for which the People so esteem'd and lov'd him, that they rooted up their Vines, because he said that Wine was the certain Procurer of Disorders in all Societies.

Dilator, a *Roman* Magistrate invested with an *Absolute* Authority, who was only chosen upon emergent occasions, and might act according to Discretion, without consulting or being directed by the

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of *Carthage*. *Jarbas* K. of *Uetulia* would have forced her to marry him, but she rather chose to kill her self, than scandalize her former Nuptials. *Homer's* relation of her is wholly *Fictitious*, and without Possibility of Truth; for according to the most celebrated *Chronologers*, *Aeneas* lived 260 Y. before *Dido* was born.

Didymus of *Alexandria*, was blind at five Years of Age, and yet became so great a Master in all the Liberal Sciences, that he was accounted one of the most Learned men in the *Gen*. He was Tutor to *St. Nazianzen*, and died at 83 Y. of Age. There was another of his Name an indefatigable Student, that *Seneca* says composed 4000 different Treatises.

Die, a C. in the *Dauphinate* in *France*, upon the 'R. *Drome*; 8 m. from *Valence*, and 11 from *Grenoble*.

Dieppe, a strong Sea-Port T. with

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members, without intermeddling
: Affairs of Circles, or the
: in General. Now where,
seen, and for what purpose
al Diets have been kept in
st Gen. will be found under
ones of the Places where they
held.

marsh, or *Dithmarsh*, a part
land in the Dukedom of Hol-
at the Mouth of the *Elb*; ha-
he Ocean on the W. *Holsatia*,
: E. the *Elb* on the S. and the
lom of *Sleswick* on the N.
es its Name from the ma-
l great Marshes that are in it.
part of it belongs to the K.
mark, and the N. to the D.
stein.

by, this Family was derived
ur *Simon* of *Tilton* in *Leicester*-
whose immediate Descen-
was created *Lord Digby* of
in the Km. of *Ireland*. by K.
I. *John* a Person of great
ications, was advanced in the
the same K. to the Dignity
Baron of this Realm, by the
of *Lord Digby* of *Sherburne* in
D. of *Dorset*, and afterward go-
ambassador to *Philip* III. of
in the Y. 1622. was created
of *Bristol*. He was succeeded
to other *Johns*, in the last of
the Family died with him,
now extinct.

ma, or *Dugna*, a Woman of
Beauty, and Courage in *A-*
s in *Italy*, who rather than
her Honour by compulsion to
K. of the *Huns*, threw her
from a high Gallery into a R.
to the Tyrant, *Follow me if*
best a mind to enjoy me.

per, a C. and Bp's See in *Pro-*
standing upon the R. *Ble-*
10 m. from *Embrun* to the S.
32 from *Avignon* to the N. E.
a very fine C. and much fre-
red for its hot Baths.

ion, the Capital of the D. of

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Burgundy, where the *Parliament* hold
their Sessions, Money is coined, and
the *Mayor* of it is honoured with
the Title of *Viscount*. Here was a
Council held against *Symonists* in
1075, and another in 1190, where
the whole Km. of *France*, was inter-
dicted from Divine Service 7 Months
by Pope *Innocent* III's Legate; till
K. *Philip* re-took his Wife *Isen-*
burge, from whom he had procur'd
himself to be divorced.

Dillemburg, a T. and Co. of *We-*
sterwalds, in the Circle of the *Rhine*
in *Germany*. It's seated on a Hill,
has a strong Castle, and is the Resi-
dence of its own Prince, who is of
the House of *Nassau*, and distin-
guish'd by the Title of *Nassau Dil-*
lemburg.

Dilengben, a C. in the Circle of
Schwaben in *Germany* upon the *Da-*
nube, 7 m. from *Ulm*, and as many
N. W. from *Ausburg*. An University
was founded here in 1549. by Car-
dinal *Otto Trucio*, Bp. of *Ausburg*,
under Pope *Julius* III. and is well
filled with Students.

Dimotos, a C. of *Thrace* upon the
R. *Hebrus*, which almost surrounds
it, about 7 m. from *Adrianople* to the
S. Here *Bajazet* the Turkish Emp.
was born, and hither he returned
again after he had resign'd the Em-
pire.

Dinant, a T. in the Bpr. of *Liege*
upon the R. *Maes*, 10 m. from
Brussels, 4 from *Namur*, and 12
from *Leige*. The *French* took it in
1672, but resigned both the T. and
Castle to the Bp. and Pr. of *Leige*,
at the Peace of *Reswick* 1697. There
is another T. of the same Name in
the Dutchy of *Britain* in *France*, up-
on the R. *Rance*, about 5 m. S. from
St. Mala.

Dinocrates, a famous Architect of
Macedonia, who built *Alexandria* in
Egypt. *Pliny* says, it was the same
Person that finished the Temple of
Diana at *Ephesus*.

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Dioclesian, born of mean Parentage in *Dalmatia*, and sometime a slave to *Annulinus* the Senator; he was rais'd to the Imperial Dignity by his great Ability and Success in War and Government; but rais'd such a violent Persecution against the *Christians* (whom he hated,) that new and horrible Torments for the innocent Sufferers, were invented to please him. His Ambition and Cruelty stained all the Actions of his Life, which would otherwise have been accounted Glorious, and his Excess of Folly, in commanding his Subjects to worship him as a God, rendred him contemptible, which he beginning to be sensible of, withdrew himself to a Retirement at *Salona*, from which no perswasion could remove him to re-ascend the Throne, and there died with Grief to see, that notwithstanding all his wicked Endeavours to exterminate Christianity, it Triumphed.

Diodati, (*John*) a Grave and

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Synope, in the 341 Year of *Rome*. He wore an old patch'd Garment, with a Staff and a Bag, and a Cup, which he threw away upon seeing a Boy drink Water out of the Palm of his Hand; dwelt in a Tub, which he tumbled to and fro in the day time to keep him from Idleness. He was Sullen in his Temper, Rude in his Deportment, and Satyrical in his Answers. *Alexander* the Great's Curiosity tempting him to see him, he made him the common Complement of a Courtier, What can I do for you? To which *Diogenes* answered: Stand on the other side of my Tub, and don't keep the Sun from me, with which *Alexander* was so pleas'd, that he said; if he had not been *Alexander*, all he should wish was to be *Diogenes*. Being at High-noon in the Market with a Candle and Lanthorn in his Hand, it was askt him what he sought? He answered, an honest Man. Seeing a young Rake divert himself

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Dion Cassius, Son of *Apronianus*, who had the Honour of being twice Consul, and Governour of *Pannonia*. He compiled a *Roman History* in 80 Volumes of which there are now no more remaining than an *Abstract*. He is reputed very partial, as favouring *Caesar* to the Prejudice of *Pompey*, and misrepresenting *Seneca*; though otherwise he is esteemed a vivacious and perspicuous Historian.

Diophantus, an excellent Mathematician of *Alexandria*, to whom we are obliged for the useful Invention of *Algebra*, and other famous Pieces in Arithmetick, six of which have been put into *Latin*, and commented on by *Alexander*, and the other seven preserved in their Native tongue in the *Vatican*.

Dioscorides, (*Pedacius*) a Physician that has left us some good Books of Plants and Metals, and invented that excellent Medicine called *Diascordium*.

Dioscorus I. Patriarch of *Alexandria*, who was Sentenced and driven into Exile, for writing in Vindication of the *Eutychean* Heresie, and ended his Life deplorably at *Gangrea* in *Paplagonia*.

Dioscorus, an Antipope, who after his Death was Excommunicated by one Pope and Absolved by another.

Diospolis, a C of *Thebais*, in *Egypt*, surnamed *Hecatompylos*, for having 100 Gates, or rather so many Princely Palaces in it, when the Kings of *Egypt* called *Diospolites*, made it the place of their Residence.

Diptysba, a Register book of the *Grecians*, wherein the Deacon put the Names of the Dead, that were to be Solemnized in their Churches.

Dirgb, a Lake in the Co. of *Dunegal* in *Ulster* in *Ireland*. In an Island belonging to it, you may see a Cave, which the *Irish* call *S. Patrick's Purgatory*: Some Subterra-

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neous Winds, or noisy Waters occasioned this Conceit.

Dis, or *Plutus*, the God of Riches, represented Lame and Blind, and therefore when *Jupiter* sends him to any person he arrives late, and often goes being Blind, where there is no need of him: But when he returns he is Swifter than Wind, and leaves men at a Gaze when they thought they were sure of his company.

Discord, a Goddess adored more out of Fear than Love, because she was a mischeivous Divinity, that often did harm, but seldom or never any good. She is always pourtray'd with a dismal Aspect.

Diu, a small Island in the Mouth of the River *Indus*, which has been the *Portuguese's* ever since 1535.

Divan, the Grand Court of Justice at *Constantinople*, and in all other places of their Dominions. It is also the name of a Knot of 5 or 6 little Islands, in the *Archipelago de Maldivas*, in the *East-Indies*.

Divination, a Cheating Art in telling things to come, acquired by a Contract with the Devil, and yet he himself, though he knows what Man does not, is wholly ignorant of *Futurities*, and therefore I call it a Diabolical Delusion; for tho' natural conjectures are Lawful; positive Assertions of what may happen are sinful. There are many sorts of *Divination*, as by *Events* which are Superstitious; for meeting a *Hare* in the morning is no argument of Ill Luck, but because you could not catch her. By *Dreams* which are Rediculous, for they are always agreeable to Mens constitutions, as the *Cholerick* always Dream of Frightfull things, the *Sanguine* of merry Subjects, &c. By *charms*, a *Sieve*, and *Sheeres*, a *Ring*, by *Physiognomy*, *Chiromancy* or *Palmestry*, *Judicial Astrology*, which are all but the Invention

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of Cunning *Knaves* to Bubble credulous *Fools*.

Dixmuyde, a little but a strong and pleasant T. belonging to the *Spaniards* in *Flanders*. It was taken in 1692 by the *English* from the *French*, but lost again the same Y. Retaken and Posselt by the *English* till 1695, when Major General *Ellenburg* resigned it to Count *Montal* at the Price of his Head. It stands 3 m. from *Newport*.

Dobrzyn, a T. in *Poland*, Capital of a Palatinate upon the *Vistula*, between *Plocko* and *Wladislaw*.

Dockum, one of the Principal Ts. in *West-Friezland*, 4 m. from *Lee-warden*, and 5 from *Groningen*.

Docketa, a sort of Hereticks who taught that Christ's Sufferings were not *Real*, only appeared so to others.

Dofior, a Degree of *Honour* in Universities above that of *Master of Arts*, and the highest that is given to any Profession whether in *Musick*, *Phy-*

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that *Repub.* who can only Act in concert with the *Senate*.

Dol, a City in the lesser *Britany* in *France*, about 4 L. from *S. Malo*, and 2 from the *British Sea*.

Dolabella, a Roman Surname given to the House of the *Cornellii*, who bore great Authority, and did considerable *Military Services* for their Country, especially against the *Tulcans*.

Dole, a well fortified City in the *Dm.* of *Burgundy*, where the Parliament Sits and a University was founded in the Y. 1436, by *Philip the Good*, D. of *Burgundy*. It formerly belonged to *Spain*, but being taken by the *French* in 1668 it was annexed to *France* for ever by the Treaty of *Nimiguen*.

Dominica, one of the *Caribby I.*lands in the *N. America*, and so called because it was discovered on a Sunday. It's about 20 L. in Circuit, Long. 322, Lat. 14, N. W. of *Barbadoes*.

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ere, than a Prison where he dy-
 and after his Death his Wri-
 ings and his Corps were Burnt for
 resie in *Flora's* Field.

Domitian, the 12 Emp. of *Rome*,
 ato *Vespasian*, and Brother to *Ti-*
s. At his first coming to the Em-
 ire he shewed much Modesty and
 istance in making good Laws; but
 afterwards his Vanity grew so ex-
 ssive, that he would be called a
 d, though unworthy the name of
 an; for he persecuted the Christi-
 is with so much Violence, that he
 ewed his desire to extinguish the
 ristian Name as well as *Reli-*
on; but a man named *Stephen*,
 ade Free by *Clement* the Con-
 I, rid the Empire and the Church
 of this Cruel Persecutor. The *Se-*
ne pulled down his Statues, and
 az'd out all the Titles he had ur-
 p'd, and that men out of a Base
 mpliance had bestowed upon
 im. He spent the day in his Clo-
 t Killing Flies with a Golden Bod-
 in; wherefore it was said, he was
 ways alone, and not so much as
 fly with him.

Domitilla, *Domitian's* daughter,
 who was Banished by her Father
 for turning *Christian*; and returning
 gain in the Reign of *Trajan*, after
 he had shewed great Knowledge and
 zeal in the Defence of persecuted
 Christianity, she was burnt by the
 Command of that Cruel Tyrant.

Donald, the 27 K. of *Scotland*;
 who though always in a State of
 War, kept his own Dominions in
 great order, and was the first Mo-
 narch of that Km. that espoused
 the *Christian* faith, tho' in his Reign
 the Idolatry of the Heathens was
 not utterly abolished. The Emp.
Severus in his Reign, handled the
 Scots severely, forced them to ac-
 cept his terms of Peace, and Coop-
 ed them up by a Wall 80 m.
 beyond *Adrian's*. *Donald* II. the 22
 K. of *Scotland* was but short lived.

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being Slain in War the first Y. of
 his Reign. *Donald* III. Reigning
 like a Tyrant found a Grave in
 the 12 Y. of his Government. *Do-*
nald IV. was a Religious Prince,
 promoted the *Christian* Faith, and
 dyed much lamented in 637. *Do-*
nald V. and 70 K. of *Scotland* was
 a Debauched and Vicious Prince;
 but being successful in some Wars
 with the *Picts*, in conjunction with
 the *English*, it heightened his Intem-
 perance; which the *English* made
 use of, and surprized the *Scots* by
 Night in the middle of their *Cups*;
 slaughtered their Army, made their
 K. Prisoner, and shared a great part
 of their Country among the Vi-
 ctors. After a Peace *Donald* was
 restored; but returning to his Vo-
 mit, was imprisoned by the No-
 bility, and became his own Ex-
 ecutioner. *Donald* VI. the 74 K.
 of *Scotland*, was a profound Poli-
 tician, and in Peace provided for
 War, and in War sought only
 Peace, and the safety of his Coun-
 try. Authors are divided about,
 Where and When he dyed. *Do-*
nald VII. and 84 K. of *Scotland*,
 took part with the *English* against
 the *Danes*, while he was but Gover-
 nour of *Cumberland*; and when he
 was dignified with the Crown, ap-
 proved his Abilities for Government
 by his Discretion, Prudence and
 Justice. His Reign was Disturbed
 by *Mackdonald's* Rebellion, and two
 Danish Invasions, out of both which
 he extricated himself, but could not
 escape his Destiny; for he was Slain
 in an Ambush by *Mackbeth*, who
 usurped the Throne about 1091.
Donald VIII. and 87 K. of *Scotland*,
 as he possess'd the Crown by unlaw-
 ful methods, so he was compell'd
 to leave it by the same Arts, being
 driven out of the Km. by *Duncan*
 in 1103, about six Months after the
 date of his Usurpation.

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viz. *Douglas, Angus, Ormond, Wigton, Murray and Morton*. There is also a *Castle, a Dale, and a R.* in the S. of *Scotland* of the same Name. The History of this Family has been writ by an excellent Pen.

Druſa, (Janus) a Native of *Holland*, Lord of *Nortwick*, and Governor of *Leiden* in 1574. He was famous in his time for his great Knowledge in the learned Sciences, and his Courage and Conduct in Military Affairs, of both which he has given us uncontroverted Testimonies by his Pen and his Sword. He died of the *Pestilence* in 1604, but left four Sons behind him that did all *Patrizare*, viz. *Janus, George, Francis* and *Theodorus*.

Druſi, a T. in the Diocess of *Rheims* in *France*, upon the R. *Cher*. famous for two Councils held here, An. 871, and 874; in the first of which *Hinchmar* Ep. of *Laon* was deposed, imprison'd, and had his Eyes put out, for setting up the *Papal*

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Draco, an *Athenian* Lawgiver who liv'd in 120 of R. whose Laws by reason of their Severity were said to be writ in *Blood*, and therefore were all repealed by *Solon*, except those against Murder.

Drake, (Sir Francis) born in *Devonshire*; But Educated in *Ken* by his Father, who was a *Clergyman*, and read Divine Service to the *Navy Royal*. He bound him Apprentice to a Master of a small Vessel, who at his Death left it to his Servant *Francis*, as a Legacy, which he sold to fit himself for a Voyage with *Sir John Hawkins* to *America*, then called the *New World*, which proved very unsuccessful to him: five Years after in the Y. 1572, he fitted out a Man of War and two small Tenders, sail'd to *America*, took *Nombre de Dios*, and returned with good store of Gold that he took from the *Panamaans*; with which in 1577 he fitted out five Ships, sail'd into the S. Sea, and brought

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Dressellus, (*Jeremy*) a Jesuite, Professor of *Rhetorick*, and afterwards Domestick Preacher to the Elector of *Bavaria*, who has writ several practical Discourses in *Theology*.

Drogheda, a C. in the Prov. of *Leinster* in *Ireland*. It has a very good Harbour for Shipping, and was in a flourishing Condition, till *Oliver Cromwell* storm'd it in *Sept. 1649*, and put all the Garrison, which consisted of about 4000 men to the Sword, and of the Inhabitants spared neither Sex, Age, Poor or Rich, but destroyed all before him. It was since the Revolution a Garrison for the late *K. James*, but surrendered two days after the Fight at the *Boyn* to *K. William*.

Droitwich, a Borough T. in *Worcestershire*, upon the Banks of the *R. Salwarp*, which returns two Burgesses to the House of Commons, now *Charles Cox*, and *Edward Foley, Esq*; It's a remarkable Place for *Brine-Pits*, out of which they make good white Salt; from *London* 82 m.

Druids, British Priests of great Authority, distinct from the Civil Government. They excommunicated Offenders, and a Person so interdicted, was reckon'd in the Number of *Wicked Wretches*. They were Judges of all Controversies, the Sole Interpreters of Religion, and sacrificed Men as well as Beasts, which made them fear'd by the People. They were exempted from War and Payment of Taxes, and had the Oak from whence they derive their Names in great Veneration; but especially the *Mistleto* upon it, and never perform'd any Sacrifice without it.

Drusilla, Daughter of *Agrippa*, the most beautiful Creature of that Age. She forsook her Husband *K. Azizus*, and married *Felix* Governour of *Judea*. It was before the Tribunal of this *Felix* and *Drusilla*, that *St. Paul* justified his turning Christian.

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Drusius, (*John*) born at *Oudenard*, who after studying at *Louvain* and *Ghent*, came into *England*, and at *Oxford* improved himself in the Knowledge of the *Hebrew* Tongue; and being taken notice of at his return to *Holland*, the States made him first Professor in the University of *Leyden*, and then at *Franker*; he was in great Esteem for his Learning, and the Works he has left to Posterity.

Drusus, a Family branch'd out of that of the *Clandians*; and tho' it originally came from the *Plebeians*, yet had been honour'd with all the great Dignities of *Rome*, and three several Triumphs, and produced as many famous Men in future Times, as any Family the Ancient Romans magnific.

Druzes, or *Drusi*, a People in the Holy Land that possess *Mount Libanus*, and are neither *Mahometans*, *Christians*, nor of any other Sect but their own. They tolerate all kind of Incest, and think it not unlawful for a Man to marry his own Daughter, or a Son his Mother. There are Disputes about their Originals, but none are positive from whom they are descended.

Dryades, the Nymphs of the Woods, or *Wood Fairies*.

Dryope, a Nymph of *Arcadia*, on whom *Mercury* begot the God *Pan*.

Duarennus, a Native of *France*, and a Learned Civilian, much commended by *Thuanus*.

Dublin, the Chief City of the Km. of *Ireland*, situate upon the *R. Liffy*, about 20 L. from *Holy-Head* in *Wales*; but at what time, or by what person it was built is unknown, though it must be very ancient, because it is mentioned by *Ptolemy*. A Colony was planted here from *Bristol*, a little after *Ireland* was conquer'd by *K. Henry II.* which put it into a way of Trade, and in time made it the most considerable place in

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in the Kingdom. In more ancient times the City was govern'd by a *Provost*, but *Henry IV.* gave them Authority to choose a *Mayor* Annually, and *K. Charles II.* honour'd that *Magistrate* with the Title of *Lord Mayor*. In the City is the Residence of the *Lieutenant*, in a state-ly Palace accommodated to the Grandeur of the Person that represents that of the King. Here are held their Sessions of *Parliament*, and the Courts of Justice. It has a Colledge for Students in the Liberal Sciences, which is a University in itself founded by *Q. Elizabeth*, An. 1561, and confers Degrees like our English Universities. The Cathedral Church a pile of great Antiquity, is dedicated to *St. Patrick*, Patron of the *Irish*, in which besides the Arch-Bp. are a *Dean*, 2 *Arch-Deacons*, and 22 *Prebendaries*. They have another fair Collegiate Church called *Christ Church*, where the *Lieutenant* usually goes to Divine Service; be-

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were appointed by the Prince, or Supreme Magistrate, to whom they were accountable.

Dulverton, a m. T. in *Somersetshire*, in the Hundred of *Wilton* upon the R. *Ex*.

Dunbar, a T. in the Co. of *Lothian* in Scotland, 20 m. from *Berwick*, and as many from *Edinburgh*.

Dunblane, a City of Scotland in the Co. of *Menteith*, situate on the R. *Teith*, 35 m. distant from *Edinburgh*.

Dunbritoun, a T. in the Co. of *Lenox* in Scotland, distant 8 m. from *Glasgo* N. W. that has the strongest Castle by Nature in all Scotland, built on craggy double headed Rocks, and has but one Passage to it, and that hardly passable, but with great Difficulty by one single Man. *Dunbritoun Frish*, is a great Bay in the S. W. part of Scotland, in which are many secure Havens, and populous Towns.

Dundalk, a small C. in the Prov.



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ould be advantageous to the Nation, it was sold by R. *Charles II.* to the present *French K.* for 900000 *l.* *Sterlin*, who has bestowed incredible Cost in fortifying it, and in enlarging and securing the *Haven* by *Citadels*, *Ports*, *Peer-Heads*, and other useful Defences.

Duns, (*Joannes*) from the Place of his Nativity called *Scotus*. He was in great account at the latter End of the XIII *Cen.* for his fine spun Notions, in opposition to *Thomas Aquinas*, and the Difference in their Sentiments, was the Production of two Wordy Sects, called *Thomists* and *Scotists*, which were of little use to the Learned World, and served only to waste time in unprofitable Niceties.

Dunstable, a m. T. in *Bedfordshire* upon the Borders of *Hartfordshire* in *Buckinghamshire*, built by R. *Henry I.* and is now famous for the best and biggest Larks, and curious Straw-work. It has many good Inns, and a Stone-cross in it, built in Memory of *Q. Eleanor*, Wife of *Henry I.* 30 m. from *London*.

Dunwich, once a famous C. but now a mean Corporation on the Sea-coasts of *Suffolk*, retaining nothing of its former Wealth and Grandeur, but the Honour of returning 2 *Burgesses* to Parliament, who at this time are *Sir Charles Blois*, *Baronet*, and *Robert Kemp*, Esq; 'Tis 12 m. from *London*.

Dupont Bassane, a curious Painter in *Miniature*, who for fear of being arrested by Bailiffs, leapt out of his Window, and killed himself. He had three Brethren as famous as himself, but were all *Melancholy*.

Duras, (*Lewis*) Brother to the *French Duke Duras*, who being first Naturaliz'd by Act of Parliament, in the 17 *Car. II.* was in the 24 of the same K. made *Baron of Holdenby*, and afterwards *Earl of Feversham* in the Co. of *Kent*. He married one

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of the Co-heiresses of *Sir George Sands* of *Lee's Court* in *Kent*: Was Captain of the Guards to his Highness *James D.* of *York*, and when he was K. General of his Army in the Expedition against the late D. of *Monmouth*.

Durham, a C. Co. *Palatine*, and Bp. See in the N. of *England*. The C. is seated upon a Hill, which with the adjoining R. *Ware*, renders it a strong and pleasant Place, formerly possess'd by the *Brigantes*, fortified by a Wall and a Cattle in the Middle of it, with a *Cathedral Church* towards the S. side of the C. It returns 2 Citizens to the House of *Commons*, who now are, *Sir Henry Bellasis*, Kt. and *Thomas Conyers*, Esq; The Bpr. of *Durham* is bounded on the N. W. by the R. *Derwent*, which parts it from *Northumberland*, on the S. by the R. *Tees*, which separates it from *Yorkshire*, on the W. by *Northumberland* and *Westmorland*, and on the E. by the *German Ocean*. It contains 7 m. Towns, 4 *Wakes*, and 118 *Parishes*. The W. part abounds with profitable Mines of Lead, Iron and Coals, and the E. is fruitful in Grass and Corn. *Nathaniel Lord Crew*, *Baron of Stene* in *Northamptonshire*, is the present Bp. of this Diocese, and the Knights of the Shire are, *Sir Robert Eden*, Bar. and *William Bowes*, Kt. The C. is 1 m. from *London*.

Durlach, a T. of *Schwaben* in *Germany*, possess'd by the Marquis of *Baden Durlach*, a Branch of the Ancient House of *Baden Baden*.

Durslus, the XI. K. of *Scotland*, a Wicked Son of a very good Father, who taking distast at the Nobilities disapproving his Government, and pretending to Reform; invited them to a reconciling Supper, and when they were all together in a Room, caus'd them to be barbarously Murdered; which encouraged those that were not invited,

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that they collected a great Army, gave him Battle, and killed him, *An. m. 46. 4.*

Dingfeld, the Capital of the Dm. of *Mons* in *Germany* upon the *Rhine*, belonging to the D. of *Newburg*.

Duum-viri Sacrorum, 2 Magistrates in *Rome*, created by *Tarquinius Superbus*, who were a kind of Priests, appointed to take care of, and consult some Books he found, that he thought were written by the *Sibyl of Cumæ*. *Duum-viri Municipales*, were the same Magistrates in Free Towns that Consuls were in *Rome*; who took an Oath that they would serve the City and Citizens well and faithfully, and were allowed to wear the Robe called *Prætexta*. *Duum-viri Navales*, Magistrates that took care to fit out Ships and pay the Sailors. *Duum-viri Capitales*, these were Judges in Criminal causes. It was lawful to appeal from them to the People.

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Dynasties, Superiors. The *Antient Romans* made 2 Orders of God. The first were the *Dii majorum Gentium*, which they called God the first order. The second, the *Dii minorum Gentium*, or *God's*. The first were 12 in number and were sought to only extraordinary occasions: Those the second, were called upon, *Danet*, in affairs of lesser moment. The *Dynasties* were a certain of *Demi-Gods*, *Heroes* or *Kings* among the *Egyptians*, that governed Successively in *Egypt*, whose began in *Menes* the first that the name of *Pharaoh*, which continued to his Successors, and ended in the thirtieth Dynasty under *Psammetichus*, who was Conquered by *Artaxerxes Ochus K. of Persia* 3704, and Driven into *Ethiopia*.

Dynast, or *Dunst*, a great River of *Muscovy*, which rises in the Province of *Megrina*, passes by the *Soechna*, then turning North

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his Followers as many Wives as they could keep, with the Privilege of putting them away at Pleasure, and taking others.

Easingwold, a little m. T. in the N. Riding of *Yorkshire* in *Bulmer Hundred*.

East-Bourn, is a m. T. of *Pevensey Rape* in the Co. of *Sussex*, 52 m. from *London*, and is remarkable for the little Fat Birds called *Wheat-Ears*, which visit those *Downes* once a year, are caught by Shepherds, and sold at *Tunbridge* at very great rates.

Easton-Ness, a High Mountain or Clift in the W. of *Suffolk*, which makes the N. point of *Southwold Bay*, and is the most Eastern point of Cape in the Km. of *England*.

Eaton, a small Town upon the R. of *Thames* in the Co. of *Bucks*, directly opposite to *Windsor*. That which renders this T. so famous, is a College founded by K. *Henry VI.* richly endowed with Lands, which maintains a *Provost*, 8 *Fellows* and a Decent *Choir*; besides the Teaching 60 *Scholars Gratis*, till they are fit for the University, and then by Election they are made *Fellows* of *Kings College* in *Cambridge*. The School is now in great Reputation.

Ebba, about the Y. 870 was *Priores*s of *Coldingham Nunnery* in the Kingdom of *Scotland*, who being informed, that the *Danes* were playing their disorderly Feats in that Neighbourhood, mangled her own Face and those of the Virgins in the *Priory*, rather than have their Bodies defiled by those *Savages*; in Revenge whereof, the *Danes* Burnt the *Monastery* and all the *Religious Women* in it.

Eberhardus, called the Bearded D. of *Wittenberg*, was so well beloved by his Subjects, that he boasted he could Sleep at ease and safety in any of their Bosoms. He

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was Founder of the University of *Tubing*; and *Maximilian I.* Emp. of *Germany*, said he excelled in Wisdom and other Princely virtues all his Predecessors. He dyed in 1495. There was another D. of the same Name and Place, who merited a High Renown for his Justice.

Ebersdorf, a T. in the Lower *Austria*, upon the *Danube*, about 2 m. below *Vienna*, where is a Castle, to which the Emp. often retires to enjoy himself in Private.

Eberstein, the name of a Co and Castle in the Circle of *Schwaben* in *Germany*, belonging to the Marquis of *Baden*.

Ebion, an Arch-Heretic of the I Cen. who denyed the Divinity of our Saviour, and affirmed him to be a meer man; with other impious Doctrines, tending to the Destruction of Christianity. Some are of Opinion, that S. *John* the Evangelist wrote his Gospel intentionally against him and *Cerintus*.

Ebolum, a T. and Dm. in the Km. of *Naples* in *Italy*, not far from the Bay of *Salernum*.

Ebro, one of the greatest R. of *Spain*, which once gave that whole Country the name of *Iebberia*. It rises in old *Castile*, and divides that Km. from *Aragon*, and watering the Southern part of *Catalonia*, falls into the *Mediterranean Sea*, between 3 small Islands made by its own Sands.

Ebroin, Mayor of the Palace to *Lotharius III.* K. of *France*, who for the Space of ten years governed with great Moderation and Prudence, but afterwards Deposed and set up what Counterfeit Kings he pleased, and tyranniz'd over the Nobility for many years, till he was killed by *Hermanfroy* a Peer of *France*, whom he had illegally dispossess'd of all his Estate.

Eburores, a People so called by *Caesar*, who inhabited those Territories which are now called the B. of *Lepo*. I I I

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Ecbatan, a C. in *Media* formerly, built by *Solomon*, where the Kings kept their Court; but now is a C. o. *Persia*.

Eccleshall, a m. T. in *Staffordshire*, in the Hundred of *The Hill*.

Echo, a Nymph of the Air, who fell in love with *Amor*; but being slighted by him, she retired into *Grotts*, and hollow places in Mountains, where she pined away to a *Skeleton*, having nothing left her but her voice.

Eckius, (*John*) a Professor of Divinity in the University of *Ingolstadt* in *Germany*, who was appointed by the *Romanists* to write, and dispute against *Luther*, *Melancthon* and other Protestant Divines; but being worsted by the strength and Scriptural Authority of their Arguments, the Lectures were adjourned. He died An. C. 1543, in the 45 Y. of his Age.

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Euphrates, whence some are of Opinion, and with reason, that *Paradise* was seated in *Mesopotamia*, in *Asia*, in the Confines of *Babylon*, because the Channels of the R. *Tygris*, and *Euphrates*, run in no other Places. It is also the name of a River in *Cumberland* rising in *Yorkshire*, which by tedious Circuits watering *Westmorland* and *Carlisle*, at length falls into the *Irish Sea*, between *Annand Castle* in *Scotland*, and *Boulness* in *England*.

Ederus, the 15 K. of *Scotland*, who was saved from the Enemies by the care of his Nurse, and at last was enthroned by *Cadwallus* the Vice-Roy, and Reigned 48 years, about the 3887 Y. of the World.

Edeffa, better known by the name of *Rhoda*, is a C. of *Mesopotamia* under the Dominion of the *Turks*. This City is about 2 hours March in Circuit, the Walls fair, the T. Populous, and yet little to be seen within her Ruins. On the S. side is a Castle, large Circumference

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Rest Welsh Princes. He Reigned 16 Y. Died, and was buried at *Glasfenbury*, in 975.

Edgar, the 89 E. of *Scotland*: he lived a great while in *England*, while an Usurper possess'd his own Crown; but his Subjects sending for him, he soon Routed *Donald's* Forces, and kept him Prisoner till he dyed. As he was Restored by Unanimous Consent, so he Reigned 9 Y. to their Satisfaction, and dyed about 1098.

Edge-Hill, a Place in *Warwickshire*, where on Sunday, *October* 23, 1642, the first Battel was fought between *K. Charles I.* and the *Parliamentarians* under the E. of *Essex*. Here the Earl of *Lindsey*, General of the Field for the K. dyed in the Bed of Honour; the standard was taken, but Retaken by Sir *John Smith*, for which he was made a Banneret. The K. in this Fight had apparently the Better on't, opened his Way to *Oxford* and *London*, the Next day took *Banbury*, while *Essex* Retreat'd first to *Warwick*, then to *Coventry*, and left both the Field and the Passes.

Edinburgh, is the Capital City of the Km. of *Scotland*, and the Seat of their Kings. It stands on an Ascent, in a Serene Air, and a Fertile Soil, in Length from E. to W. about a *Scotch m.* but something less in Breadth. Well Fortified, Magnificent in its Buildings, Populous and well Traded by its neighbourhood to the Port of *Leith*. At the East end it has a Royal-Palace called *Holy-Rood-House*, and delicate Park; and on the W. on an adjoining *Rock* a very strong Castle; which at the beginning of the Revolution was Garrison'd by the Duke of *Gordon* for the late *K. James*; but surrendered by him to *K. William* and *Q. Mary*, June 13. 1689. Here is also a University whose Founder was *James VI.* Nine Parish Churches supply'd

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by 22 Ministers. A College of Physicians, and another for the Education of Lawyers. Here all Provisions are very good and Cheap, if their Cookery was agreeable, long, 16. 09. Lat. 56. 15. about 50 m. from the *English Borders*, and 300 from *London*.

Edmund, the 5 Son of *Edward the Elder*, succeeded to the Crown of *England*, immediately after his Brother *Atbelstan*. The *Danes* were very Troublesome in his Reign, and his Life was Shortened by a Notorious Robber whom he had Banished, who daring to appear among his Nobles at a Feast, which the King made them at *Puckle Church* in *Gloucestershire*, the King threw him from his Seat at the Table to the Ground; but he rising Stabbed the K. to the Heart with a Dagger, which the Nobles seeing Cut the Murderer to Pieces. The King was Buried at *Gloucester*.

Edmund, Surnamed *Iron-side*, 3 Son of *K. Ethelred*, stood up for the *Saxon* Succession against *Cnutus* the Dane, and was so Successful in his Arms, that he had cut off from the *Danes* all hopes of settling this Km. if he had not been Betrayed by his Brother-in-Law *Duke Edrick*, in carrying his Forces to the Enemy when the Battel was begun. After much Bloodshed the 2 emulous Kings undertook by single Combat to end the Difference. *Atney* a small Island near *Gloucester*, was the Place appointed for this Royal Duel, which was fought on both sides with great Courage, till *Cnutus* finding himself overmatch'd, and wounded by *K. Edmund*, propos'd an Agreement to him; upon which both Kings cast down their Swords, embraced one another, and divided the Km. between them. But *K. Edmund* enjoy'd his share but a little while, for he was barbarously murder'd as

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Ordered by his Brother *Edrick*, whose Death for a while put an end to the Saxon Monarchy in England.

Edrick, K. of England, was a bigotted Prince, and meanly subiected himself to the Direction and Correction of Dunstan Abbot of *Glastenbury*, in *Somersetshire*. He reigned in 10 and was buried in 955 at *Glastenbury*.

Edward, K. of England, surnamed the Confessor, succeeded *Cnutus*, and usurp'd the Crown from his Elder Brother *Edmund Iron-side's* Issue, who had a precedent Right. He build St. *Martin's* Church in *Westminster*, and enlarg'd the Abby, but in nothing so much aggravated himself with his People, as by releasing the Tax call'd *Dane Geld*. He married *Edith* the beautiful Daughter of Earl *Godwyn*, but never convers'd with her as a Wife in Bed; was cruel to his Mother in making her pass the *Fury Ordal*, and was wholly neglective of *Henry*, which

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well-dispos'd Prince, and suffer'd *Elfrida* his Mother-in-Law, and her Son *Ethelred* to manage the Government; but this ambitious Step-Mother, discontented that the Name of King was wanting to her Son, took an opportunity, (when *Edward* call'd at *Corfe-Castle* for some Drink as he retired alone from Hunting,) and caus'd one of her Servants to stab him as he sat on Horse-back. The good Prince little expecting such a Treatment, put Spurs to his Horse and rode away; but fainting through loss of much Blood fell from his Horse, and one Foot hanging in the Stirrup, he was dragged through the Woods, and Grounds, and at length left dead at the Gates of *Corfe-Castle*. Thus fell K. *Edward*, who was buried at *Shaftesbury*, where his Tomb in the following Years grew famous for Miracles.

Edward I. of the Norman Line, K. of England, surnamed *Long-*

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no 1307, and was buried at *Westminster*.

Edward II. called *Edward of Carnarvan* from the Place of his Birth. He was counted an unworthy Successor of his Royal Father; for he was a dissolute Prince, hated by the Nobles, and slighted by the populace: His Reign was both infamous and unfortunate; infamous by his *Favourites*, whom he countenanc'd in all their intolerable Oppressions and Insolencies, even to the Ruine of his Subjects, and the Hazard of his Crown; and unfortunate because it forc'd the old Struglers for *Liberty*, the *Barons* to take up Arms in Defence of themselves, and the People of *England*, who at last prevail'd, and the consequence prov'd fatal; for he was forced to resign the Crown to his Son Prince *Edward*, and soon after his Resignation was barbarously murder'd at *Berkley Castle*, by the procurement of *Roger Mortimer* Earl of *March*, the *Q's* guilty Favourite.

Edward III. commonly called *Edward of Windsor*, succeeded his Father upon his Resignation of the Crown, whose Wisdom and Valour made his Reign a Blessing to *England*, and a Scourge to *France*, and *Scotland*. To *France* he laid claim as next Heir by his Mother's side, upon the Death of her Brother *Charles IV.* youngest Son of *Philip IV.* who died without Issue. And such was his Success in those Wars, that he march'd into the Heart of *France*, and made great Devastations all along to the *R. Seine*, almost to the very Gates of *Paris*. In this Reign *England* had the Honour to have two foreign Kings Prisoners, viz. *John K. of France*, and *David Bruce K. of Scotland*. This Reign was also famous for the Institution of the Noble Order of the *Garter*, to increase Vertue and Valour among the Nobility; and for that

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great Champion of the Reformation Dr. *John Wickliffe*. Thus all things carried a Face of Glory, till the incomparable *Edward the black Prince* died, whose Death hasten'd that of his Father, for he died not long after full of years, after a long and happy Reign, at his Mannor of *Sheen* near *Richmond* in *Surrey*, on the 21 of *June* 1377, aged 64.

Edward IV. Eldest Son of *Richard Duke of York*, and the first K. of this Line, came to the Crown by Right of Descent from K. *Edward III.* for *Anne* his Mother was Daughter of *Roger Mortimer*, Son of *Edmund Mortimer* Earl of *March*, and *Philippa* his Wife, sole Daughter of *Lionel Duke of Clarence*, third Son of *Edward III.* and Elder Brother of *John Duke of Lancaster*. But he was fain to maintain his Right as he got it by the Sword. A Reign of prodigious Effusion of Blood, and Revolutions. Twice *Henry V.* became a Prisoner to *Edward*, and *Edward* once to *Henry*, and the Parliament always kept on the strongest side. *Edward* abdicated, and was forced to fly beyond Sea; *Henry* was restored from his Prison to the Throne: Then *Henry* was rejected and *Edward* readmitted. The Courage and Resolution of *Q. Margaret*, *Henry's* Wife, and the Earl of *Warwick's* changing sides, occasion'd all these Intestine Wars; but *Gladmoor-Fight* near *Barnet*, where that Earl was slain, and the Battle of *Tewksbury* in *Gloucestershire* where the *Q.* was totally defeated, turn'd the Scale to *Edward's* side. Here the *Q.* was taken Prisoner, and Prince *Edward* her Son barbarously murder'd by *Richard Duke of Gloucester*, and the Good and Pious *Henry* had the same Fate, and the same Executioner not long after. K. *Edward* Reigned 23 Y. and was buried in the New Chapel at *Windsor*.

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Edward V. K. of *England*, Elder Son of *Edward IV.* was not above 12 Y. of Age when his Father died, and his Uncle *Richard Duke of Gloucester* making himself Lord Protector, soon got the K. and his Brother Prince *Richard* into the Tower as his intended Sacrifices: By the help of the Duke of *Buckingham* he quickly slips into the Throne, causes the K. and his Brother *Richard* to be murder'd, and then rules alone at Will and Pleasure: So that the short Reign of this K. may rather be called the Tyranny of K. *Richard III.*

Edward VI. The only Son of *Henry VIII.* by *Jane Seymour* his third Wife, was about 20 Y. of Age, when he ascended the Throne. A Prince of great Hopes, of a solid Judgment and Improvement in Learning above his Years. He was not very fortunate in Wars; but very happy in promoting the Reformation of Religion, in which his

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the Death of the D. his Son, and innocent Daughter-in-Law all on the Scaffold, under the Reign of Q. *Mary.* K. *Edward* having done many good Acts of Piety and Charity, died in the 16 Y. of his Age, the 6th of his Reign, Ann 1553, and was buried in *St. Peter's Church* in *Westminster*, near the Body of E. *Henry VII.* his Grandfather.

Edward Bruce, Brother to *Robert Bruce*, K. of *Scotland*, took part with the *Irish* against the *English*, and being more courageous than prudent, fought the *English* at so great Disadvantages, that there was no probability of Success; and therefore being taken Prisoner was beheaded at *Dundalk*, in 1317.

Edwin, the first Christian K. of *Deira*, being dispossessed of his Dominions by *Ethelfred K. of Bernicia*, was re-instated in his Rights by *Redwald K. of the E. Angles*, by which means he was enabled to conquer *Bernicia*, and laying it to his

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ingham, a T. in *Surrey*, giving
to the Right Honourable *Francis*,
Baron of *Effingham*.

tes, a Knot of Islands in the
Sea, over-against the Pro-
vince of *Depranum*, to the W.

ert, the first of the *Saxon*
that was sole Monarch of En-
after he had conquer'd the
six, that with his own made
Hepharchy. He chang'd the

of this Island from *Britain* to
it, from the *Angles* an Anci-
ple of *Holstein*, who assisted
his Expedition and Conquest
s *Kni*. His Reign was much
ed by the Incursions of the
who design'd to deal by the
as they had done by the *Brit*.

Thrice they invaded him,
often he repuls'd them, and
rid himself of these unwell-
wishes, died in 835. and was
at *Winechester*.

ward, an ingenious Person, that
the Emp. *Charlemain* in quali-
secretary, and wrote the History
r Great Prince, together with
nals of *France* from 741, to 829,
ed in great Reputation, in 848.

mont, a T. in the N. of *Holland*,
as the Honour of giving Title
Earls of *Egmont*, one of the
pal Families of that Country.

emont, a m. T. in the Co. of
rland, in the Hundred of *Al-*
; upon the Banks of a R. not
om the Sea; over which it
to Bridges. It had the Privi-
of electing Members of Par-
t, but now has lost it, though
ut Reasons does not appear up-
Records. From *London* 222 m.
p. is the most Ancient, most
ul, and most Celebrated Km.
Africa. On the N. it has the

Mediterranean Sea; on the E. *Arabia*
a, and the Red-Sea; on the S.
ia; on the W. *Cyrene*, and the
ts of *Lybia*. The R. *Nile* runs
gh the whole length of it, and

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is the sole Cause of its Fertility, by
overflowing it every Year in the
Month of *June*. It is extended in
Length from N. to S. 550 m. and
in Breadth is 140 *English* m. Long.
from 60. D. to 67. S. Lat. from 22
to 31. This Country was first peo-
pled by *Misraim* the Son of *Chus*,
the Grand-child of *Noah* by *Ham*,
and maintained its Liberty under
Princes of its own, till God gave
them over to *Nebuchadnezzar*, A. M.
3355, five Years after the Ruine of
Jerusalem by the same Prince. Then
Cambyses reduced them a second
time in 3425. *Xerxes* conquered
them in 3473. *Artaxerxes* subdued
them in 3502. *Alexander* the Great
became their Master in 3620. *Pto-*
lemy the Son of *Lagus*, began his
Reign over them in 3625. from
thence forward they were under the
Romans, till this wretched Nation
called in the *Saracens*, and *Turks* to
expel the *Greeks*; under whose Ty-
ranny and Oppression they still groan
without hopes of Relief, and sigh
out their Complaints for contribu-
ting to the Destruction of their
Country, and their own perpetual
Slavery: For *Egypt* is now nothing
but a *Skeleton* of what it was. It
was once called the *Granary of the*
Romans, over-spread with Wealthy,
Populous Cities and Towns, but now
is *Desolate*, and all its Ancient Glo-
ry and Magnificence, is buried in
Rubbish and *Ruins*. *Grand Cairo*,
Alexandria, *Roseta*, and *Damieta*,
are the only considerable Places left
of 3000 T. that *Strabo* lays were in
his time, and of the 18000 that
Antiquity beheld in the Age before;
and from being esteemed the learn-
edst Prov. in the World; now no-
thing but a Universal Ignorance, and
Barb. possesses their whole Country.

Ehud, a Judge of *Israel*, who to
redeem his Country from Slavery
killed *Eglon* K. of the *Mosabites*,
for which he was prefer'd to be a
Judge,

Judge, and govern'd 80 Y. with great Satisfaction to the People.

Eichtelberg, a Mountain in the Marquisate of *Culembach*, famous for giving Head to 4 R. in Germany, viz. the *Mein*, the *Eger*, the *Nab*, and the *Saal*.

Eisleven, a small C. in the upper Saxony in the Co. of *Mansfeld*, where *Luther* was born.

Elba, an Island in the *Mediterranean* Sea, between *Piombino* and the Isle of *Corfica*.

Elbe, one of the greatest Rivers in Germany, which was the fatal Boundary of the *Roman* Empire, to which they seldom came but with great Difficulty, and beyond which they could never get a Settlement.

Elbene, the Name of a Family in *Florence*, which have flourished there about 400 Y. last past.

Elbeuf, a T. in *Normandy* upon the R. *Seine*, 4 L. from *Rboan*, honoured with the Title of a *Duchy*.

Elbing, a C. in the K. of *Prussia*,

not to be concerned in this Affair. These seven Electors were the A-Bps of *Mentz*, *Triers* and *Colign*, the Co. *Palatine*, the D. of *Saxony*, the Marquis of *Brandenburg*, and the K. of *Bohemia*, who have since form'd themselves into a College, of which the Arch-Bp. of *Mentz* is the President, where all great Affairs of State, as well as the Election of the Emp. are transacted. Of the 7 Electors, three were *Protestants*, viz. the Elector *Palatine*, the D. of *Saxony*, and the Marquis of *Brandenburg*, who kept the Balance almost even between *Papists* and *Protestants*; but when the Elector *Palatine* was by the People chosen K. of *Bohemia*, and for that reason put to the Imperial Ban, and divested of all his Rights and Estates in the Empire; the Electorate was conferred upon the D. of *Bavaria*, who was of the *Papish* Perswasion, which was prejudicial to the *Protestant* Interest; for the *Papists* being five to two,

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sius, who had murder'd their Father.

Elementa, the Elements, or Physical Principles, whereof all Natural Bodies are composed. *Pythagoras* and *Aristotle* allowed 4 Elements, *Fire, Air, Earth* and *Water*, but *Descartes* allows but 3.

Elencus, the God of Liberty and Truth, mention'd in *Menander's* Comedies.

Elephant, an Order of Knighthood instituted by *Christiern I. K. of Denmark*, at the Celebration of his Son Prince *John's* Marriage.

Elephantina, a pleasant and fruitful Island of the *R. Nile* in *Egypt*, below the last of its Cataracts, not far distant from *Ethiopia*, where there is a Commerce between the People of those Countries.

Eleusis, an Ancient C. of *Attica* between *Megara* and the *Portus Pyrae*, one of the most celebrated in all *Greece*, for the Temples and Mysteries of the Goddess *Ceres* performed here, with other particular Mysteries in Honour of *Proserpine* and *Hercules*, some of which it was Death to discover. *Solinus* says, there is a Fountain of very Quiet Waters in that Country, which yet are moved with the Sound of a Flute, as if they were sensible of Harmony.

Eleutheria, Grecian Festivals, celebrated every 5th Y. in Honour of *Jupiter Eleutherius*, whom they called the Protector of Liberty, which were instituted upon their defeating 300000 *Persians*.

Eleutherius XV. Bp. of Rome, in whose Reign Christianity was generally embraced in *Europe*.

Eleutherius, Governour of *Ravenna*, under the Emperour *Heraclius*, who bribed the Soldiers to assist him in his Design of making himself K. of *Italy*, but they abhorring his Perfidy, made him shorter by the Head, and presented it to *Heraclius*.

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Eleutherspolis, a C. of the Tribe of *Juda* in *Palestine*, 3 m. from *Hebron*, and 20 from *Jerusalem*.

Elgin, a small C. in the Co. of *Murray* in *Scotland*, upon the *R. Lossie*.

Eltham, a m. T. of *Shepway* Lathe in *Kent*, pleasantly seated among Woods on the side of a Hill, from 58 m. *London*.

Eli, who succeeded *Samson*, and was a High-Priest, and a Judge in the Jewish Nation, but neglecting to punish his lewd Sons, fell under God's displeasure, and was severely punished in several Instances: for the *Hebrews* were overcome in Battel by the *Philistines*, the Ark of God was taken, both his Sons were slain, and *Eli* at the News thereof, fell backward from his Seat and broke his Neck.

Elias Levita, an excellent Grammarian, and *Hebrew* Commentator, who lived in the last Cen.

Elias of *Nisibis*, a skilful *Syrack* Grammarian, who observed their want of Letters to express the Words they made use of in their Language, wherefore they were forced to serve themselves with *Points*, which being but conjectural, often rendred their words of ambiguous Interpretations.

Elidare, Brother to *Archigallus*, and 3 times K. of *Britain*; 1. by his Brother's Deposition, whom he generously restored by force of Arms; 2. in his own Right; and 3. after being deposed by his two younger Brethren.

Eliexer, a famous Rabbi of the *Jews*, whose Book call'd *The Commenters* of *R. Eliexer*, is by them thought the most ancient of the kind. Others say he liv'd about the 75 Y. of C. But others, that he wrote not before the 700.

Elijah, or *Elias* the T-*... Prophet of the Lord*, in the Reign of *Ahab* and *Jezebel* K. of *Syria*.

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after he had zealously and faithfully served his God, working many astonishing Miracles, he was taken up to Heaven alive in a fiery Chariot.

Elinand, or *Elimond*, a Cistercian of *Froimont Beauvais* in the 12th Cen. wrote a Chronicle in 48 Books, from the Beginning, to Year of the World 1212.

Elipandus, a Nestorian Abp. of *Tolcdo*, in the 8th Cent. Condemn'd in two Synods, and the Council of *Frankfort*, and refuted by *Charlemagne*, in a Letter.

Elis, now *Belvedere*, a Country of *Feloponnesus*, between *Achaia*, *Messenia*, and *Arcadia*, wherein is the C. *Pisa Olympia*, famous for the Olympick Games, and a Temple of *Jupiter*; also a C. on the River *Penens* of the same Name with that Country.

Elifsa, Son of *Shaphat*, Successor to *Elijah*, in the Prophetick Office, famous for Miracles.

Elizabeth, Daughter to *Hen. VIII.*

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of her Age, and lies buried in *Minster-Abby*.

Elizabeth, or *Isabeau*, Daup. to *Philip IV. of France*, and V. to *Edward H. of England*, a Woman more fair than virtuous: She forced her Husband to resign the Crown her Son *Edward*, and was acc. of a criminal Familiarity with *Timor*; who was seiz'd in her Apartment, and put to Death.

Elizabeth, or *Isabel*, Daughter to *John II. King of Castile*, and was married in 1469, to *Ferd. V. of Arragon*, (to which by herriage she added the K. of *Castile* and had her Name join'd with in Administration of the Government of *Spain*. She was enterprising and prudent, and first set the Inquisition in her Km.

Elizabeth Clara Eugenia, a prudent and religious Princess, and loved of her Father *Philip II. Spain*, who gave all his Dominions in the Low Countries in Dowry

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Elpidius, B. of *Laodicea*, in the beginning of the 5th Cent. was condemn'd for defending *St. Chrysostome*.

Elfenore, a C. of *Denmark* in the Isle of *Zealand*, with a good Harbour, and a Castle that commands the Sound.

Elfsinburgh, a strong Fortrefs of the Prov. of *Schonen*, in *Sweden*, opposite to *Zeland*.

Eltham, a m. T. of *Kent* in *Black-Heath* Hund. 8 m from *London*, pleasantly seated, and of much Resort.

Eltor, Lat. *Elana*, a C. of *Arabia petraea* upon the Red-Sea, of great Trade for *East-India* Goods.

Elva, or *Yelves*, Lat. *Helva*, a C. of *Portugal*, and B. under the A. of *Esvora*; it is strongly seated upon a Hill about 2 L. from *Guadiana*, and was in vain besieged by the *Spaniards*, in 1659.

Elvir, the 27th Caliph, or Successor of *Mahomet*, fled unto *Egypt*, where he was made Sovereign Pontiff.

Elvira. Lat. *Eliberis*, a ruinous C. of *Granada* in *Spain*, once famous, where a Council was held in the Y. 305, as some think, or as others before *St. Cyprian's* time.

Elwang, a German C. in *Suabia*, on the R. *Faxt*, 9 German m. N. of *Ulm*. Its Provost is a Pr. of the Empire.

Ely, Lat. *Elia*, or *Helia*, an Island in the R. *Ouse*, and a C. thereof, with a beautiful Cathedral, in the N. of *Cambridgeshire*. It gives name to a B. of a small Diocess; but considerable Revenue, being valued in the K's. Books at 2134 l. 8 s. 5 d. The Clergy's Tenths amount to 384 l. 14 s. 9 d. It is 56 m. from *London*.

Elysians, an Ancient People in that part of *Germany*, where are now the *Silesians*.

Elysiun, a word of an *Hebrew*, or *Phœnician* Original, signifying a Place of Joy and Delight; whence *Elysi-*

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an Fields were by Poets feigned to be the Retreat of Vertuous Souls: But where situated, Authors agree not, though *Virgil* and others say in *Bœotia*.

Elzivirs, Printers in *Holland* famous for their charming Types, and numerous Books they publish'd. *Daniel* the last of them, died at *Amsterdam*, in 1680.

Emanuel Comnenus, prefer'd to his Elder Brother *Isaac*, succeeded his Father *John* Emperour of *Constantinople*. *Conradus* Emperour of *Germany*, whose Sister he had married, with *Lewis the Younger*, undertaking an Expedition to the East against the Infidels in his behalf, he endeavour'd to poison their Army, betray'd them to the *Turks* in 1147, and way-laid them in their Return. He broke his Faith to the *Venetians*, who made him shew for Peace; warr'd unfortunately with the *Turks*, and *Hungarians*; and died in 1180, after 57 y. Reign.

Emanuel II. succeeded his Father *John Palæologus*, in the Empire of the E. Whilst *Constantinople* was besieged by the *Turks*, he went about asking Aid from all the *European* Princes. He resign'd the Empire to his Son, in 1419, wearied with ill Success; and taking the Name of *Matthew*, and a Religious Habit, died in 1425, in a Monastery.

Emanuel, Son to *John D. of Visco*, succeeded *John II. K. of Portugal*. His Reign was prosperous, and Attempts successful; he expell'd the *Moors*, took several Towns in *Africa*, made considerable Discoveries on the *Ethiopick* Coasts, was a Lover of Learning, and wrote of the *Indies*. He died in 1521.

Emanuel Philibert, surnamed *Iron-head D. of Savoy*, was by *Charles V.* made Kt. of the *Golden-Fleece*, and General of the Imperial Army before *Metz*, and at the Battel of *St. Quintins*, in 1548, beat the *French*.

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He went with *Philip* of *Spain* to *England*, was made *Kt. of the Garter*; and died in 1586.

Embsden, the cap. C. of *E. Friesland* on the R. *Embs*; it is large, well built, a Place of great Trade, with an Excellent Harbour, and defended by two Castles; it once was under Counts of its own, but is now govern'd by Magistrates, and depends on the *States-General*.

Embrun, or *Ambrun*, on the R. *Durance*, a C. in the *Dauphinate*, and A's Seat. It is ancient, and famous for the Quarrels betwixt the *Jesuits* and *Jansenists*; and lies 23 L. from *Grenoble*.

Emir-alem, Master of all the Standards, Colours, and Ensign-bearers, who marches immediately before the *Sultan*, with a Standard half White, half Green, born before him.

Eminaus, a T. of *Judea*, 2 L. from *Jerusalem*, where *Christ* first covered himself to his Disciples

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tions of the Soldiers, and Decree of the Senate, to such as had gained a *Battel*, wherein 10000 of the Enemies were slain, or had conquered some very considerable Country; and last of all to *Caesar*, after he had usurp'd the Sovereign Power over the Republick, and his Successors. At present 'tis given to the Chief of the *German Empire*.

Empire, a large Extent of Dominions under one Sovereign, whereof four are most celebrated in History, viz. The *Assyrian*, *Persian*, *Grecian*, and *Roman*. The Name and Image of the last remains in that of *Germany*: See *Germany*.

Emporia, now *Castel-Aragonesc*, an Episcopal, C. in *Sardinia* upon the R. *Terno*, with a good Haven, and strong Citadel.

Emporicus sinus, *Golpbo di Sala*, where stands the C. *Sala*, in the E. of *Fex*.

Emporium, *Empoli*, a T. in the D. of *Florence*, on the R. *Arno*, under the

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Endymion, 12 K. of *Elis* in *Peloponnesus*, was expell'd his K. for losing at the Olympick Games. Retiring to Mount *Latmos* in *Caria*, he carefully observ'd the Stars, and thence was feign'd of the Poets to be belov'd of the Moon.

Engedi, a C. of *Palestine*, now ruinous, famous for its Vineyards.

Engelbert, an Abbot, that wrote an History of the Rise, and End of the *Roman Empire*, about the End of the 12th Cent.

Engeriacum, St. *Jean d'Angeli*, a T. of *Xantoign*, on the R. *Vultumna*, formerly fortify'd by the Reform'd, but dismantled by *Lewis XIII*

Engern, a German T. in the Co. of *Ravensberg*, in *Westphalia*, 7 or 8 L. from *Munster*.

Engers, a fair T. and Castle, with a Noble Bridge over the *Rhine*, in the A. of *Triers*, between *Coblentz*, and *Andernach*.

Engien, a rich T. in *Brabant*, nigh to *Steenkirk*, 12 m. S. W. of *Brussels*, and 16 N. of *Mons*.

Engia, or *Engina*, an Isle in the *Archipelago*, about 35 m. in compass, whose chief City is of the same Name.

England, a famous and flourishing Km. is the best, largest, and most S. ern Part of *Great Britain*, which together with *Scotland*, from which 'tis parted by the R. *Tweed* and *Solway*, on the N. and *Wales* to the W. makes up that Island. It lies between the 17 and 22 Deg. of *Lon.* and 50 and 57 of N. Lat. being 325 m. long, and 279 broad. In which Space of Ground there are above 28 Millions of Acres of Land, divided into 40 Shires or Counties, wherein are near 10000 Parishes, under 23 B. whereof two are A. The Air is temperate and wholesome, the Soil generally fruitful, water'd with 325 R. the Inhabitants ingenious, courageous and industrious. It abounds in Plenty of all things,

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whether for the Necessities or Conveniencies of Life; has the most Excellent *Government*; and the best *Religion* in the World; flourishes in Learning, Civility, Arts, and Trade: Its Armies are formidable by Land, its Fleets by Sea. The Country is rich, the Poor well provided, the Land well husbanded, the Pastures filled with best and biggest Cattel, Seas and Rivers with Fish, Woods and Fields with Game. In fine, were mutual Union and Concord, join'd with Gratitude to the Almighty Donor; nothing would be wanting to consummate the Felicity of the Inhabitants.

Enico, Count of *Bizorre* in *Gascigny*, took the Title of K. of *Navarre*, and Co. of *Aragon*, having drove the *Saracens* from thence; and ordered that, Heirs-Male failing, Daughters should succeed.

Enjedinus, (George) a *Hungarian*, and subtle *Anti-Trinitarian*, wrote a Treatise, call'd, *Explic. Incor. Scriptura Vet. by Nro. Testam. Lyc. ex quibus Dogma Trinit. Stabiliri solet*.

Enipeus, a R. of *Theffaly*, running through *Pharsalia*, where *Pompey* was defeated by *Cesar*.

Eniss, a small *Sicilian* R. that passes through the Valley of *Demonna*, to the Sea.

Encoping, a C. of *Upland* in *Sweden*, near the Lake *Me'ter*, 5 or 6 L. from *Upsal*.

Enna, now *Castro Johanni*, an ancient C. upon a Lake in the Middle of *Sicily*, famous for a Temple of *Ceres*, and fine Springs.

Enneskilling, a T. of *Ulster* in *Ireland*, remarkable for the Bravery of its Inhabitants, who signaliz'd themselves against the *French* and *Irish*, in the beginning of K. *William's* Reign.

Ennius, (*Quintus*) an ancient *Latin Poet*, born at *Rudii* in *Calabria*, A. R. 515. wrote several Books of *Annals*.

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Annals, Satyrs, Comedies, and Tragedies, all lost but some Fragments.

Ennodius, (*Marcus Felix*) B. of *Pavia*, lived in the 6th Cent. and was one of the greatest Writers of his Age.

Enez, or *Tenis*, a C. of *Romania* by the *Archipelago*, on the R. *Mariza*, a B. under the Patr. of *Constantinople*. Subject to the *Turks*. +

Ensch, the Son of *Cain*, after whose Name the first City was called. +

Ensch, Son of *Jared* of the Race of *Seth*, was taken from the Earth by God, having walked uprightly in his sight, after he had lived 365 Years.

Enoch, a famous Orator born at *Ascoli*, the first Restorer of Learning in the W. He redeem'd what Books he could from the *Turks*, after the Conquest of *Greece*.

Enos, the Son of *Seth*, supposed by some, to be the first that intro-

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Entella, now *Lavagna*, a B. of *Liguria*, in *Italy*, rising from the *Apennines*, and running into the *Mediterranean*.

Entinopus, a famous Architect of *Candia*, in the 5 Cent. who built the first House where *Venice* now stands, afterwards converted to a Church.

Entre-Duro e Minho, the most Pleasant and Populous Pro. of *Portugal*, so called from its Situation; 'tis 18 L. long, and 12 broad, containing 1400 Parishes, above 130 Monastries, and 6 Sea Port T. and good C.

Eon, or *Eum*, a Gentleman of *Bretaign*, that hearing them sing in Church, *Per Eum qui venturus est Judicare Vivos et Mortuos*, fancy'd himself to be that *Eum*, and persuaded also a great many others, of whom several chose rather to burn, than lay down their Delusion; but he being apprehended, and committed, died in Prison: about

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Pelopidas; and being made General by the *Thebans*, after they had shaken off the Yoke of the *Lacedamonians*, gave them such an overthrow at *Leuctra*, that they irrecoverably lost the Superiority of *Greece*. At *Mantineæ* he gained a second Battle, where being wounded with a Javelin, he would not suffer it to be pulled out, till his Enemies were quite defeated, and then tearing it out, he breath'd forth his Soul in Joy and Triumph. *Lysis*, a *Pythagorean*, taught him Musick and Philosophy. He was Learned, Wise, Prudent, Martial and Courageous, and loved the truth to such a degree, that he would not so much as tell a lye in Jest. He died *An. R. 391*.

Epaphus, a *Grecian*, who wrote a History of the Temple of *Diana* at *Ephesus*. Also the Son of *Jupiter* and *Io*, who was K. of *Egypt*, and built *Memphis*.

Epaunum, or *Epnæ*, a C. in the ancient K. of *Burgundy*, where *Sigismund* K. thereof, held a Council, after abjuring *Arianism*.

Eperies, a C. of *Hungary* on the R. *Tarks* near *Poland*, under the Emperour.

Epeus, K. of *Phœcis*, first invented the *Battering Ram*, and is said to have built the *Trojan Horse*.

Ephælion, an Intimate Favourite, and Bosome-Friend of *Alexander* the Great, with whom he communicated his greatest Secrets. He married the Sister of *Statyra*, Daughter of *Darius*, and Wife of *Alexander*, who told *Sisyambis*, that had mistaken *Ephæzion* for himself, that she was in the Right, for he was Another *Alexander*. He died at *Ecabatus*, to the unspeakable Grief of *Alexander*, who for three days after would not Eat; but Sacrificed to him as a God, and expended 12000 Talents on his Funeral.

Ephesiria, *Theban* Festivals in Memory of *Tiresias*, wherein his Image

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was clothed first in Women's, then in Men's Apparel.

Ephesus, situated upon the R. *Cayster* in *Ionis*, was once one of the most splendid C. of the lesser *Asia*. Here was a Temple of *Diana*, that was 200 Y. in finishing, though done at the Charges of all *Asia Minor*, which was accounted one of the wonders of the World. Here the beloved Disciple *S. John* lived, wrote, and probably died. To the Church here, *S. Paul* wrote an Epistle; and here was celebrated a general Council in 431. It has now lost both its Ancient Name and Greatness, remaining only a sad Spectacle of Barbarous Fury, and is called by the *Turks* *Ajafalote*.

Epheta, a Judicatory appointed by K. *Demophon* for Casual Murders, made up of 50 *Athenians*, and as many *Argives*, who were to be of 50 Y. of Age, and untainted Repute.

Ephialtes, Son of *Neptune*, a Giant, who trusting to his prodigious strength and Bulk, with his Brother *Ochus*, made War on the Gods, and was thrown into Hell by *Jupiter*.

Ephori, *Lacedæmonian* Magistrates, 5 in number at a time, of absolute and Supreme Power, having the Publick Treasure, War and Peace at their Disposal. They also had the care of Religion, and presided in publick Shews and Festivals. The Kings themselves were to obey their Summons, as a Check to whose Power, they were set up by *Theopompus* K. of *Sparta*.

Ephraim, the Younger Son of *Joseph* the Patriarch, but preferred by his Grandfather *Jacob* to the Elder; by his Name was called one of the Tribes of *Israel*. Also a *Grecian*, Chronologist that wrote of the Emperors of *Constantinople* in *Lambicks*.

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Ephrem, Deacon of the Church of *Edeffa*, whose Works, translated by *Ger. Vossius*, were printed with his Life at *Antwerp*, in 1619.

Epicharis, a meanly horn but Courageous Woman, who in her Torments for Conspiring against *Nero*, would not discover her Partners; but slew her self, lest she should do it, under a second Torture.

Epicharmus, a Poet and *Pythagorean* Philosopher, Author of divers Comedies and other Pieces, and In-venter of the Letters θ and γ .

Epistetus, a *Phrygian* of *Hierapolis*, though slave to the Captain of *Nero's* Guards, was yet a *Stoick* Philosopher, more Famous and Admir'd than his Master, his earthen Lamp being sold after his Death at 3000 *Drachma's*. His Scholar *Arrian* the Historian, published 4 Books of his Discourses, and polished his *Enchiridion*, deservedly valued and esteemed by Great Men. He summed up Philosophy in 2 Words *Bear* and

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Malvasia; and a third called *Isa*; which see.

Epimenides, a *Cretan* Epick that is said to have slept 27 Y. Cave. He is cited by *S. Pa Titus*.

Epimetheus, *Prometheus's* Bro and Son of *Jupiter*, is said to formed the Foolish Men, as his ther the Wise and Ingenious; giving a Box sent by his Wife *Pera*, he filled the World with ills and Mischief, and was hith turned to an Ape by *Jupiter*, banished to Desarts.

Epiphaneus, Son of *Carpocrate* Herefiarch, and Follower of horrors, was adored after Death by *Cephalonians*.

Epiphania, a Feast in Memory of the Appearance of the to the Wisemen, whereby they Conducted from the E. to that where Christ lay; who are tho to have come from *Arabia Felix*.

Epiphanius, Bishop of *Salam*



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by the Death of *Scanderbeg* it came under the Power of the *Turks*; only *Corfu* and *Torone* are now under the *Venetians*.

Episcopius, (*Simon*) was one of the Chief Remonstrants in the Low-Countries, and Professor of Divinity at *Leyden*: he dyed in 1693; and his Works were printed, in 1678, in 2 Vol.

Epitus, K. of the *Messenians*, who having ascended the Throne, by means of the *Dorians* and *Arcadians*, punish'd the Murderers of his Father, and gain'd so much on the Affections of his Nobles and People, that from his Name, his Successors were call'd *Epitides*, though before, *Heraclides*.

Epocha, from *ἐπίχω* to stop or hold, importing a Bound or Limit, is a certain Time, wherein something notable or memorable hath fallen out, whence Chronologers begin their Computations: Of these there are many, but reduceable in general to the Sacred and the Profane; the first are taken from Scripture, as the Creation, Deluge, Birth of *Abraham*, &c. the latter from other Accounts, as the *Ogygian* Deluge, Re-establishment of *Olympick* Games, Foundation of *Rome*, &c.

Epomeus, a burning Mountain in *Ischia*, an Isle of the *Tyrrhene-Sea*; whence in 1300, and often before that, issued fiery Torrents, that frighted away the Inhabitants; 'tis now called *Monte Santo Juliano*.

Epping, or *Eppingstreet*, a T. in the W. of *Essex*, 15 m. from *London*, with two great weekly Markets for Cattel, and one for Provisions.

Eponina, a Woman of an Heroick Courage, who after much Labour and Pain, sustain'd on Account of her Husband *Julius Sabinus*, being condemn'd by *Vespasian*, suffer'd Death with Constancy.

Epsbam, a T. in *Surry*, about 14 m. from *London*, of a good Air and

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pleasant Situation, with Mineral waters, that are successfully used externally in Sores and Ulcers, and internally to several Purposes.

Ephlones, Priests that, with the *Romans*, presid'd at Feasts and Sacrifices in Honour of the Gods; three in Number at first, then 7, and after 10.

Equi, a People near, but Enemies to *Rome*, till subdu'd by *Fabius Maximus*.

Era, or *Æra*, a Tribute impos'd on the *Spaniards* by *Augustus*, 39 Y. before Christ, and thence used by Authors, to signify the beginning of some extraordinary Change in the World; the most famous are that of *Nabonasser*, that of the *Seleucida*, and the Christian *Æra*.

Erasistratus, Grandson of *Aristotle* by his Daughter, a famous Physician at the Court of *Seleucus Nicanor*, who wrote much in his Science, and is often cited by *Pliny*.

Erasmus, (*Desiderius*) born at *Rotterdam*, about the Y. 1466, was first a singing Boy at *Utrecht*; then sent to study at *Deventer*, and afterwards became a Canon Regular of *Augustin*. He travell'd in *France*, *England*, and *Italy*, in the mean time, obliging the World, by publishing several of his Books. He was courted to reside with them, by Pope *Paul III.* *Clement VII.* K. *Henry VIII.* *Francis I.* *Charles V.* *Sigismund* K. of *Poland*, *Ferdinand* K. of *Hungary*, and divers other Princes, whereby they did not more Honour to this deserving Person, than Right to their own Judgment, in shewing a due Regard to Merit; but he would hearken to none, preferring Liberty to Riches and Honour. All the Learn'd of *Europe*, esteem'd him, and had Entercouse with him by Letters. His deservedly valued Works, are nine Volumes in *Fronten* Edition. He died at *Basle*, in 1536, in the Roman, or rather Catholic

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Christian Communion; and is admired of all, but such as for the Spirit of a Party, have abandon'd that of Christ.

Erasmus, (*Joannes*) being Rector of the School at *Antwerp*, was forc'd to fly thence, for the Unitarian Opinion, into *Poland*, where he disputed with *Socinus*, about the Pre-existence of the Son of God before all Creatures.

Eraslus, a Physician of *Baden* in *Switzerland*, famous in his Faculty, in which he hath written several Books; but chiefly for his Treatise, wherein he denies the Power of Excommunication to the Church, refuted by *Dr. Hammond*, and others.

Eratō, the Muse of Love-Poems; she is represented as a young Gay-humour'd Maid, with a Harp in the Right-hand, a Bow in the Left, having by her, a little *Cupid* wing'd, and arm'd with Bows and Arrows.

Erchenbald, Co. de *Burban*, a Per-

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Erford, or *Erfurd*, the Capital of *Thuringia* in the Circle of *U. Saxony*, was in 1417 burnt to Ground, and after in such manner re-edify'd, that 'tis said rather be a Pro than a C. 'Tis *Luth* and under the Protection of it of *Saxony*, adorn'd with fair Churches, several Abbies, and a Castle.

Erkelens, 2 T. in the D. of *Saxony*, under the D. of *Newburg* m. from *Juliers*.

Erichthonius, the 4th K. of *Attica* having Dragon's Feet, is said to have first invented Chariots, to them; and to be the first had Silver. Also a K. of *Phrygia*, 2605, that reigned 65 Y.

Ericus; there have been 9 *nish* K. of this Name: of the History is silent. *Ericus* III. was a valiant and Prudent Pr. died at C. on his way to *Palestine*. *Ericus* was murder'd, being of a cruel disposition. *Ericus* V. was unfur-

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time ruled with a very unsteady Conduct, he was deposed and imprisoned by his Brothers, *John* and *Charles*, whereof the first succeeded him.

Ericus, (*Peter*) being Commander for *Venice* on the *Adriatick*, and having taken a *Turkish* Vessel with a Cargo worth 800000 Crowns, killed 250 Men of this, and the Ship with it; slew with his own hands, the Young Son of the deceased *Basha* of *Tripoli*, in his Mothers Arms; caused 40 Women to be first ravished, then cut in Pieces, and thrown in the Sea; for which Barbarity he was beheaded by the Senate, who sent the Prize to *Amurat III.*

Erigone, Upon the Discovery of her Father *Icarus's* Death by his Dog *Mara*, hanged her self on a Tree; after which the *Athenian* Maids, transported with like Fury, hanged themselves in great Numbers, till by order of the Oracle Games were celebrated to appease her Ghost. But *Jupiter*, in reward of the Daughters Piety, and the Fidelity of the Dog, turned her into the Constellation *Virgo*, this into the *Dog-star*, and the Father *Icarus* into *Bootes*.

Erisichtion, a Lord of *Thessaly*, who for cutting a Forest sacred to *Ceres*, was in such sort afflicted with Famine, that for Bread he prostituted his Daughter, and at last eating his own Flesh, died of Despair.

Erith, a M. T. in *Huntingtonshire*, near *Cambridge*, and Another in the N. W. of *Kent*.

Eritrea, a C. of *Iohia*, a B. under the A-Bp. of *Ephesus*, which gave Birth and Name to one of the *Sibyls*, that lived in time of the *Trojan War*, and foretold the Destruction of that City. By her verses, that were collected by the *Romans*, she condemns the Multi-

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plicity of Gods. To her are ascribed the *Acrosticks* on these words, *Iesus Christus, Dei Filius, Servator, Crux*. Wherein she foretels the first and second coming of the Son of God.

Erivan, a C. of *Armenia* on the Borders of *Persia*, situated on a Rock, in a wholesome Air, and Pleasant Country. It has a Fortress like a little T. wherein is a Magnificent Palace of the Governor, and a Garrison of 2000 Men; several Churches with a Cathedral; a large Square Place encompassed with Trees, for publick Exercises and Diversions. In the *Caravansera's* or Inns, that are very commodious. Merchants have Lodging and Warehouses for nothing. It has been several times taken by the *Turks*, but still retaken by the *Persians*; and is very considerable for its Silk-Trade.

Erkenwald, Son of *Offa* K. of the E. Saxons, being converted to Christianity, was made B. of *London* in 675; he was of a Holy Life, and converted *Sebba*, K. of the E. Saxons; he enlarged *S. Paul's Cathedral*, in buildings, Revenue and Privileges; where he was buried, in 684.

Ermenul, or *Hermenul*, an Idol of the Old *Westphalian Saxons*, in a stately Temple upon the Hill *Eresberg*, now *Stadtberg*, thought by most to be *Mars*, by some *Mercury*; but destroyed by *Charlemagne*, who conquering that People, turned this Idol Temple, into a House of God, in the Y. 799.

Ermeric, a K. of the *Suevians* who passed into *Spain* in the Vth. Cent. and reigned there 31 Y.

Erminstreet-way, a Causey that goes from *Royston* to *Huntington*.

Ernestus, D. and first Elector of *Saxony*, Grand-child of *Frederick II.* called the *Warriour*, was a Wise and Prudent Prince, who being made Umpire of their Differences,

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Reconciled 3 Kings, viz. of Poland, Bohemia and Hungary. He lived in the XVth. Cent.

Eropus, or *Erops* K. of Macedon, succeeded his Father *Philip I.* A. M. 4356. Being yet an Infant, he was carried in his Cradle to the field against the *Illyrians*, who had defeated the *Macedonians* thinking thus to animate the Soldiers; who accordingly, rather than abandon their little Prince to the Enemies fury, fought resolutely, and gained the Victory.

Eros, a Slave of *M. Antonius*, who instead of running his Master through with his Sword, as he had commanded him after his defeat at *Actium*, therewith pierc'd his own Heart, expiring at his Feet.

Erostratus, an *Ephesian*, burnt the Temple of *Diana*, that he might be famous; for which the very Mentioning his Name, was severely prohibited.

Erapach, a small German C. in

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Surname of *Hay*, the first Rise of which, was in 986. in the Reign of *Kenneth III.* when the *Scots* flying before the *Danes*, were stop'd, by a Countryman and his two Sons plowing in the Neighbouring Fields, at a narrow Passage, and being by them, armed only with what the Plough afforded, encouraged, rallied, and led against the Enemy, gave them a total overthrow; thus freeing their Country from Danish Slavery; for which the Father, besides rich Rewards of Spoil, was ennobled by the K. in Parliament, and had as much Land assigned him, as a Faulcon without Lighting did fly over. From this time to the Reign of *K. Robert I.* the History of this Family is mostly lost, though yet they are mentioned in Charters; but since that time, successively, there have been 18 Lords of this Family, all of them hereditary High-Constables of *Scotland*, whereof 12 have been Earls; the Present L.

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esb, A. M. 2129. He was Father of the *Edomites*.

Escobar, (*Anthony*) of *Mendoza* a *Spanish* Jesuit, in 1650. He wrote several theological Tracts.

Eschrakites, a *Mahometan* Sect, who think Man's Chief good is the Contemplation of God : they fly all Vice, are ever in good Humour, love Musick and Poetry, and slight the Earthly Paradise of *Mahomet*. Of this Sect, are their Chief Preachers.

Escarre, a Prov. of *Morocco* fertile in Corn and Pasturage, where Turkey-Leather is drest, and good Cloth made.

Escorial, a Village in *New-Castile*, upon the R. *Guadara*, small but famous for a stately Palace of the K. of *Spain* with a Monastery, and College. The first has 17 Cloisters and 22 Courts, and many Magnificent Appartments, being all built of a very beautiful Stone, of the Marble kind. In the Monastery are five Cloisters, one whereof is for the Apothecaries : The Church is dedicated to S. *Lawrence*, and embellished with many Pictures, and Figures of Brass gilt, of exquisite Work-manship; the Sanctuary is adorned with numerous Precious Stones; the Pyx is valued at 500000 Crowns; the Great Altar rises with 17 Steps of Porphyry, and is encompassed with 4 Rows of Jasper Columns, under which is the Sepulcher of the Ks. built by *Philip IV.* called *Noftra Donna de la Rotonda*, and also the *Pantbeon*, from its Likeness to that of *Rome*. The College, hath four Cloisters, and many large Appartments; as also 3 Libraries wherein are 18000 Volumes, whereof 3000 are in *Arabic*. The whole Building was 38 Y. a finishing, and with all its Furniture and Ornaments cost about 3130102 l. in *English* Money.

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Esdra, or *Esra*, a Priest and Doctor of the *Jewish* Law, much favoured by *Artaxerxes Longimanus*, and sent by him with Authority and Presents to *Jerusalem*, for Restoring the Worship, and Adorning the Temple of the True God. He is thought to have collected into one, the Books of the Old Testament, and divided them in 22, after the Number of Letters, and distinguished the Verses; also to have introduced the *Chaldee* Character, leaving the old to the *Samaritans*; and in fine to have founded a School in *Jerusalem*, and left Rules for Dissolving Scriptural Difficulties. Of the four Books attributed to him, that in *Hebrew* which bears his Name, is only uncontroverted.

Esens, a T. of *East-Friesland* in *Westphalia*, under the Pr. of *Emden*.

Esk, the Name of a R. in the S. W. of *Scotland*, from which a County called *Esk-Dale* has its Denomination. There are also other Rs. in that R. of the same Name.

Esling, or *Eslingen*, a small yet Free and Imperial C. of *Swabia*, standing on the R. *Neckar*, under the D. of *Wirtemberg*, that suffer'd much in the Wars.

Espeuceus (*Claudius*) a Divine in the XVIth. Cen. of Noble Birth, great Piety and Learning joined with Candor and Moderation, employed by several *French* Ks. as Commissioner or Arbitrator in Religious Affairs. He left Learned Commentaries on several Parts of Scripture. Dyed in the 60, Y. of his Age, at *Paris*, 1571.

Esperie, a strong *Hungarian* T. being the Chief of the Co. of *Saros*, seated on the R. *Tarkzal*, towards the Frontiers of *Poland*, taken in 1678 by Co. *Teckely* from the *Emperour*; but recovered in 1685.

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Espernay, a French T. in *Champagne*, on the *Main*, where is an Abby of the Order of *S. Austin*.

Espinal, a small C. of *Lorrain*, on the *Moselle*, belonging to *France*, impaired by the Wars.

Espey, a T. in *Flanders*, between *Lille* and *Doway*, with the Title of a Principality.

Esquequin, an *Arabian* Tribe, that in 999 with two more passed into *Africa*; they spread over all the E. of *Barbary*, being in Number 50000 Men, and Conquered several Provinces. This Tribe is parted into divers Communities, that live in Villages, which they move from one Place to another, made up of 150 or 200 Tents each, pitch'd in a circular Order, with a Void space for Cattel in the middle, that has only two Entries; which, to exclude the Wild Beasts, they shut up with Eriars and Bushes in the Night.

Esseck, or *Osseck*, a Great, Populous, well Traded, but not very

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Head they set in Gold, and Sacrificed to it as an Idol.

Essen, a C. in the D. of *Berg* in *Westphalia*, on the Confines of *Mark*, Once Imperial, but now under the D. of *Newburg*.

Essenes, or *Essenians*, a Sect famous among the *Jews*, like in many things to the *Pythagoreans*; Their Goods were in Common, they shunned all Pleasures, and Marriage, wore white Garments, forbade Oaths, drank only Water, offer'd things inanimate to God, were very respectful of their Elders, and so rigid Observers of the Sabbath, that they would not so much as ease or supply Nature, unless pressed by Necessity. Others of them married for Procreation, but companied not with their Wives till after three Years, and not at all while pregnant. They were divided into Practicks, that liv'd in C. and wroughe in Handy-Crafts; and Theoreticks, who in solitary Places gave themselves to



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of Cloth, Stuff, Bays, Says and Serges. Besides the Honour of being an *Earl*, it has the Privilege of returning two Knights to Parliament, who now are, Sir *Charles Barrington*, and Sir *Francis Masham*, Baro-
nets.

Eftamps, a T. and Dutchy in *Beauce* in *France*, 2 L. from *Paris* to the S. and 25 from *Orleans* to the N. It is situate on the *Some* at the Confluence of another small River, called *La Riviere d'Eftampes*, and has been honoured not only with *French* Synods, but with the Assemblies of the States.

Eftaples, a Sea-Port T. in the Co. of *Boulogne* in *Picardy*, 16 m. from *Diepe*, and 10 from *Calais*.

Efte, a T. in the Dominion of the State of *Venice*, in the District of *Padua*, upon the R. *Bachiglione*.

Esther, Niece to the Patriot *Mordecai*, who being preferred to be the Wife of K. *Ahasuerus*, saved the *Jews* from Destruction, which had been contrived by the Favourite *Haman*, and ready to be executed.

Estonia, a Prov. in *Livonia*, now belonging to the K. of *Sweden*, the Capital C. in it is called *Revel*.

Estotiland, a great tract of Land in the N. of *America*, towards the *Arctic* Circle, and *Hudson's* Bay. It was first discovered by some *Friesland* Fishermen driven thither by tempestuous Weather, almost 200 years before *Columbus*.

Estouteville, a T. in the upper *Normandy* in *France*, advanced to the Quality of a Dukedom by *Francis I.*

Estremadura, a Prov. of the K. of *Portugal* at the Mouth of the *Tagus* upon the W. Ocean. The Principal C. in it is *Lisbon*, the Capital of the Km. There was another Prov. of this Name in *Castile*, that now has lost it.

Ethelbald, K. of *England*, eldest Son of *Ethelwolf*, was a valiant Prince and gave great proof both of against

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the *Danes*. But his Incestuous Marriage with his Father's Widow, blasted all his great Acts. He Reigned not full 3 Y. and was buried first at *Shirburn* in *Dorsetshire*, and afterwards removed to *Salisbury*.

Ethelbert, K. of *England*, second Son of *Ethelwolf*, was never free from Wars, but always pester'd with those devouring Locusts the *Danes*, who wasted *England* from the N. as far as *Winchester*, this K. Reigned 6 Y.

Ethelred, K. of *England*, 3d Son of *Ethelwolf*, was no sooner in the Throne, but a great Army of *Danes* landed on the *English* Coasts, who burnt *York*, and laid all waste before them wheresoever they came. With these *Danes* K. *Ethelred* fought Nine Battles in one year, and often came off victoriously; but in the last near *Basing*, received a mortal wound whereof he dyed at *Wettington*, and was buried at *Winburn*.

Ethelstan, K. of *England*, tho' born of a Concubine, succeeded his Brother *Alfred*, in prejudice of his Childrens Right, and is said to be the first Anointed K. of *England*. He Subjected the *Danes*, so that they mixed with the *English*, and incorporated with them. He overcame *Constantine* K. of *Scots*, and *Howel* Duke of *S. Wales*, but restored them again saying, it was a greater Honour to make than to be a K. He Subdued the *Island* of *Scilly*, and annexed it to the Crown of *England*. He died after 15 Y. Reign, and was buried at *Malmesbury*, having been a Prince of great Fame throughout all *Europe*.

Ethelwolf, K. of *England*, was the eldest Son of *Egbert*, the first Saxon K. of all *England*, after he had put an end to the *Heptarchy*. He was bred a Clergy-man, and accordingly proved fitter for a Mitre than a Crown. He married *Judith* the Fair daughter of the *Emper*

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ing two Burgeſſes to *Parliament*; who now are, *Hugh Parker*, and *John Rudge*, Eſquires. The Town is 73 m. from *London*, and is the *Barony* of *John Lord Somers*.

Eugenix, the Daughter of a Noble *Roman*, who, with her Father, was Honour'd with the Crown of Martyrdom in 260.

Eugenius I. the 39th K. of *Scotland*, had ſeveral Conflicts with the *Picts*, and Generally was Victor; but when they were aſſiſted by the *Romans*, the *Scots* were totally defeated, and for many Years abandon'd their Country to their inveterate Enemies the *Picts*, till they declining in the Favour of the *Romans*, made way for the Return of the *Scots* into their Native Country.

Eugenius II. ſucceeded his Father *Fergus II.* and was a Valiant, Politick, and Pious Prince, though miſerably afflicted with War and Famine, till the *Romans* were called home to defend their own Country; and then there was ſome Re-

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which continuing ſeven Days, their Waters, Milk, Butter and Cheeſe were turned into Blood. He was a Prince much addiſted to Reading *Divinity*, and was a good Proſicant in that Study. He had many Skirmiſhes with the *Picts*, but never came to decide the Diſpute in a Pitch'd field.

Eugenius VII. the 59th K. of *Scotland*, made an Agreement with the *Picts*, and confirmed a Peace, by marrying *Spondana* Daughter of their King *Garnardus*. She was ſoon after murdered in her Bed, upon a Miſtake by two *Athol* Ruſſians, who thought it had been the King's Bed. However, none but the King being in the Room where the Murder was committed, he was accuſed, but Providence ſo order'd it, that before he could be ſentenc'd, the Murderers were apprehended, ſeverely puniſhed, and the K. acquitted.

Eugenius VIII. the 62 K. of *Scotland*, was very vigilant, courageous and circumspect, while he was em-

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contents, retired to *Trvoli*, where he died.

Eugenius IV. a *Venetian*, a Pope whose Reign was checker'd with Variety of good and bad Fortune, but seldom at a stay. Sometimes in War and successful; otherwhiles Deposed, Banished, and Persecuted, till at last he return'd to *Rome*, defeated his Enemies, and died after he had sat 15 Y. 11 Months and 2 Days.

Evil-merodach, Son of *Nebuchadonozor K. of Babylon*, succeeded his Father, *An. M. 3390.*

Eulalius, Antipope, was put into the Chair by a Faction; but was expelled *Rome* by the Emperour *Honorius*.

Eulogius, Patriarch of *Alexandria*, succeeded *John IV.* and was in high Esteem for his Learning and Piety.

Eulogius of Corduba, laid down his Life as a Martyr, for the Truth of Christianity.

Eumenes, K. of *Asia* and *Pergamus*, between whom and his Brothers, there was such a strict and endearing Alliance, that they were celebrated as Examples of Fraternal Concord.

Eunapius, a Pseudo-Historian, that slander'd the persecuted Christians, and commended *Julian* the Apostate, before *Constantine the Great*, whose very Enemies loved and honoured him.

Eunymius, an Arch-Heretick in the 4th Cen. who maintained that God the Father, was of a different Nature from God the Son, because no Creature could be endued with the same perfections as the Creator: And re-baptized all that had been baptized, in the Name of the holy and undivided Trinity.

Evodius, Bp. of *Antioch*, about whom there is a Dispute, whether he or *St. Ignatius* the second was immediate Successor to *St. Peter*; but this is certain that he suffer'd Martyrdom, *An. C. 71.*

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Evora, a considerable C. in *Portugal*, 20 m. from *Lisbon* S. E. It was sometime Suffragan to *Compostella*; but Pope *Paul III.* rais'd it to the Honour of a Metropolis, and *Henry*, the first Arch-Bp. who of a Cardinal, became K. of *Portugal*, made it an University. Here is a Court of Inquisition kept, of which a late *French* Gen. has given us the History.

Euphrates, is one of the most celebrated Rs in the World, called by the *Arabians* *Frat*: it springs from the Mountain *Ararat* in *Armenia Major*, and running to the W. receives the *Harpage* and *Arfarnetes*; then it bends to the S. and divides the greater *Armenia* from the lesser. There it watheth *Mesopotamia* on the W. and S. and divides it from *Syria* and *Arabia Deserta*; at *Ctesiphon* it runs into the *Tygris*, with which it falls into the *Persian* Gulph below *Teredon* and *Bassera*. Some of the Branches of this famous R. have found new Channels, where the old ones have been dam'd up by Slime and Sand, which have been left there by the R. and have choak'd it up. The Branch that streams to *Cusa*, cannot reach the Sea; for 'tis suckt up in the Sands of *Arabia*, and has turn'd the Fertile Plains of *Babylon*, into a meer *Morass*, and unpassable Bog. *Pliny* and *Strabo* both agree, that it annually overflows, as the R. *Nile* does, much about the same time, and has the same effect, in rendring *Mesopotamia* fruitful, as *Nile* has upon *Egypt*, according to the best Description given us by *Mr. Thevenot*.

Eureux, a C. in upper *Normandy*, beautified with a great Number of Churches and Monasteries; a Place of good Antiquity, and a delightful Situation.

Euripides, a famous *Tragick* Poet, in great favour with *Archelaus* K. of *Macedonia*. He wrote 75 Tragedies;

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and by some was call'd the *Woman Mater*, not that he had an Antipathy to the Sex, for he was twice married, but because he shew'd some Women on the Stage, not as they seem to be, but what they truly were.

Euripus, is a Canal of the *Ægean Sea*, betwixt the Region of *Bœtia* in *Attica*, and the Island of *Nezropont*, so narrow in the narrowest Passage, that 'tis cover'd with a Draw-bridge and a Suspension-bridge of five Arches; but that which would seem wonderful if it were not constant, is, that the Sea regularly ebbs and flows twice in 24 Hours, 13 or 19 days in every *Month* Winter and Summer, and in the other eleven days in every *Month* it ebbs and flows 11, 12, 13, 14 times in every 24 or 25 hours.

Europa, the Daughter of *Agenor*, K. of *Phœnicia*, whom *Jupiter*, enamour'd with her Beauty, ravish'd in the *Dilean Cave*. Some are of opinion that she gave *Europe* its Name.

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these. In Length from Cape *St. Vincent* in Spain, to the mouth of the R. *Obi* in *Moscovy*, 'tis 1300 *English*, or 900 *German Miles*. From Cape *Mataphan* in the *Morea*, to the N. Cape in *Finmark* in *Norway*, 850 *English*, or 550 *German Miles*: Lying between 34 and 72 Deg. of Lat. and betwixt 9 and 93 or 94 of Long.

Europus, or *Europus* Son of *Ægius*, second K. of the *Sicyonians*, who some think gave *Europe* its name, as being one of the first Ks that Reigned in it, and not *Europa* the daughter of *Agenor*.

Eurotas, a R. of *Lacœnia*, rising in *Arcadia*, and falling into the Gulf of *Castel Rampani*. Also another in *Thessaly*.

Eurydice, Wife of *Orpheus*, who flying from *Attilus* K. of *Arcadia*, attempting to Ravish her, trod upon a Serpent, and died by his Sting. *Orpheus* to recover her went to *Hell*, and with his Musick so charmed *Pluto* and *Proserpina*, that they granted him his Wife. upon condition

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though *Monseieur Le Clerk*, *Baronius*, and others charge him with *Arianism*, from some ambiguous expressions in his Works, yet he is sufficiently vindicated from this Aspersion by the Learned *Dr. Cave*. He dyed about 440.

Eusebius, Bp. of *Verceil*, was a constant maintainer of the true Christian Faith, and would not consent to the Deprivation of *Athanasius*, though he had the example of the whole Council of *Milan* to influence, or rather Byass him into a Compliance. He dyed in the Y. 371.

Eusebius, Bp. of *Samosata*, was persecuted by the Emp. *Valens*, for his stedfastness in the Faith; not long after whose death, being order'd by the Council of *Antioch* to Oversee and Instru't the Churches of *Mesopotamia*, and going to *Doliche* for that purpose, he was knocked on the head with a Brick thrown at him by an *Arrian* Woman in 378.

Eustachius, before his Conversion to Christianity was called *Placidus*, and is thought to have been a Coll. in *Titus Vespasian's* Army, in the memorable Siege of *Jerusalem*. He for sometime retir'd from the Court; but being found out in his Privacy, was recall'd, respected, and had a Command and a Triumph given him by the Emp. *Adrian*, for his good Service; but refusing to Sacrifice to *Idols*, and declaring himself to be a *Christian*, he with his beloved Wife and two hopeful Sons, were thrown to Hunger starv'd *Lyons*, who would not hurt them; wherefore they were all put into that Hellish Engine called the *Brazen Bull*, where in great torment they were Burnt to Death.

Eustachius, an Heretical Fryar, that condemn'd Marriage, and all other conditions of civil Life, excluding all marryed people from

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the Kingdom of Heaven; by which many Women were seduced to forsake their Lawful Husbands, and Slaves to desert their Masters.

Eustathius, Bp. of *Thessalonica*, was celebrated for an excellent and a Profound Commentator upon *Homers Poems* and *Dionysius's* *Grography*.

Eustochium, a Roman Lady, and a Nun of *Bethlem* in the IV. Cen. who was perfectly Mistress of the *Hebrew*, *Greek*, and *Latin* Tongues.

Euston, a little T. of *Suffolk*, in the Hundred of *Balckbourn*, remarkable for the very Fine Mansion-House, built there by the *Earl of Arlington*, and for being the *Earldom* of the Duke of *Grafton*, who marrying his only Daughter, inherited his Estate.

Euterpe, one of the 9 *Muses*, the Inventer of the *Flute*, and other Musical Instruments.

Euthimius, born in *Isauria*, was the first Patriarch of *Constantinople*; he lived in good esteem with the Emp. *Leo*, but was exiled by his Successor *Alexander II.* and inhumanely treated by the Clergy, whom he had punished for their Vicious lives. He dyed in Banishment in 920.

Euthykrates, a Statuary, more Famous for the Justice of his Proportions, than the Elegancy of his Handy work. His Statues of *Alexander* and *Hercules*, excelled all his other Peices,

Eutropius, an ungrateful Eunuch, that conspired the Death of *Arcadius*, who had put him into the Highest and most profitable posts in the Empire for which he was degraded, had his Name struck out of the *Fasti Consulares*, and was Beheaded in the most reproachful manner.

Eutyches, an Abbot of *Constantinople*, who was condemn'd by a *Synod* held there, for affirming there were two natures in Christ before the

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the *Hypostatical Union*, and but one afterward, and that the *God-head* of Christ both suffered and Dyed; with other like Blaphemous Tenents. His Disciples were called *Eutychians*, and under the Emp. *Marcian*, were violent persecutors of the *Orthodox Christians*.

Eutychius, Patriarch of *Constantinople*, who in writing upon the *Resurrection*, unhappily fell into *Origen's Error*, that *Bodies after the Resurrection would be Intaſtible*, but being convinced retracted it. He dyed in 586.

Eutychius, Patriarch of *Alexandria*, in the 5th. Cent. He understood the *Arabic*, and wrote *Annals* in that Language, which were Printed at *Oxford* 1615, with a *Latin Version* by Dr. *Pocock*. Mr *Selden*, who had no kindness for *Episcopacy*, has made use of some of this Patriarch's works, to prove that Bishops and Presbyters are one and the ſame Office, without reſpect to Superiority or Inferiory in *Ordain-*

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was a *Viſitor* of *Diocesses*, and under the *Pope*, was a *Secular Governour* of a *Province*.

Exeter, the Capital C. of *Devonshire*, ſituate on the E. bank of the R. *Ex*, from which it derives its name. It's encompassed with a *Dike* and a ſtrong *Wall*, in *Compaſs* about a mile and half. In the City and Suburbs are 15 *Parishes*; towards the E. ſtands an Old *Caſtle*, and near that the Great Church, which was a *Monastery* till *Edward the Confessor* removed the *Monks* to *Westminster*. and made it a *Cathedral*: Of which Sir *Jonathan Trelawney* is the preſent Biſhop. It's *Diocess* extends over *Devonshire* and *Cornwal*, in which there is 604 *Parishes*; the Biſhops *Fiſt Fruits* are worth 500 *l*. And the *Clergies Tenths* amount to 1200 *l*. 15 *s*. 2 *d*. The City is Governed by a *Mayor* and 24 *Aldermen*, with a *Recorder*, *Town Clerk*, &c. 'tis well peopled, rich, and carries on a great Trade in making *Wollen Cloath* and *Serpes*: and beſides the Honour of

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in *Atlas*, and the Frontiers
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a Borough T. in the County
Falk, the Barony of the Lord
allis, which has the Honour
bearing 2 Burgeses to Parlia-
ment now are, the Honoura-
ble *Compton*, Esquire, and
Jeph Jekyll, Knight.

ikel, one of the *Major*, Pro-
phet who began to Prophesie while
other *Jews*, he was a Cap-
tive *Babylon*, about 613 years be-
fore the Birth of Christ; but being
set at Liberty, he was against
Idolatry, and Freely
reproving the *Jews*, for continuing
in their sins, which brought upon them
that miserable Bondage they suffered

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under; it so enraged the *Idolaters*,
that they barbarously put him to
Death.

Ezzelino, a Native of *Onara* in
La Marca in *Italy*, in the 13th. Cen.
He behaved himself well in the
Wars with the *Gibellines*; but en-
creasing in Power and Ambition,
provd at length a Downright Ty-
rant for 40 years; Neglected the
Government, slighted the Pope's ex-
communication, killed 1200 of his
Subjects in one day in cold Blood;
but was checked in his Carriere by
the confederate Princes of *Lombardy*,
who took him Prisoner and car-
ried him to *Soncin*, where he Dyed
Mad in 1259.

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Baria, Medicinal Baths in the
Grifons County, of good re-
putation. They Lye among
inaccessible Mountains, being
discover'd by a *Falconer*, in the
of the Emperor *Frederick II*.
He said to proceed from Veins
of Iron and Copper.

aria, a Sacrifice made of Beans
and Bacon, offered in the
Month of June upon Mount *Cali-*

stantius, a Bp. of *Rome*, in
the time the *Novatian* Heresie had
reigning. He was a Zealous Af-
fection of the truth of Christianity
against all its Enemies, and after
he had sat 14 Y. suffered Martyr-
dom under the Cruel persecutor

Fabius, the surname of a Noble
Family in *Rome*, whereof the first
worthy Note was *Quintus Fabius*
Maximus, who was Consul in the

269 of *Rome*, and since that time
as the Family has increased, so
have they run through the greatest
Dignities and Honours, that *Rome*
could confer upon meritorious per-
sons. The name was given them
from *Faba*, because their Ancestors,
when the *Romans* were given to
Agriculture, were great Planters of
Beans.

Fabius Marcellinus, an Historian
living in the 3. Cen. who wrote the
Life of *Alexander Mammæus*.

Fabius Maximus, who was Ge-
neral of the Horse in the Battel the
Romans Fought and Won against
the *Sammites*, in which he Forfeit-
ed his Life for Fighting without
Orders, and had certainly lost it, if
the People had not procured him
Pardon.

Fabius Maximus, (*Quintus*) he
observing the Rashness of for-
mer Roman Generals, took another
Method.

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Method, and wearyed out *Hannibal* by *Delays*; When *Hannibal* saw him still hovering about him on the Mountains, he said, *He feared that Cloud would end in a Storm*; and so it proved; for taking his opportunity he defeated *Hannibal*, and thereupon was called *Fabius Maximus*, and begat that of *Emilius*; *Unus homo nobis cunctando restituit rem.*

Fabius Maximus, surnamed *Allobrogicus*, for overthrowing *Bituitus*, conquering the *Allobroges*, and other Provinces of *France*, which made a considerable addition to the Roman Territories.

Fabius Maximus, Quintus, Son of *Fabius* the Dictator, who seeing his Father riding toward him, without alighting from his Horse, sent an Officer to him, requiring him to dismount, which the Father did accordingly, and taking his Son into his Arms, said, *I am glad to find thou knowest what it is to be a Ro-*

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Fabrianum, a beautiful stro of *La Marca di Ancona* in *Italy* under the Jurisdiction of the Po

Fabricius Calus, a Just Man a Brave Commander, but whose generous contempt of unjust Gain him dye so poor, that he was forced to be at the Expence Burying him.

Fabricius, (Jerome) a Physician but better known by the Name *Aqua-Pendente*, the C. where born. He was esteemed a learned Anatomist, and received great honours from the Rep. of *Venice*; left several Books of *Physic* and *Chirurgery* behind him, which are grown obsolete.

Fabricius, (Andrew) a Native of the Bishoprick of *Liege*, was counted a very Learned Person; wrote the *Harmony of the Angels* Confession.

Fabulinus, the God of *Spe* petty Deity, to whom Men sacrificed, when their Children be-

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Fakenham, a m. T. in the Hundred of *Gallow*, in the County of *Norfolk*, 110 m. from *London*.

Fakirs, a sort of strowling Mahometan *Friars*, that live upon the Charity of others.

Falaca, a Kind of *Stocks* into which the *Algerines* put their Slaves Legs, while they drub the poor Christians on the Soles of their Feet, for their Punishment, and their Patron's Pleasure.

Falaife, a T. in *Normandy*, upon the R. *Ante*, where *William I. K. of England* was born.

Falaris, a ruined C. in the Prov. of *Tuscany* in *Italy*, mentioned as a considerable one by the Ancients.

Falcidius, a Roman Tribune, Author of the *Falcidian Law*, that empowered a Father to give away his Estate to whom he pleased, provided a fourth Part was secured to the lawful Heir.

Falerus, a Mountain of *Campagna di Roma* in *Italy*, which affords most excellent Wines; and that may be the Reason, why the Poets have so loudly sung its Praises.

Faletre, (*Martin*) Doge of *Venice*, who not being satisfied with that Dignity, but desirous to make himself an absolute and despotick Prince, conspir'd with several others to kill the Senators; but the wicked Plot being discovered by one of the Confederates, 400 of them were seized; some of which were hanged, others drowned, and the Rest with *Faletre* beheaded. He that discovered the Plot, besides being pardoned, had a Pension of 1000 Crowns a year settled upon him, and was made a Noble *Venetian*; but he thinking his Reward was too little, railed against the Senators as ungrateful Persons; for which they banished him, as he deserved, for 10 Years into *Ragusa* (but allowing him his Pension) from whence attempting to escape into *Hungary*, he perished.

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Faletri, (*Ordalapho*) Doge of *Venice* in 1102. assisted *Baldwin K. of Jerusalem*, against the *Turks* in regaining of *Syria*; reduced *Dalmatia* and *Croatia* into subjection to the Rep. and the City of *Zara* revolting to the *Hungarians*, he sailed thither; but as he was storming it, received a Mortal wound, which put an end to his Days.

Falkenburg, a small T. in *Brabant*, 2 L. from *Maesrich*, and 4 from *Aquisgrane*, belonging to the *Hollanders*.

Falkland, a small T. of *Scotland* in the County of *Fife*, which has in it an Ancient Palace of their Kings, fit for a Retirement, and conveniently seated for Hunting.

Fallopious, (*Gabriel*) was a celebrated Physician, Herbalist, Astronomer, and Philosopher; and considering he died at 39 Y. of Age in 1549. it was a wonder he wrote so much, and things so well approv'd of, as are his three large Volumes in Folio.

Falmouth, a m. T. with a Noble Haven in the S. of *Cornwall* 220 m. from *London*; wherein 100 Sail of Ships may ride out of sight of one another, secured by 2 Castles at the Mouth of the Harbour, which were built by K. *Henry VIII.*

Famagusta, is a very strong C. in the Island of *Cyprus*, with a large and safe Port, both in the Hands of the *Turks*.

Fanari-Kiof, a Pleasure-House of the Grand Signior's, near *Constantinople* in *Natolia*.

Fane, (*Francis*) Esquire, Son and Heir to Sir *Thomas Fane* of *Batfel* in *Kent*, being made Knight of the Bath at the Coronation of K. *James I.* was in the 22 of the same King, advanced to the Honour of a Baron of this Realm, and also to the Earldom of *Westmorland*; which Heirs reside in the present Vere Lord Fane, Baron *le Despenser* and *Burghersh*, and Earl of *Westmorland*.

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Fauslera, a R. in the Island of *Madagascar*.

Fantia, a small Rm. in *Guinea* in *Africa*, where the *English* and *Dutch* have some Castles.

Farel, (*William*) born at *Gap* in *Dauphine*, was one of the first *Lutheran* Divines in *France*, and Minister of *Geneva* before *Mr. Calvin*. He was a Person of good Learning and competent Elocution, considering the time he lived in.

Farinaccio, a celebrated Lawyer in *Rome*, but otherwise of no fair Character. He has left 13 Volumes behind him, which are very much commended by Men of the same employment.

Faringdon, a m. T. in *Barkshire*, Capital of its Hundred 66 m. from *London*.

Ferne, an Island on the Coast of *Northumberland* in the *German Ocean*, 2 m. from *Bamburg Castle*, where *St. Guthbert* built him an Hermitage in which he took care

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Fartach, the chief C. of a Prov. that bears the same Name, in *Arabia* the Happy.

Fasces, among the *Romans*, were Axes fastned to a long Staff, tied together with a Bundle of *Rods*, which the Officers called *Lictors*, carried before their great Magistrates.

Fasti, the Roman Calendar, wherein were Register'd, the Names of the *Consuls*, and the most memorable things that were transacted in their Common-Wealth: With their Festivals, Games, and Ceremonies.

Fate, or *Destiny*, a Goddess among the *Romans*, that Ruled and Disposed all things as an Eternal Principle.

Fatigar, a R. of *Ethiopia* in *Africa*, between the great Lake of *Aben*, and the Mountains of *Feller*.

Favagnant, an Island in the W. of *Sicily*, near Cap. *Trepans*, belonging to the K. of *Spain*.

Faudon, a T. and Prov. of *France*.

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Attendants, and followed at her Heels.

Faur, (*Peter*) a *Frenchman* of great Acquirements, who was sometime President of the Parl. of *Thoulouse*.

Fausta, Sister to the Emp. *Maxentius*, and second Wife to *Constantine* the Great, who wrongfully accusing *Crispus* of having attempted her Chastity, the Emp. put him to death without any further proof; but the Imposture being afterward discovered, *Constantine* commanded her to be smother'd in a Hot Bath.

Faustina, the Emperour *Antoninus* the Philosopher's second Wife, who being refused to divorce her, only repaid, that then he must return her Jointure, which was no less than the whole Empire.

Fe, or **Fo**, a vast great Image, which the *Chineſes* Worship as the chiefest Deity in Heaven.

Feastings, among the *Jews*, were extraordinary Provisions of Food and Wine, for the Entertainment of good Fellowship, on certain Days appointed by Authority, in commemoration of *Mercies* received, or Deliverances from Danger. The same thing among the *Romans*.

Featly, (*Daniel*) descended from an Ancient Family in *Lancashire*, was educated in *Corpus Christi* College in *Oxford*, and had the Honour to be Fellow of that House, where he went out Bachelor, Master and Doctor in Divinity. Afterwards, he was made Domestic Chaplain to A-Bp. Abbot, and Rector of *Alton* in the County of *Middlesex*. He was a Person of great Piety, Integrity, Learning, and Loyalty, and for the last was a great sufferer under the prevailing of *Rebels*, who ejected him out of his Preferments, and committed him to Prison. He was firm to the Doctrine and Discipline of the Church of

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England, and equally a Learned Enemy to *Popists* and *Phanatics*; as appears by his Books, Entituled *Roma Ruens*, and the *Dippers Dipp'd* against the *Antibaptists*; but, as all Men have their Enemies, so some accused him of *Temporizing*, by deigning to sit in the Assembly of *Divines*; but those that know how he demean'd himself there, in his Learned Disputations against the *Scotch Covenant* and *Presbyters*, wish'd there had been more of his Principles among them, for then in all Probability, the *Establish'd Church* had not been crush'd under a noisy Faction. He died in the 65 Year of his Age.

Febourg, (*John*) was Secretary of State to the King of *Denmark*, and had the Assurance, whilst in that Post, to despise the Nobility, and conspire against the Life of *Torbern*, Governour of the Fort of *Copenhagen*, by maliciously and falsely accusing him to the King; but *Torbern*, who was one of the greatest Men in the Kingdom, by counterplotting his Designs, procured him to be hanged on a Gibbet near the Town; soon after, a Sentinel on the Rampart, seeing in the Night-time a Light upon *Febourg's* Head, published it as a Miracle: The King himself went to see it: Told the Nobility, that it was a Sign of *Febourg's* Innocency, and therefore took down the Body, gave it a splendid Funeral, and put *Torbern* to Death; when notwithstanding all this Noise and Rigour, the Light on *Febourg's* Head proceeded from a natural Cause, and the Flame being kept alive by the unctuous Substance in the Head, was the Reason of its so long continuance.

Feciales, a College of 20 Men of Quality, Able Politicians among the *Romans*; appointed first by *Numa Pompilius*, to settle all Matters relating to Peace or War, that no Action might be rashly undertaken.

ed by K. Henry VIII. and was advanced to the Degrees of a Baron, Viscount and Earl, in the 14 of K. James I. which Honours are now enjoy'd by the present Basil Feilding, Earl of Denbigh, and Desmond, Viscount Feilding, and Callen, Baron Feilding of Newham-Padox, and Baron Feilding of the Caghe: 3 English and 3 Irish Honours: he was Colonel of a Regiment of Dragoons, in the Service of K. William III.

Fekhr-ed-din, Emir, or Sovereign of the People called *Drusians*, Inhabitants of Mount *Libanus* in *Syria*, who making Spoil in the *Turks* Dominions, under pretence of Warring against the *Arabians*, he was advised to submit and seek his Pardon from the *Grand Seignior*. To *Constantinople* therefore he Journies in great State, with Abundance of Treasure and Rich Presents for the *Great Turk* and his Courtiers, which he distributed with so liberal a Hand, that the *Sultan* received him kindly, and pardon'd him; but the Courtiers greedy of Gain, and knowing that he had still much Riches by him, framed a fresh Accusation a-

bited T. in *Tirol* in *Germany*, ing to the House of *Austria*.

Felin, a C. of *Livonia* up of the same Name, where *William* of *Fursienburg*, great of the *Teutonic* Order, was ed by his own Subjects, a vered up to the *Swedes*, who have kept possession of ever since.

Felix I. a *Roman*, Successor of *onysius* in 271. was a prudent vernour of the Church. In one *Manes* a *Persian* called *Christ*, and had Twelve Disciples, but was forced to fly. He possessed the Chair 4 Y. and suffered Martyrdom under *Maximian*. *Felix* II. was a Favourer of *Arian* Heresy, and excommunicated the Emp. *Constantius*, for a Heretic, but upon the Restoration of *Constantius* was put to death, when he had been the Pope about 4 Y.

Felix, III. Successor to *Gregory*, was Zealous in the Support of true Christianity, which gave him great trouble, especially in condemning *Peter Mongus* and *John*. He dyed in 492 after

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Felix, and his second Wife *Dru-silla*, are the same persons mentioned in Acts 24. He was put out of his Government of *Judea*, for Tyranny and Oppression by *Nero*, and *Porcius Festus* put into that Office.

Fell, (Doctor John) Son of Dr. Samuel Fell, sometime Dean of Christ Church, was born at *Sunningwell* near *Abingdon* in *Berkshire*, admitted in *Christ-Church-Oxford*, very Young, and took his Degree of *Master* in 1643. but the War beginning betwixt the King and *Parliament*, his Loyalty to his Sovereign caused him to lay aside his Gown, and the use of Books, and take up Arms in Defence of the best of Kings in the Garrison of *Oxford*, where he was made an *Ensign*; and the War terminating in the Defeat of the Royal Army, and the K's Imprisonment and Murder, he went into *Holy Orders*, settled himself in *Oxford*, where to a Select Congregation of good men, that had espoused the Interest of the K. and Church, he Read Prayers and perform'd all the Offices of the Church, according to its Primitive Institution. When it pleased God to confound all the Designs of *Usurers*, and settle his Majesty K. *Charles II.* in his Rightful Throne, by a Miraculous and Unbloody Revolution, he was soon made Canon of *Christ-Church*, Dr. in Divinity, Chaplain to his Majesty, and in 1673 *Bishop of Oxford*; and with the Reputation of a Loyal Subject, a True Son of the Church of *England*, and a Sincere Friend to the University of *Oxford*, departed this Life in the Year 1686.

Felles, a Ridge of Mountains in *Africa*, extending from the N. E. to the S. W. on the N. of *Egypt*.

Feltri, a C. in *Marchia Tarvisina*, belonging to the Rep. of *Venice*, upon the R. *Asona*.

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Femeren, a small Island in the *Baltick Sea*, on the Coast of *Holstein*, taken by the *Danes*, from the *Swedes*, in 1645.

Feralia, Roman Feasts, instituted by *Aeneas*, to render the last Honours to the dead.

Ferdinand I. Younger Brother to the Emp. *Charles V.* who succeeded *Ladislav VI.* in the Kingdoms of *Hungary* and *Bobemia*, in the Right of his Wife *Anne* the late K's Daughter, A Prince of good Learning, Affability, Temperance, Moderation, and a Bountiful Patron to Learned men.

Ferdinand II. Son of *Charles Arch-Duke of Gratz* in *Styria*, succeeded his Kinsman *Matthias*, was very successful in his Arms against the King of *Bobemia*, and *Christiern IV.* K. of *Denmark*; but the Protestants of *Germany*, joyning with *Lewis XIII.* K. of *France*, and *Gustavus Adolphus*, the latter made such Havock in *Germany*, as constrained him to make a Peace on the best terms he could in 1634. He died in 1637.

Ferdinand III. was Successor to his Father in the same year, and immediately after his Inauguration, had the News of his General *Gales's* success against the *Swedes*; but this good Fortune was but short lived; for the same General was defeated in 1639, near *Kemnitz* in *Misnia*, by *John Duke of Saxony* the Protestant General; but afterward the Scales turned to the Emperor, and he might have made his own advantages; but being unwilling to temper the Doubtful success of War, he concluded a Peace at *Munster* in 1648, and dyed at *Vienna*, in *Germany* 1657, at the Age of 49.

Ferdinand I. surnamed the Great, Son of *Sancho* King of *Navarre*, in the Right of his Mother *Nuñna*, King of *Castile* and *Leon*, was a Successful Prince in War; he Reigned

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happily 40 years, till he died in 1605.

Ferdinand II. Son of *Alphonso VIII.* having a Dispute with *Alphonso Henriquez* King of *Portugal*, about the Right to the Frontier T. and the Territories of *Badajoz*, was so far smil'd on by Fortune, that in the first Engagement he took the Prince, and in the next the K. of *Portugal* Prisoner; but behaved himself under these Successes with great moderation and Prudence, neither insulting the Captives, nor overvaluing his own Merits. He died in 1182.

Ferdinand III. was the Monarch that Re-united the Kingdoms of *Leon* and *Castile*, and had such success against the *Moor*s that over-run Spain, that had his Life been of longer Date, he had attempted the conquest of *Morocco*, but he died in 1252, and was Canonized in 1671.

Ferdinand IV. surnamed the Courageous, though he was sometime

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Ferdinand, Infant of *Spain* surnamed the Just, was Monarch of *Aragon* and *Sicily* in 1412, and tho' his Reign was not inferior in goodness to any of his Predecessors, yet it was but short; for having Reigned 4 Years he died of the Stone in the Bladder in 1416.

Ferdinand I. was the Natural Son of *Alphonso V.* K. of *Aragon*, but being Legitimated by the Authority of *Pope Eugenius IV.* he was admitted K. of *Naples* and *Sicily*, in prejudice of the Rightful Successor in 1358. He Lost his Kingdoms twice, and was as often restored to them by the particular Favour and Assistance of his Holiness; and yet notwithstanding these obligations, he made such ungrateful returns to his Benefactors of the holy See, that *Pope Innocent the VIII.* Excommunicated him, under which Sentence he died of an Apoplexy in 1494, in the 71 Y. of his Age.

Ferdinand II. was Successor to

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Tuscany: He was entirely in the Spanish Interest, and therefore unkindly delivered up that *Don Sebastian*, who called himself K. of Portugal, and died in 1559.

Ferdinand II. succeeded his Father *Cosmo II.* and died soon after in 1670.

Ferdinand, of *Cordova*, in the Opinion of the Learned, was certainly a very great man in all Arts and Sciences; but if all be true that is reported of him, he had Scarce his Peer in any Age of the World; for he is said to have understood *Syriac*, *Arabic*, *Chaldaic*, *Hebrew*, *Greek* and *Latin*, and all in perfection; to have been a great *Canon* and *Civil-Lawyer*, *Mathematician*, *Physician* and *Divine*; and had such a Vast Memory, that he could repeat the Old and New Testament without Look, and several other Voluminous Tracts. Nay his Genius condescended to every thing; for he is said to have been a Good Soldier, to have Sung, Danced and Painted Incomparably; and was no less skilled in *Predictions*, having foretold the Destiny of *Charles the Rash Duke of Burgundy*: but where or when he died himself is unknown.

La Fere, a City of *Champaign* in *France*, between the *Seine* to the S. and the *Main* to the N. Also a strong City upon the *Oyze* in *Piccardy*, 5 Miles from *St. Quintin's* to the S. and from *Lain* to the N.

Ferentino, a C. of *Campaignia* in *Italy*, in the Ecclesiastical Territories, but under none but the Pope himself.

Fergus, the first K. of *Scotland*, was Son to *Perquhard* Chieftain of the *Scots* that remained in *Ireland*, from whom those of *Albion*, now *Scotland*, derive their Original. These last, falling out with their Neighbours the *Picts*, had resolved on a War, and sending to their Brethren in *Ireland*, received thence Forces under the conduct of Prince *Fergus*. But understanding the Craft-

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ty designs of the *Britons* against both People, without fighting they came to Agreement, and sometime after with united Forces, in the Co. of *Keyle* in *Scotland* which the *Britons* had invaded, gave them Battel, and a total Defeat, killing their K. *Coilus*, who left his name to the Country. In reward of Prince *Fergus's* signal Valour and Prudent Conduct, by Solemn Oath the *Scottish* Crown is given to him and his Posterity for ever. He died in the 25th Year of his Reign, being cast away in a Storme as he was crossing the Sea from *Ireland*, near *Carrickfergus*, that from thence had its Name, about 305 Y. before Christ.

Fergus II. the 40 K. of *Scotland*, was in his Nonage driven with others as an exile into *Scandia*, by the *Romans* joined with the *Picts*; where he so well demean'd himself in Military affairs, that the *Scots* and *Picts* growing weary of their Slavery to the *Romans*, invited *Fergus*, to return and possess the Throne of his Ancestors; which he accepted, and fought with so much Courage and Conduct against the *Romans*, the *Brittains*, and the *Picts*, that tho' he was slain in those Wars yet in Justice, he must be esteemed a second Founder of the *Scottish* Empire.

Fergus III. the 53 King of *Scotland* succeeded *Eugenius VIII.* At his first accession to the Throne, to Court popularity, he artfully dissembled vertue; but having gained his ends, he degenerated into vicious courses, especially those of Whoring and Drunkenness. His Wife often reproved and upbraided him for addicting himself to leud Women; but finding no Reformation vowed a Revenge, and Strangled him in the night while asleep in the 3 Y. of his Reign; The murderer being unknown, and several innocent persons being Wracked to find it out, their Torments to

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affected the Q. that she confess'd the Murder, and to prevent an ignominious Death, Stabbed her self the same moment, in the Y. 797.

Feritharis, the 2 K. of Scotland succeeded *Fergus* I. by reason of the Incapacity of both his Sons, and Reigned with great Prudence. His Nephew *Ferlegus*, being ambitious of Governing, was plotting with some loose and male-contented persons to dethrone him; but the matter being referred to the great Council of the Nation, they would not permit his Uncle to Resign; Nay when *Feritharis* was made away by some undiscovered Treachery, and the States having some reason to suspect that *Ferlegus* was in the Confederacy, they put him by, and Crowned his Brother *Mainus*, who sway'd the Scepter 29 Y. with great applause, and died 286 years before Christ.

Fermanagh, a County of *Ulster* in *Ireland*, in which is *Earn*, the biggest Lake in the Kingdom.

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Ferrara, a C. of *Italy*, and a Kingdom, under the Jurisdiction of Pope, which by the Beneficence of the Family of *Este*, became one of the best Cs in *Italy*; but ever since it came into the Popes hand it has visibly decayed in its wealth and Grandeur.

Ferrarius, (*John*) a Jesuit wrote the *Syriac Dictionary* is so much Commended.

Ferrarius, (*Osavio*) was Professor of Oratory in the University of *Padua*, where he was in so much repute for his Learning, that several Christian Princes and States honoured him with Rich Presents. He wrote Polite Discourse of Lamps and Minations in general, but is now to the use of them in Churches.

Ferrarius, (*Philip*) General of the order of *Servites*, published the *Lexicon Geographicum*, which with Corrections, Emendations, and additions by *Michael Antonius Baro* is the best that is extant.

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Fescennia, an ancient T. of *Hetruria* in *Italy*, only noted to a Proverb among the old *Romans*, for a sort of Ribbald Poetry; from whence came *Versus Fescennini*, Immodest Poems.

Fessoli, an ancient C. in the Dukedom of *Florence* in *Italy*, one of the 12 C. heretofore in *Hetruria*.

Festus Porcius, Governour of *Judea*, from whose Tribunal *St. Paul*, as a *Roman*, appealed to *Cæsar*.

Fethelmachus, the 38 K. of *Scotland*, a Successful Warriour against the *Picts*; whose King being killed in Battel, his Successor *Hergustus*, corrupting one of *Fethelmachus's* Servants, killed him in the Night; but the *Affassines* were taken and put to Death.

Fetu, a small Km. in *Africa* in *Guinea*, upon the Gold Coast towards *Cape Corso*.

Feversham, a m. T. in *Kent*, in *Scray-Lath*, where K. *Stephen* with his *Queen*, and *Eustace* his Son were buried, in a Monastery of his own Founding. Here is a Port for small Vessels, and near it K. *James II.* was taken, in his first attempt to fly into *France*.

Fevre, or *Faber* (*James*) born in *Picardy*, and of a considerable character, being a Person of Universal Learning, in the 16 *Cen.* He embraced the Reformed Religion in *France*, and his Commentaries are of good Esteem.

Fevre, (*Andrew le*) called *Smidelin*, was Chancellor of the University of *Tubingen* in *Germany*, whom the *Lutherans* respected as one of the Pillars of their cause. At the Instance of the Duke of *Wirtzburg*, in 1558 he published his *Formula Concordiæ*, which did good service in that Dutchy, and in the Electorate of *Saxony*.

Fevre, or *Faber* (*Tanaquil*) Regent in the University of *Saumur*, was a great Master of the *Greek* and

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Latin Tongues, as appears by his *Elegant Epistles* and other Tracts.

Fez, one of the largest and most considerable Cities in *Africa*, situate in a Km. of the same Name, and said to be built by the *Mosers* in 786. The Form of the City is a Square, built upon the Descent of two Mountains, separated by a R. that entereth into the City by two ways only, and then brancheth it self into so many channels, that there is scarce a Private House, that has not a branch of the River belonging to it, and the rest of the water passing through the Common Sewers, cleanseth the City. The middle of the City is a Plain; but the circumjacent parts are Hilly. It is divided into 4 parts, in which are 62 great Markets, and above 200 large and Straight Streets, with a great number of Lesser ones; besides which it has 7 Hundred Mosques, many Colleges, Hospitals, Arsenals, &c. 86 Gates, 250 Bridges, many of which are so covered with Houses, that they are not discernible, with 86 publick Baths, besides 600 private ones. The Great Mosque called *Caroven*, is half a Mile in compass, and has 31 Gates, very High and Magnificent. The Houses are all well built, with Mosaick Work on the outsides, and are painted with Flowers and Fruits, on the Inside, with perspectives and Landships. The Territory appertaining to this Stately City, extends from the R. *Burgage* to the R. *Gnaue*, and on the N. from the R. *Suba* to the Foot of *Mount Atlas* S. and is called the Province of *Fez*. The Foreign Merchants all Reside in a great Square in the City, enclosed with a Wall and 12 Gates, which are shut up every Night; and in this Place their Artificers and Tradesmen, of which there is said to be 2000, that are only working Hand men. O o o

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Fezzen, a Province of *Biledulgerid* in *Africa*, of a great Compass of Ground, but Desert.

Fiacer, was Son to *Eugenius IV.* K. of *Scotland*, esteemed a Saint; for notwithstanding he was Heir to the Crown, yet all the Temptations of the World could not alienate his Mind from Religion; and therefore he retiring privately into *France*, with his beloved Sister, whom he placed in a Nunnery, built himself an *Hermitage*, where he gave up himself to contemplation, and in a short time grew famous for working Miracles. His Father dying of Age, and his Brother being de-throned for Misgovernment, the *Scots* desired him to return and enjoy the *Crown*, but no Inducements could perswade him to it; for he continued Hermit till he died in his *Cill*, and was buried in the Cathedral of *Meaux*.

Fiano, a Castle, now grown into

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of this Kingdom by *R. Edwards* and upon *Sir Richard Fienes* marrying the Daughter and Heir of *Thomas* Son and Heir *Tho. Lord Dacres*, he was declared Lord *Dacres* by Letters Patents bearing date 37 of *R. Hen. VI.* and was succeeded by his Grandson, *Sir Th. Fienes*, who was summoned to Parliament in the Reigns of *R.* the VII. and VIII. He dying in was succeeded by his Cousin *Th.* who by an Unfortunate Accident lost the Honour; but his Son *Gory* was restored in 1. of *Queen Elizabeth*. He dying without Issue, and *Sampson Lennard*, Esq; marrying his Sister *Margret*, obtained a Grant in the 10 of *James I.* to himself and Heires, to have Place and Precedence as the Eldest Son of Lord *Dacres* of the S. and his *Henry* succeeded him accordingly, whose Son *Richard* succeeding and *Francis* him. left Issue *Th.*

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Fienbert, (*Jaspar*) a great Minister of State and President of the Parliament of *Tholouse*, was in such high Esteem with *Louis XIV.* that after his Death he said, *he was one of the best Judges of his Km. and that he should be in a great trouble, find another of his Excellent Qualifications to fill his Place.*

Fife, one of the greatest Counties in *Scotland*, which has many Towns and Stately Houses of the Nobility in it, with a good Trade, a fruitful Soil and well Inhabited. It gave formerly the Title of *Thane* to several great Families; and now the *Earls of Rothes*, surnam'd *Lesly*, are hereditary Sheriffs of this County.

Filleck, a C. of the upper *Hungary*, in the Possession of the House of *Austria*. It stands in the Road to *Presburg*, and has several times been taken and Retaken by the Christians and *Turks*; but now is in the hands of the last.

Finale, a strong and well Fortified Town upon the Sea Coasts of *Italy*, betwixt *Savona* and *Albengua*; the Territories belonging to it, are not above Six m. in Length, bounded on each end, by the points of two Mountains. It is under the Dominion of *Spain*.

Finch, this noble Family is descended originally from *Herbert Fitz-Herbert Finch*, who was in Ward to *K. Edward I.* Lineally descended from *Henry Fitz-Herbert* Chamberlain to *Henry the I.* and from *Sir Moyle Finch* of *East Well*, in the County of *Kent* Baronet. He espoused *Elizabeth*, Sole Daughter and Heir to *Sir Thomas Heneage*, Knight, who was *Treasurer* of the Chamber, *Vice-Chamberlain* of the Household, and *Chancellor* of the Duchy of *Lancaster* to *Q. Elizabeth*. This Lady *Elizabeth*, after the Death of her Husband; was in the 21 of *K. James I.* advanced to the Dignity

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and Title of *Viscountess of Maidstone*, in *Kent*, with Limitation of that Honour to the Heirs-Male of her Body Lawfully begotten; and in the 4 of *K. Charles I.* was Created Countess of *Winchelsea*, in *Sussex*, with the like Limitation. In which Honours, *Thomas Finch* her Son succeeded her, and his Son *Heneage* succeeded him; who first married *Diana*, Daughter to *Francis Lord Willoughby of Parham*; then *Mary*, Daughter to *William Marquis of Hereford*, afterwards Duke of *Somerset*; and being descended from the Ancient Family of *Herbert*, and in consideration of his Services to *K. Charles the II.* was advanced to the Dignity of a Baron of this Realm, in the 12 of the same *K.* by the Title of *Lord Fitz-Herbert of Eastwell* in *Kent*. His Eldest Son *Thomas*, called *Lord Maidstone*, was killed in a Sea-Fight against the Dutch in *May 1672.* leaving his Lady Big with Child of a Son, of whom she was delivered on *Sept. 26* next following, who is the present *Charles Finch, Earl of Winchelsea, Viscount Maidstone, Baron Fitz-Herbert of Eastwell* and *Baronet, Lord of the Royal Manor of Wye*. Of this Family is the Lord *Finch of Fordwich*, and *Sir Heneage Finch* Knight, *Recorder of London*, and *Speaker* of the House of Commons in *Parliament*, in 1 *Car. I.* 4th Son to *Sir Moyle Finch* of *Eastwell* Baronet, and the Lady *Elizabeth* Countess of *Winchelsea* his Wife, and Father of *Sir Heneage Finch* Knight and Baronet, who being a great Proficient in the Study of the Laws, in the Honourable Society of the *Inner Temple* *London*, and of great Integrity and Exemplary Loyalty, was immediately upon the Restoration of *K. Charles II.* *June 6.* made His Majesties *Solicitor General*, and the next Y. following *Autumn* Reader in the *Temple*. On the 7th of *June*

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1650, was advanced to the Dignity of a *Baronet*, and in 1670 constituted the King's *Attorney General*; in 1673 made Lord *Keeper of the great Seal*, and advanced to the degree of a *Baron* of this Realm by the Title of *Lord Finch of Daventry*, in the County of *Northampton*. Soon after he was made *Lord High Chancellor of England*, and *Earl of Nottingham*. Which Honours are now in his eldest Son, under the name of *Daniel Finch Earl of Nottingham*, *Baron Finch of Daventry*, and *Baronet*, sometime *Principal Secretary of State*, and one of the *Governours of the Charter-house*.

Fincormachus, the 35. K. of Scotland, by his Courage and Conduct, he wearied out the *Romans* who invaded him, that they were constrained to leave him in quiet. His time he employed in promoting Christianity.

Findachus, the 3. K. of Scotland. was a man of excellent qualificati-

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land, and one that understood the true way of governing: He laid down this as a *Maxim*, that *Assemblies should determine nothing of Moment without the consent of their great Council*.

Fionia, an Island of Denmark, the *Baltick Sea*, between *Juland* and the narrow *Frith*.

Firandum, a C. of Japan, in that part which is called *Ximo*. and *Island* on the Western Coast.

Firleius, (*John*) *Palatine* of *Silvania*, and grand *Marshal* of the *King of Poland*, who seeing *Henry France* boggle upon taking the additional Oaths of his Coronation, he snatched up the *Crown*, was carrying it away saying, *Sic Jurabis, non Regnabis*; If you will Swear, you shall not Reign; and could not be Stopt, till the K. gave Satisfaction in the matter.

Fisher, (*John*) *Bp. of Rochester* in the 16th Cent. was a very learned and Devout Prelate, firm to

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Fitz-Roy, (*George*) third natural Son of *K. Charles II.* by *Barbara Dutchess of Cleveland*, was created *Baron of Pontefract*, *Viscount Falmouth*, and *Earl and Duke of Northumberland*, April 6. 1683. in the 3^d of *Charles II.*

Fitz-Herbert, (*Anthony*) Chief Justice of *England*, in the 16 *Cen.* was esteemed a Learned Lawyer, and was the Author of several Books.

Fitz-William, of *Milton*, in the County of *Northampton*, now Lord *Baron Fitz-William of Lyfford* in the Kingdom of *Ireland*, which Honour still remains in the same Family.

Fitz-William of Dundran and Merion is now *Baron Fitz-William of Thorne-Castle*, in the Kingdom of *Ireland*; both these Families came into *England* with *K. William I.* and continue to this Day in the same Line and Christian name.

Flagellantes, a Sect of Wild People in the 13 *Cen.* that thought to atone for their sins, by Disciplining their Bodies; but at last falling into a Dangerous Heresie, kept to their Whipping, and neglected all the Offices of Christianity.

Flamborough-Head, a famous Promontory and Sea-mark near *Burlington-Bay* in *Yorkshire*.

Flamen, in the plural number *Flamines*, Priests of *Jupiter*, appointed by *Numa* to attend the Service of the Gods. At the first Institution among the *Romans* there was but one, but at length they had as many *Flamines* as they had Gods. The Chief of them was called *Flamen Dialis*.

Flaminia via, the High way or Road from *Rome* to *Ariminum*, made by *Flaminius* the Consul.

Flaminius, (*Caius*) a Roman Consul, whose Rashness made him an unfortunate General. *Flaminius*, (*Titus Quintus*) was a consul of

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Rome before he was 30 Y. of age; and a successful General, against that great Warriour *Philip King of Macedon*, and their great Enemy *Hannibal*, both which he not only routed in the Field, but forced them to Abandon the *Roman Territories*.

Flanders, is the greatest, and every way the best of all those Seventeen Provinces, which make up that large and Fruitfull plat of Ground, called the *Low Countries*, or the *Spanish Netherlands*. In it are 28 Walled Ts. or Cities, 1158 Villages, besides Castles, Forts, Noblemen's Houses, Abbies, Priors, Colleges and Monasteries. The People are much addicted to Merchandizing, and their Linnen Cloth is prefer'd before that of other Nations. Only unhappily being the *Akeldama* or Seat of War for some Ages. The *Hollanders* kept a War there, with a little intermission, above Forty years, and took several Towns from it in the North; The *French K.* has made no less devastions in the South for many years, and now he is making his last effort for gaining the whole from the *Spaniards*, under pretence of Befriending and Assisting them.

Flatbom, an Island in the *Severn*, over against *Summersetshire*.

Flavian, Patriarch of *Constantinople*, was a person of extraordinary Merit, and a Stout Champion against the *Eutychian Heresie*, which unhappily sprung up in his time, and which he caused to be condemned, in a Synod held at *Constantinople*; which *Dioscorus* of *Alexandria*, resolving to Revenge, not only caused him to be Deposed in a Pseudo-Synod at *Ephesus*, but also so inhumanely treated him with Blows and Kicks in the Assembly, that he died of his Bruises in a very short time after.

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La Fleche, a T. in the Province of *Anjou* in France, upon the R. *Loire*, towards the Frontiers of *Main*.

Fleming, (Sir Daniel) of *Rydal-Hall* in *Westmorland*, is of a very Ancient Family, that has still retained the Name of *Fleming*, in the Elder House; though the Younger Branches have often chang'd theirs, and taken the Name of the Places where they lived, and sometimes of the Families where they inter-married.

Flensburg, a C. of the Km. of *Denmark*, on the South of *Jutland*, seated upon a B. in the *Baltick* Sea. The City is under the K. of *Denmark*, but the Territory which belongs to it, is under the Duke of *Holstein*.

Flushing, a C. of the Low Countries, commodated with a good Harbour for Shipping; it lies within a L. of *Middleburg*, and belongs to the Prince of *Orange*.

New Flessingue, was a Fortrefs belonging to the Dutch, built in the

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was a *Courtesan*, who leaving her Estate to the Romans, they ordained her extraordinary Honours, and from a Prostitute raised her to be a Goddess.

Floralia, were Sports, instituted by the Romans in Memory of their leud Benefactress.

Florence, in the A-D. of *Tuscany*, one of the Principal C. of *Italy*, is for its Beauty called *La Bella* the Fair, and is the Residence of the Great Duke. It is reckoned to be about 6 m. in Compass, and to contain about 100000 Souls. The D's Palace is a Noble Structure, and its whole Furniture bespeaks Magnificence and Wealth. The Streets are large and paved with flat Stones, and here is spoke the Italian Tongue in its Purity, though the Roman Pronunciation adds a greater Grace to it, and has begot the Proverb, *Lingua Toscana in Bocca Romana*; the Tuscan Italian sounds best in the Mouth of a Roman; nor must I omit that the Noble Library here

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Approaching a poor Woman as an *Adulteress*, for having two at a Birth. *Florentius* ended his days in a Tournament against the Count of *Clermont*, in 1235.

Florentius V. having Wars with the revolted *Grisons*, was slain by *Gerard de Velsen*, in revenge of the Affront he had given him, by an unhappy Familiarity with his Wife, in 1296.

Florentius, a Monk of *Worcester*, who wrote the *Chronicon Chronicorum*, and a Treatise of the Royal Family. He died about An. 1118.

Florida, a large and fruitful Country in the N. America, first discovered by the *English*, in 1497, under K. *Henry VII.*; but the *Spaniards* went further, and took Possession of it to the S. till the *English* renewing their Claim, took possession of the North-part, and planted a Colony in it, under the Name of *Pensylvania*; of which in its proper Place.

Florimond de Raymund, lived in the 16th Cent. and was Counsellor of the Parliament at *Bordeaux* in *France*; who resolving his Religion should be no Bar to his Court-Preferrals, changed the reformed Religion for the *Popish Superstition*, and to ingratiate himself, wrote against the *Protestants*, and died in 1600.

Florinus, a Blasphemous Heretick in the 2 Cen. who taught that God did not only permit, but do evil.

Florus, an Historian, that wrote an Abridgement of the *Roman History* in *Latin*, from *Romulus* to *Trajan*, in whose Reign he lived; but was only regarded by Posterity as a mere Quibler, and a Panegyrist, rather than a Historian.

Florus, (*Gessius*) Governour of *Judea*, under *Nero*, whose excessive Covetousness, and unmerciful Cruelties, occasioned the bloody War between the *Jews* and *Romans*.

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Florus, (*Julianus*) is called by *Quintilian* the Prince of Orators, and was much in the Esteem of the Emp. *Tiberius*.

Foeroe, a Prov. in *Norway*, consisting of 17 Islands in the Northern Ocean. See *Feroe*.

Foix, a T. in *Languedoc*, at the Foot of the *Pyrenean Mountains*, upon the R. *Lauriegre*. The County of *Foix*, is in *Aquitain* in *France*, which was heretofore a part of *Le Conserans*, bet now is in *Languedoc*. It was also sometime the Name of one of the most Illustrious Houses in *France*, which now is much decayed by espousing the *Protestant Interest*; though some of the younger Branches fell in with the *Papists*.

Fokingham, a m. T. in the Hundred of *Aveland*, and County of *Lincoln*, 83. m. from *London*.

Folengius, (*John Baptist*) a *Mantuan*, was a *Benedictine Monk*, but being suspected to lean in favour of the Reformation, his books though full of Polite Learning, were prohibited.

Foleston, a m. T. in *Kent*, in *Shepway-Lenth*, a member of the Port of *Dover*, and a large place, wherein were 5 Parish Churches in ancient times, but now they are reduced to one, and besides being a *Mayor T.* 'tis only remarkable for being the Birth place of the Learned Dr. *William Harvey*, who obliged the World, with the discovery of the *Circulation of the Blood*.

Fondi, a small City in the K. of *Naples* upon the Borders of *Campagna di Roma*, about 55 *English m.* from *Rome* to the S. situate in a Fertile Plain, about 6 m. from the *Ionian Sea*.

Fontain-Bleau, or the Fountain of fair Water, is a Sumptuous Village in the *Isle of France*, about 1 m. from the *Seine*, and 14 from *Paris* to the S. Here *Francis I.* built a

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Stately Country-House, which has been very much enlarged and Beautified by his Successor. It stands in the Forest de Beire, and the Palace is so adorned, by the advantages of Art and Nature, that few in the World exceed it.

Fontana Bianca, a Sea-port on the Eastern shore of Sicily, above 12 m. from Syracuse to the S.

Fontanelle, a Village and a Monastery in Normandy, 12 m. from Roan to the E.

Fontarabia, a very strong City in Guipuscoa, in Spain, upon the shore of the Bay of Biscay. The French pretended a Right to it, but have always been unsuccessful in their attempts to take it; by reason of its Situation it is called the Key of Spain, and Charles V. named it his Pillow.

Fontenay, a T. in the County of Burgundy in France, famous in History for the Battle fought near it, between the Duke of Burgundy and the Duke of Orleans.

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and fertility of the Soil, lying in the Oriental Ocean, 24 L. from China; there is said to be a Golden Mine in this Island.

Foramsus, Bp. of Porto in Hetruria, succeeded Stephen VI. and held the Chair till he died; but afterwards his Body was taken up, and thrown into Tiber, for his Simonical Intrusion.

Fornacalia, the Feast of Ovens, first instituted by Numa Pompilius in Honour of the Goddesses *Fornæ*.

Forster, (John) a Reformed Divine in 1495, and Hebrew Professor at Wittenburg in Germany.

Forster (Valentine) wrote the Lives of the Eminent Civilians in three Tomes, entitled *Historia Juris Civilis*.

Fortuna, an Imaginary Goddess, whom the Pagans esteemed as the Ruler of all Events, both good and bad.

Portuventura, one of the Azores, in the Atlantic Ocean, 1000 m. from the Coast of Portugal.

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Frangipani, (*Francis Christopher*) Brother-in-Law to Count *Serini*, and in the same Conspiracy with him, in procuring the Rebellion of the *Hungarians* against the Emperor; for which he lost his Head in 1671.

Frankendale, a new and well fortified C. in *Germany*, in the Lower *Palatinate*, about 2 m. from the *Rhine*, and 4 from *Heidelberg* to the W. It was surrendered to the *French* in 1688 and in 1689 they quitted and burnt it.

Frank-Carta, little *France*, a Territory of the States of *Venice* in *Italy*; so called because in the 8 *Cent.* the *French* had got a settlement there after *Charles the Great* had conquered *Lombardy*.

Frascati, a C. of *Campagna di Roma*, in the Ecclesiastical Estates, about 12 m. from *Rome* E. Here stood the Ancient Roman City called *Tusculum*, so famous for the great number of Stately Palaces in it, which being ruined under the Pontificate of *Celestine III.* *Frascati* started up in the same place, near which is a Village called *Tusculanum*, where *Cicero* wrote his Questions, which he has named from it.

Fränkeli, a sort of leud *Italian Hereticks*, who maintained that Women and Estates should be in Common, and that there should be no Magistracy or marks of Superiority or Inferiority. Many *Libertines* were seduced to these Opinions, by their Leader *Herman* an Apostatized Monk, whose Bones 20 years after his death, were taken up and consumed by Fire.

Fräud, a Pagan Goddess, that men addressed to, when they had either a Mind to Deceive, or to prevent being Deceived.

Frankenburg, a T. in *Prussia Regalis*, under the Dominion of *Poland*, upon the Bay of *Frisch Haff* about 8 German m. from *Elbing*. In this T. died *Nicholaus Copernicus*, the Fa-

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mous Mathematician, and incomparable Astronomer, in 1543. who first by Demonstration convinced the Learned World of the Earth's Motion, and the Sun's being the Center.

Fraxinet, the retreat of the *Saracens* in the 9 and 10 *Cent.* out of which they made their Incursions to Burn and Rob the Country. There is a Controversie among Geographers where it was, and the best of them resolve us, that it stood in *Provence*.

Freclusus Bp. of *Lisieux* who liv'd in the 9 *Cent.* was Author of a twofold *Chronology*; one commencing at the beginning of the World and extending to the Nativity of our Saviour, and the other coming down to the year of Christ 600. *Du Chesne* has placed him in the first Class of the *French Historians*.

Fredegunda, was at first but a servant to the Queen; and afterward becoming Wife to *Chilperick I.* was the contriver of many Wars, and more murders, under her Husband's and her own Reign, and yet left the Government to her Son *Clothair II.* in a happy posture.

Frederick I. surnamed *Barbarossa*, succeeded *Conrade III.* his Uncle, as Emp. of *Germany* in 1152. who having successfully carried his Arms into *Italy*, till he had subdued the places that opposed him, and at last conquered *Milan*, and strowed it with Salt, died and left *Alexander the III.* his Successor in the Empire.

Frederick II. Son of *Henry VI.* came to the Imperial Crown by Election in 1212. and being eased of his Rival by Death An. 1218. made large promises to *Pope Honorius III.* of not disturbing the Ecclesiastical Estates, or concerning himself in their Affairs; but not keeping his word, and making War against the Pope, he was twice excommunicated; till in the year 1230. they came to an

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Accommodation, the Emp. promising to restore what he had taken from the Church, and to live in a better understanding with the Ecclesiasticks for the future; but he soon forgot himself, and fell upon them with greater vigour than before, so that the Pope excommunicated him a third Time; but that Fulmination did rather encourage than abate his Fury, and passing the Alps with 100000 Men, he fell upon the *Milanois*, and made such a terrible slaughter among the *Lombards*, that the Country had scarce room enough to supply the dead with Graves; besides the Ruin he made in other places in *Italy*. *Innocent IV.* the surviving Pope, was forced to fly into *France*, where a Pen-War was continued between the Emp. and the Pope, in writing against one another, and each accusing other of Usurpation; at length the Pope venturing to publish a Sentence of Deprivation against him, all his affairs went to Ruin.

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of a Solid Judgment and of a Generous inclination; but so great an Admirer of Peace, that he suffered his Dominions to be invaded, and himself to be driven from Place to Place, like an Exile in his own Territories. He died at *Lintz* in 1443.

Frederick I. K. of Denmark, surnamed the Peaceable, Duke of *Holslein*; introduced the Protestant Religion into that Kingdom, and died in 1553.

Frederick II. succeeded *Christian III.* in 1559. He bravely defended his own Dominions, and refused to send any Person to the Council of *Trent*, at the Invitation of Pope *Pius IV.* or to have any Correspondence with him.

Frederick III. succeeded his brother *Christian* in 1648. and by a difference happening between the Nobility and the Commons, gained an opportunity to Invest himself with an absolute Power, to take away the Privileges of the Nobility, and make

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Scended many Dukes, and other Illustrious Persons, who have been the Pillars of that Republick.

Ferinfhemius, a man of good Learning, who supplied what he thought was wanting in *Livy*, *Tacitus* & *Quintus Curtius*; he added Instructive Notes to *Quintus Curtius*, *Tacitus*, and *Florus*, and died in 1660.

Frejus, a C. of *Provence* in *France* about half a L. from the Mediterranean Sea, and 13 from *Thoulon*, is a place of great Antiquity, as is evident from the Amphitheatre, still in good plight, a curious Aqueduct, Statues and Inscriptions. It's an Episcopal See Suffragan to the Abk of *Aix*.

Frescheville, (*John*) of *Stavely* in the County of *Derby*, Esquire, great Grand-son to *Peter Frescheville* of *Stavely*, who for Exemplary valour at the Battel of *Mussleborough* in *Scotland*; was Knighted by *K. Edward VI.* and *John* for his great Service to *K. Charles* the first and second, was by the latter in the 16 of his Reign, advanced to the Degree and Dignity of a *Baron* of this Realm, by the Title of *Lord Frescheville, Baron of Stavely*, to descend to the Heirs Male of his Body. His first Wife was *Sarah*, Daughter of *Sir John Harrington Knight*, by whom he had Issue, 3 Daughters, viz. *Christian*, married to *Charles* then *Ld. St. John*, Eldest Son to *John Marquis of Winchester*; *Elizabeth*, to *Philip* Son and Heir to *Sir Philip Warwick*, Knight, and afterwards to *Coniers Earl of Holderness*; and *Francis*, married to *Colonel Thomas Colepeper*, who survived her. His second Wife was *Ana Charlotta*, Daughter to *Sir Henry de Vick Kt.* Chancellor of the Garter, who is now one of the Ladies of the Bedchamber, to the present *Anne Q. of England*.

Fresingfield, a Village in *Suffolk* 8 m. from *Halsworth*, where the most

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Reverend Father in God *Dr. William Sancroft*, the most Pious Learned Lord Arch Bishop of *Canterbury*, was Born, who erected a Free-School in it.

Frewen, (Accepted) Eldest Son of *John Frewen*, Rector of *Northam* in the County of *Sussex*, was born Anno 1588, and when fitted for the University at the Free-School in *Canterbury*, was sent to study in *St. Magdalen-College* in *Oxford*, where he was Elected *Demy, Fellow and Divinity Reader*: Then he went in Quality of the Domestick Chaplain, to *John Earl of Bristol*, in his Embassy into *Germany* and *Spain*; and being there when *K. Charles I.* then *Prin. of Wales*, came thither Incognito, to treat about a Marriage between himself and the *Infanta*, and having the Honour of Preaching before that Judicious Prince, chose these words for his text, *Why halt you between two Opinions? If the Lord be God then serve him, and if Bial be God then serve him.* In which discourse he gave such unanswerable proofs of the being of a *God*, and the Necessity and Satisfaction of perseverance in his Worship, without Doubting or Dividing it, that that Prince kept them in his Memory till he came to the Crown, and then put him into the List of his Chaplains with his own Royal hand. At his return into *England*, he was Elected *President* of *Magdalen College*, in which Government he continued with singular Applause for the Space of 18 Y. being 4 times *Vice-Chancellor*. He was also a *Prebend* of *Canterbury*, and dean of *Gloucester*. In the beginning of the Rebellion in 1644. he was consecrated Lord Bishop of *Litchfield* and *Coventry*, and suffered with the rest of his Loyal Brethren loss of all, till the Restoration of *K. Charles II.* and then was translated to the *A. Bishoprick* of *York*, where he departed this Life March 2. 1654.

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ho being visited by the Emperor *Charles V.* to shew their Gratitude burnt a Faggot of *Cinnamon* in his Chamber, and lighted the Faggot with a *Bill* they had of him for a great Sum of Mony; to his great satisfaction, who was then scarce able to pay it.

Foway, or *Foy*, a Borough and m. in *Cornwall*, in the Hundred of *Merder*, which has the Honour of turning 2 *Burgeses* to Parliament; ho now are *George Granville*, and *John Hicks*, Esquires,

Fox, (*John*) who wrote the Book *Martyrs*, was born at *Boston* in *Lincolnshire*, in 1517. Educated in *Wolfe* - *Nose* - College, and afterwards elected Fellow of *Magdalen* - College in *Oxford*. Being dissatisfied with the Popish Religion, he travelled into *Germany*, in the Reign of *K. Henry VIII.* and in the Reign of *Q. Mary*, fled to *Basil*, where he perfected himself in the Knowledge of the Protestant Religion, as taught by *Mr. Calvin*, whom he so strictly followed, as caused in him a Dislike of some Ceremonies of the Church of *England*, when he returned to his Native Country. In *Q. Elizabeth's* Reign he settled in *London*, and printed his Acts and Monuments, and afterwards was made Bp. of *Winchester*.

Praga; a strong T. in the Km. of *Prag* in *Spain*, upon the Borders of *Catalonia*.

Framlingham, a small m. T. in the Km. of *Suffolk*, in which there was a Castle, to which *Q. Mary* retreated under the Regency of the Lady *Jane Gray*, till she was established on her Throne by the Protestant Generals of that Country, who were afterwards very ill requited by her.

Frampton, a m. T. in *Dorsetshire*, in the Hundred of *Godberton*, upon a River abounding with good Fish; in *London* 102 m.

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France, is a Km. very difficult to be bounded of late Years, because it has always been encroaching upon the Rights of its Neighbours, and has been extended in the Reign of its present Monarch, *Louis XIV.* by the Measure of his Sword, and not by the Rules of Justice. About 40 Y. since, it was limited on the E. by the *Alps*, which divide the *Dauphinat* from *Piedmont*, and by *Savoy*, *Switzerland*, *Germany*, and Part of the *Netherlands*: On the N. by the *Netherlands*, and the *British Ocean*; on the S. by *Spain*, from which it is parted by the *Pyrenean Mountains*, and the *Mediterranean Sea*. *Picardy* was formerly its N. thermost Province; but now they have added to it *Lorraine*, *Burgundy*, part of the *Netherlands*, both the *Alsatia's*, the greatest part of *Flanders*, *Hainault*, *Namur*, part of *Luxemburg*, and all *Artois*, which is now annexed to *Picardy*. It is divided into 60 Counties, and those now into 14 Provinces, viz. the Isle of *France*, *Burgundy*, *Normandy*, *Aquitain*, *Brittany*, *Champagne*, *Languedoc*, *Picardy*, *Dauphine*, *Lyonnois*, *Orleans*, *Franch Comte*, both *Alsatia's*, *Hainault*, *Namur* and *Artois*. The chiefest C. of this Km. is *Paris*, where *Henry VI. K. of England*, was crowned K. of *France*, whose Minority and Weakness gave *Ch. VII.* an opportunity to expell the *English*, who in his Father *Henry V's* Reign, had almost totally subdued it. Excluding the conquer'd Countries, this Km. has 10 Seats of Parliament, viz. of *Paris*, *Tholouse*, *Grenoble*, *Bordeaux*, *Dijon*, *Roan*, *Aix*, *Rennes*, *Pau* and *Netz*. Fourteen Universities, viz. *Paris*, *Tholouse*, *Bordeaux*, *Poitiers*, *Orleans*, *Bourges*, *Caen*, *Montpelier*, *Cahors*, *Nantes*, *Rheims*, *Valence*, *Aix* and *Avignon*. Its Sea-ports on the Ocean are, *Brest*, *Blavet*, *Morilian*, *St. Paul de Leon*, *Lucen*, *Rochelle*, &c.

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Provage, Havre de Grace, Diepe, St. Valeri, Triport, Dunkirk, St. Malo, &c. Those which *France* possesses in the *Mediterranean* in their own Right, are *Marseilles* and *Thoulon*; &c. but now it is in possession of all the Ports of *Spain*, under pretence of assisting the Duke of *Anjou* his Grand-son, whom he was made R. of that Country, by his own working-head, and liberal-hand to the *Spanish* Ministers. In former Times, the *French Foot* were accounted very mean Soldiers; but now they are much amended. Their Nobility and Gentry are very complaisant and well-bred, and generally Scholars; Their Tradesmen, and Mechanicks, are ingenious in every thing they undertake, but impatient of Labour; and their *Peasants* are sunk into meanness of Spirit, and the lowest Degree of Poverty, by the continued Oppressions and Exactions of the R. and their particular Lords. They sow

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the *Frontiers* of *Silesia*, and *Lusatia*, about 10 German m. from *Berlin*, and has also 2 Markets every Year.

Franckfort, a great and stately C. in *Germany*, upon the R. *Maine*. It was once a free and imperial C. and the Place where the Emp. was elected; but now has lost the first of these Privileges. By reason of the Navigable R. it has great Convenience for Merchandizing with most Parts of *Germany*, and the 2 Mars it has in a Y. are very considerable. 'Tis a wonder to see what Numbers of Books are sold at these two Fairs, and yet all the Y. before, and after, there is scarce a Book-sellers-shop to be seen open. *St. Bartholomew's* Church, the T. House, the Imperial Palace, the Fortrefs, and the Bridges are fine Structures. The Suburbs are called *Saxon Hausen*, i. e. the Dwellings of the Saxons; and tho' the Citizens are for the most part *Lutherans*, yet the *Calvinists* and the *Papists* are both

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cesses and short intermissions of Peace, till he died in 1547, in the 52 year of his Age; and though his Reign was perplext with Wars, yet he left this Character behind him, that he was a very thrifty Prince, and a great lover of Learning and Learned men.

Francis II. when he was arrived to the age of 15 Y. married the Princess *Mary*, only Daughter of *James V. K. of Scotland*, and ascended the Throne upon the Death of his Father in the Y. 1559. During his Reign, the Duke of *Guise* and his Brother the Cardinal, Governed all things in *France*; but the K. dying in the 2 Y. of his Reign, and 17 of his Age, the Posture of Affairs was quite changed.

Francis, King of *Navarre*, who for his extraordinary Beauty was surnamed *Phabus*, received the Crown at *Pampelona* in 1482; but returning into *Bearn*, was poisoned at *Pau* in the Spring following.

Francis, Dauphin, of *France*, Crowned Duke of *Bretagne* in 1532 a Prince of great Generosity, was also Poisoned at *Valence* or *Lyon*, by *Sebastian* Count of *Montecuculi*.

Francis Duke of *Alencon*, *Anjou*, &c. was a Martial Prince; but his discontents always rendred him unsuccessful, in whatsoever he undertook: he in vain Solicited *Elizabeth Q. of England* to marry him, and his treachery to the States of *Holland*, lost him a beneficial command in that Country, and forced him to retire into *France*, where he died in 1584.

Francis, of *Bourbon*, Duke of *Montpensier*, &c. shewed himself a Prince of great Courage and Conduct, in many Encounters against the *Leaguers*, and at the Battel of *Arques*; but at the Siege of *Rouen* fell sick of a Disease, of which he died at *Lisieux* in 1592.

Francis, of *Bourbon*, Prince of

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Conti, &c. espoused the Interest of *Henry IV.* fought with great Courage and success at the Battel of *Jury*, and on other emergent occasions; and died in the year 1614.

Francis, of *Bourbon*, Count of *St. Paul* and Duke of *Estouteville*, signalizing himself in *Italy*, received the Honour of Knighthood from the great *Bayard*. Afterward he was taken Prisoner by the Emperor's Forces, a first and second time, from which he was not discharged till the Peace at *Cambray*; he died in 1545.

Francis, of *Bourbon*, Duke of *Anguien*, signalized himself so early in Military affairs, that the K. entrusted him with the Conduct of his Army, in which he had good success; but at length was unfortunately killed, by a Chest falling on his Head, in 1545.

Francis, Duke of *Bretagne*, Inherited the military Order of Kts. called *Hermine*, took *Pont del Arche* and other places from the *English* Forces, and died of a Dropsie in 1450.

Francis II. Duke of *Bretagne*, united his Forces with Count *Charalols*, against *Louis XI.* of *France*; but being called home to defend his own Territories, was Routed at *St. Aubin de Cormier*, and forced to conclude a disadvantageous Peace; he departed this Life in 1488.

Francis, d'Este, Duke of *Modena*, and *Reggio*, was constituted General in *Italy*, where he Behaved himself Valiantly and Discreetly, as well as in the Government of his own Dominions, when the times were tumultuous, and disorderly. He died in 1658.

Francis, d'Este II. Duke of *Modena* and *Reggio*, Son of *Alphonse IV.* was an Infant of 2 Y. of Age, and died whilst his Mother administered the Government.

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Francis, Duke of *Lorraine* and *Barre*, was a Prince of great Wisdom and Valour, and died in the 28 Y. of his Age of an *Apoplexy*, Anno 1545.

Francis, of *Lorraine*, Duke of *Guise*, *Aumale*, &c. did considerable service against the Imperial Forces when they had Besieged *Metz*, and took *Calais* from the *English*, after it had been in their possession 200 Y. He acted in *France* like an absolute monarch, under the Reign of *Francis II.* and was Honoured by the Parliament of *Paris*, with the Title of *Preserver of the Km.* But *Charles IX.* not giving him the same testimonies of his Favour, and pre-erring the Admiral *Coligni's* Counsel before his, he left the Court in Discontent, and leagued with the Constable *Montmorency* and the Marshal of *St. Andrews*; who designing a Quarrel against the *Protestants*, at his return to *Paris* in 1571. a small spark kindled the

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by a *Plurisie*, of which he died 1632.

Francis, of *Vendôme* Duke of *Beaufort*, &c. was admiral of *France* 1664. and Sailing into *Africa*, with a disappointment in his voyage; but next year had be success against the *Algerines*. 1696. in pursuit of Glory he went to the Siege of *Candia*; but it lost his Life, in the year before mentioned.

Francis of *Assise*, (Sc.) was brought up, and a while traded as a Merchant, but afterwards espousing the Interest of Religion, became Founder of the order of *Friars* that bear his name, and Swarm in all Popish Countries.

Francis Xavier, a Native of *Barre*, was the Person, who in conjunction with *Ignatius Loyola*, found the Order of *Jesuits*; that I given the Christian world so much trouble, ever since they grew vastly Rich, and have screwed the

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U., or *Frioul*, a Prov. of *Italia*, bounded on the S. by the *Adriatic*, on the W. with the *Mar* of *Trevigia*, on the N. by *Alba* and *Carniola*, and on the E. by *Carakola*, and *Istria*. This is under the State of *Venice*, the Capital City of it is *Udine*.

Ugilde, Q. of the *Morcomans*, lived in the 4th Cent. was converted to Christianity, by the preaching of St. *Ambrose*, as a man of exemplary Piety and piety.

Ulenius, a famous Printer at *Wittenberg*, who was so well learned, and so diligently convers'd with the Books he Printed. He died a Fall in 1527.

Usher, (*Martin*) a famous Irish *Mariner*, born in the County of *Down*, of good Parentage, in the 17th Cent. who first discovered the Promontory or *Cape*, which was called the *Queen's Foreland*, near *Waterford*. It is a *Strait* that bears his Name. He was Knighted by Q. *Elizabeth*, and made Vice-Admiral under *Francis Drake*; he did good service against the *Spaniards*, in 1594, but at length received a wound, whereof he died at *Plymouth*, in 1594.

Urra I. K. of *Oviedo* in *Spain*; he drove the *Moors* and *Saracens* out of the Prov. of *Galicia*, killed 14000 of them; but having married his Brother's *Widow*, *Venice* persecuted him, and he underwent the same Fate himself, by the hands of his younger Brother, soon after possessed the Throne.

Uard, (*John*) wrote a brief History of the Transactions of *England* and *Spain* from 1326 to 1600. *Enguerran de Monstrelet*, wrote it down to the Y. 1467. *John Sleidan* Epitomized it in.

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Frome, a m. Cloathing T. in *Somersetshire*, upon a R. of the same Name, 81 m. from *London*.

Frontack, a Castle in *Aquitain* near *Bordeaux*, crested into a Dukedom by *Charlemain*.

Frontenac, a Citadel of new France in *America*; built in 1673 to oppose the Incursions of the *Salvages*.

Frontignan, a small C. in *Langue-doc*, upon the Lake of *Magellone*, 15 L. from *Narbon* to the E. and 4 from *Montpellier* to the W. upon the *Mediterranean Sea*. The *Wings* of this place, called *Muscats*, are in great esteem, and sold at dear Rates.

Fruentius, a *Tyrian* Merchant, who was afterwards made a Bp. by *Athanasius*, and was the first that planted the Christian Religion in *Ethiopia*.

Fucili, (*Dominick*) an Indian Missionary who has lived about thirty years in that Country, and has baptized more than 10000 Infidels, into the Christian Faith.

Fulda, a C. of *Germany* in the upper Circle of the *Rhine*, near *Hassia*. The City is built in a Plain, in which there is an Abbey of the Order of St. *Bennet*, one of the Noblest in all *Europe*; this Abbey was built in 784 by *Pepin K.* of *France*, and the Abbot is the Prince and Primate of all the Abbots of the Empire. None but Gentlemen can be Monks of this Abbey.

Fulgentius, the Venerable Bp. of *Russa*, who for defending *Orthodox* Christianity against the *Arrian* Hereticks, was Banished by *Thrasimund* into *Sardinia*, where he died in Exile in 533.

Fulberton, (*John*) was Lieutenant Colonel in the *Earl of Angus's* Regiment, and was killed at *Steenhook*.

Fullo, an *Antychian* Heretick who was the Scandal of the Church, was

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made Bishop of *Antioch* by a Faction.

Fulvia, *Mark Anthony's* Mother, who was accounted a great Oratress among the Soldiers, to whom she used to Harangue; and was in no less repute for her Martial Bravery.

Fulvii, sometimes a Noble Family of Old *Rome*, but now extinct.

Funccius, (*John*) a Minister of the Reformed Churches in *Germany*, and an excellent Chronologer.

Funchal, the Capital C. in the Island of *Madera*, and a Bp. See under the Arch-Bishoprick of *Lisbonne*.

Funen, the largest and most Fruitful Island, belonging to the K. of *Denmark*; where they live upon their own productions.

Funerals, the last offices of Friendship, that the living pay to the dead, whose Rites vary according to the Customs of the several Countries in the World.

Fungeni, a People of *Ethiopia*, un-

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C. tho' but small, about a m. from the Ocean, 3 L. from *Dixmuid*, and about two from *Dunkirk*, it has been many times taken and retaken, by the *French* and the Confederates during the time of the late war, but now again in the Possession of the *Spaniards*.

Furstenberg, a T. and Principality in the Circle of *Schwaben* in *Germany*, giving name to an illustrious House, of which the Cardinal of *Furstenberg*, who was Competitor with the Elector of *Cologne* for that Ecclesiastical Principality, is a Member.

Furstenberg, (*William*) made resistance against the *Muscovites* in *Livonia*; but in the year 1550 being taken Prisoner, was carried into *Moscow*, where he died.

Furstius, (*Walter*) a *Switz* who caused the 3 Cantons of *Uri*, *Schwitz* and *Underwald*, to shake of their Obedience to the House of *Austria*, and united them into the League.

Fynen, an Island in the *Baltic*

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ragem of *Sextus* Son of ho pretending a Disgust er's Severity, fled thither, overed them and their C. a Blow.

, Predecessor of M. *Craf-* Government of *Judea*, settled Peace by restoring to the High-Priesthood. *Istobulus* Prisoner to *Rome*, ted the Usurper *Alexan-*

Bionita, a Maronite of great in the Oriental Tongues, en *Syriac* and *Arabic* Pro-*Rome*. He was invited to re his *Syriac* and *Arabic* e first printed. He wrote ese Geography.

, a Princess of extraordi- b, and Authress of several Books, in the 16th Cent. Daughter to *Lewis I.* of

, (*Anthony*) a Roman Ci- Reputation of the 16th lfo an Eminent Family of ennobled by producing a of Learning, and Eccle- nignities.

, (*Nicholas*) a bold and Speaker, who from a Mil- linter's Son, raised him- he Absence of the Pope at in 1346, to be Tyrant of der the Title of *Tribune* of ;, stiling himself the Deli- the City, &c. Being ex- we, and taken and sent to , he escaped thence, and ved again with Applause in e the following year he was ed for his Tyrannies.

as *Fandulus*, having in the g of the 15th Cent. joined *Acabo's* in their seizing *Mi-* s having invited *Charles* ad, and 9 or 10 of the them to a Collation, war- hem, and usurped the Go- n, and played the Tyrant

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in an exquisite Degree. Being af- terwards taken and sent to Execu- tion by *Philip Visconti*, he replied to the pious Exhortations of his Confessor, *That he repented nothing, but his not having precipitated the Emperor Sigismund, and Pope John XXIII. from his Tower, when in his Hands.*

Gad, seventh Son of *Jacob* by *Zilpah*, from whom came the Tribe of *Gad*, which abounding in Cattel and Men, settled in the Kingdoms of *Heshbon* and the *Amorites*; also the Name of a Prophet in *David's* Time, one of the Compilers of his Acts.

Gadara, or *Gadaris*, a Greek Town in the Tribe of *Manasseh*, standing on a Hill near the *R. Gadara*. At its Entrance is the Lake of *Genesareth*, famous for the Swine men- tioned in the Scripture.

Gaddi, (*James*) a Favorite Poet of Pope *Urban VIII.* and *Innocent X.* He was Author of several Poems.

Gaddi, (*Nicholas*) a Cardinal; and one of the Hostages demanded for the Popes's Ransom by the Em- perour, in the 16th Cent. and em- ployed by *Francis I.* in weighty Affairs.

Gademes, or *Gademessa*, a Desart, and Country of large extent in *Africa*, E. of the Desart of *Fexen*, and W. of *Guerghela*; its Capital C. *Gademes* stands on the R. *Capsus*.

Gadroit, (*Claude*) a learned Car- testian of *Paris*, where he was born, who wrote of the Force of *Talis- mans*, a System of the World, &c. He died young in 1678.

St. Gatan de Thiene, was born in *Placenza*, founded the Order of *Theatins* in 1524, died in 1547, and was Canonized in the 17th Cent.

Gatulia, the Ancient Name of the present Region of *Biledulgerid* and *Zara*, which confined on the *Uz-* *ramantes*, whose People were the

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Aborigines of Africa, wandering and unfixed as the *Tartars*, this Country was the Bound of the *Roman Conquests in Africa*.

Gaffarel, (*James*) Author of a Book of *Talismans*; &c. He was a Doctor both of Divinity and Canon-Law.

Gago, a large open C. 400 m. S. E. of *Tombuto* in *Africa*, governed by a K. who decides all his Subjects causes himself. The houses are poor; the Palace is Magnificent enough. It's great Trade has made it Rich; they Traffick for *Barbery Cloath* *Horses*, *Slaves*, &c. They have no Wine, but good Water, Rice, Melons, &c. The King of *Morocco* took it with the surviving part of 1700 Men, that escaped the Fought of the Desarts, and brought thence great Riches.

Gaguinus, (*Robert*) born at *Cal-line* on the *R. Lys*, bordering on *Artois*. He was a man of Learning, General of the Order of *Trinitarians*, and employed by the King of France.

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Gail or *Gailliar*, (*Andreas*) Chancellor of *Cologn*, and an em Lawyer of the 16th Cen. He Author of several Books in faculty.

Galnas, general of *Arcadians* my in the 19th Cen. though a by Birth. He put *Ruffinus* to for aspiring to the Empire after many outrages, and made by him on the Emperor in favour of *Eutropius*, he was proclaimed Enemy, beaten on the *Hell* and his head sent to *Constantinople*.

Gainsborough a fair m. T. of 1 Hund. in *Lincolnshire*, on the *R.* noted for the Murder of *Smans* giving the Title of Earl to the mily of the *Noels*.

Gala, or *Gale*, a C. and P the *Isle* of *Ceylan*, while under *Portugueses* flourishing; but bei the Siege beat down by the I when taken 'twas not rebuilt Rocks under the Water, making it uninhabitable.

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by the Rabble of the Fort. Here there are several Cements of *Latin Monks*.

Galatea, a Sea Goddess daughter of *Doris* and *Nereus*, Also the Mistress of *Poliphemus*; likewise Wife of *Hercules Lybicus* the Mother of *Galate* who reigned in *Gaul*.

Galatia, now *Gelas*, a Prov. of *Asia-minor*, bounded E. by *Cappadocia* W. by *Pontus* and *Bithynia*, S. by *Pamphylia*, and N. by the *Euxine Sea*; it derived its name from the *Gauls* that pass thither from *Rome*; its chief Cities were *Ancira*, *Sinope*, *Amisus*, &c. They received Christianity from *S. Paul*, as his Epistle testifies; and were Subdued by the *Turks*, in 1537.

Galatinus, (*Petrus*) a Franciscan of Reputation, that wrote against the *Jews* in the 16th Cen.

Galba, the Successor of *Nero*, in the *Roman Empire*; he was declared Emperor by the Army in *Spain*, tho' very Timorous of his Success, till hearing of the Death of *Nero*, he advanced to *Rome*, with great Hopes and Expectations from the People; having adopted *Piso* his Heir, he was killed by a Party of the *Pratorian Cohorts*, undefended by any but *Sempronius Drusus* a Centurion, in the 7th Month, of his Reign. He was of a Noble, though not of the *Cæsarean Family*.

Galeazzo, *Maria Sforza*, succeeded his Father *Francis Sforza*, in the Dukedom of *Milan* in 1455. He was murdered in the Church after 10 years Reign, being grown Odious by his Vices.

Galen, (*Christopher Bernard de*) of an ancient and eminent Family of *Westphalia*. He was chosen Bp. of *Munster* in 1650, was a warlike Prelate, and had divers Wars not only with the City of *Munster*, but also with *Holland*, and *Brandenburg*, whom he very much incommoded, till obliged to a peace by the Em-

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peror's Forces, in 1674. having join'd *Denmark* against *Sweden* and taken several Places in *Bremen* and *Ferdin*, he died 74 years old, in 1678.

Galen, or *Galien*, (*Matthew*) Chancellour of *Dowry*, and Author of several theological Books, in the 16th Cen.

Galen, or *Galenus*, (*Claudius*) was a Native of *Pergamus*, and Son of a great Architect, excelling all his Contemporaries in Physick. He studied at *Alexandria* and *Rome*, whence he fled once for fear of the Plague, and a second time for fear of being punished as a Magician, by reason of his great Art in curing Distempers. He wrote 200 Volumes, most of which were burnt in the Temple of Peace. He died at 70 years old, about the 140th year of Christ.

Galeota, (*Fabio Capece*) a great Civilian of the 17th Cen. and Regent of the Council of *Italy*.

Galcottus, (*Martius*) Library-keeper of *Buda*, and Tutor, and Secretary to *Matthias Corvinus's* Son, meeting *Lewis XI.* of *France* coming out of *Lyons*, he in haste to alight from his Horse, tumbled down on his head, and died of the Bruise.

Galerius Armentarius, Native of *Dacia*, and chosen Partner in the *Roman Empire*, by *Dioclesian*, upon his marrying his Daughter *Valeria*, being divorced himself from his first Wife for that purpose. He beat *Narjes* King of *Persia*, out of *Mesopotamia*, and five other Asiatick Provinces beyond *Tigris*. After *Dioclesian's* Abdication, he divided the Empire betwixt himself and *Constantius Chlorus*, and created *Flavius Maximinus*, &c. *Cæsars*, and in vain attempted the share of *Chlorus*, and persecuted the *Christians*; seven years after the Retreat of *Dioclesian* he died of an Ulcer.

Galesini, or *Petrus Galesinus*, a Native of *Milan* was Author of several

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veral Books, and Editor of divers others; he was Apostolick Protonotary to Gregory XIII. and Sixtus V.

Galibis, an American People along the R. *Courbo* in *Gujana*, or in *New Andalusia*, N. of the R. *Orinoco*.

Galicia, once a Kingdom, now the most westerly Prov. of *Spain*, bounded S. by *Portugal*, N. W. by the *Atlantick Ocean*, and E. by *Leon* and *Asturies*; in it are 6 Episcopal Cities, of which *Compostella* is the Capital, *Lugo*, *Betanzos*, *Padron*, &c. among its 40 Ports, the *Groin* or *Corunna* is the chief; the Country extending 50 L. in Length and 40 in Breadth is hilly, not fruitful in Corn, and near the Sea unwholsom; the *Suevians* Km. of *Galicia* held from 409 to 583, was joyned to the *Visigoths* in 585; in 713 was Subdued by the *Moors*, and united mostly to *Leon* in 759 by *Froila* K. of *Leon*.

Galicia Nova, an American Prov.

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Gallani, an African People, now Master of near half the *Abyssinian Empire*, were originally only slave to the K. of *Bali*; but too much Oppression made them Revolt, and then retiring among the Hills, they became Robbers, till their *Mons* furnished them with Arms. Being now form'd into a Government, they invaded first, and then subdued *Bali* and since about ten other Prov. They eat raw Flesh and drink Milk, suffer none to cut their Hair, till they have subdued an Enemy, and divide their Prey equally amongst them.

Galland, (*Peter*) or *Petrus Gallandius*, Head of the *Parisian College* of *Bon Cour*. He wrote against *Ramus*, was favoured by *Francis I.* and died in 1559.

Gallardum, or *Chasteau-Galliard*, once a strong Fortrefs built by *Richard K. of England*. It held out five Months against *Philip Augustus of France*, and is now a Village on the *Saone*.



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aus and *Heraclianus*, or by *Cecropius* commander of the *Dalmatian* Troops, after 8 Y. Reign.

Gallinicus, was *Exarch* of *Ravenna*, in 598; whose seizing the Daughter of the King of the *Lombards* with her Husband, gave Rise to a War.

Gallio, (*Ptolemy*) Cardinal of *Como*, chief Minister to Pope *Gregory XIII.* He left 100000 Crowns for the marrying poor Maids.

Gallipoli, a larg C. 110 m. from *Constantinople*, standing on a *Peninsula* in *Romania* on the Bay of that same name; 'tis about 6 m. in Circuit. Also an *Italian* C. and Bpk. in *Otranto*, well fortified, on the Bay of *Tarentum*.

Galloway, a Scotch County divided from *Ulster* by a Channel of 15 m. over. 'tis bounded by *Nith*, *Dale*, *Carrick*, *Kyle*, and *Solway-Frith*; has the Rs. of *Lufs*, *Kenn*, *Ure*, *Cree*, and *Dee*, besides Lakes. It is Hilly, and its chief Towns are *Wigton*, *Whithorn*, &c. It gives the Title of Earl to the noble Family of *Stewards*, by a long descent to the present *James* Earl of *Galloway*.

Gallus, (*C. Vibius Trebonianus*) Emperor of *Rome*, though scarce allowed a place among them, for the small duration of his Empire, and for his bying a Peace with the *Goths* by an annual Tribute.

Gallus, Brother of *Julian* the Apostate, and Nephew of *Constantine the Great*; whose Son *Constantius*, having made him *Cesar* for his Merit, cut off his Head three years after, for his too popularly acquitting himself in that Dignity, in 354.

Gallus, the Favourite of *Mars*, tho' turned by him into a Cock, for falling a sleep, when he was to watch the approach of the *Sun*, while he enjoyed *Venus*, which Intrigue being thus discovered by the *Sun*, he betrayed it to *Vulcan*, who exposed them both Naked to the

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view of the rest of the Gods; which provoked *Mars* to make that Change of *Gallus*.

Gallus, a R. of *Phrygia* in *Asia*, having its Head in the *Celenean* Hills, has its exit in the R. *Sanger*; its waters too largely drank, gives that Madnefs, which a Moderate draught of them will cure.

Gallusius, (*Tarquinius*) a Jesuit of *Italy*, that in the late *Cen.* wrote of Poetry, and a Defence of *Virgil*.

Galloway, a County of *Connaught* in *Ireland*. 'Tis fertile, and supplies Merhandize enough to the Natives for Traffick. It is bounded W. with the Ocean, and divided E. by the *Shannon* from *Rescommon*, and *Kings-County*; the County of *Mayo* bounds it N. that of *Clare*, S. its Capital C. *Galloway* is a Bpk. a neat well built Town, on the Bay of *Galloway*, capacious enough to contain a numerous Fleet: it was Neuter in the first Commotions, but afterwards Submitted to the Earl of *Ormond*. In 1651 it surrendered to Sir *Charles Coote*, and in 1691 Submitted to King *William*.

Gama, (*Atonius de*) a learned Civilian and Canonist of *Portugal* in the XVII. *Cen.* He wrote several Books in that and the *Theologian* way.

Gamabes, natural pictures in Stones, produced by chance, as some would persuade us by the Influence of the Stars; as that of a Man in an *Agate* at *Venice*.

Gamaliel, *S. Paul's* Master, and a Doctor of the *Jews*, a private Hearer of *Christ*, and a Friend to the *Christians*, as you may see, *Acts* 5.

Gambara, (*Halbert*) a Cardinal of the 15th *Cen.* and one of the greatest States-men of his Age. He was Patron of Arts and learned Men, and had a Memory that always retained, whatever it had once received.

Gambrivius, an ancient *German* K. supposed Founder of *Cambray* and *Blanc*.

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Hamborough, this latter being the Seat of the *Gambroviit*.

Gammacorara, an ignivomous Mountain of *Ternate*, one of the *Molucca* Isles, whose Smoke and Ashes, in 1673 darkned the Sky.

Gandia, a Spanish C. and Dukedom 8 L. from *Valencia*. *Francis Borgia* made it an Univerſity, to whose Houſe it belongs.

Ganeius, or *Gagneius* (*Johannes*) a French Divine that by the Command of *Francis I.* whose Chief Almoner he was, translated *Primasius's* Comments on *S. Paul*, &c.

Gangara, an African Km. with its Capital C. abounding in *Gold*, and situate betwixt the *Niger*, the Kms of *Cassena* and *Borno*, and the Lake *Borno* in *Nigritia*. The Prince is absolute, and has Horse as well as Foot.

Gangarides, Asiatick Indians at the Mouth of the *Ganges*, being in the Km. of *Bengala*.

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Ganimede, being Son King of *Phrygia*, was bo Heaven by an *Eagle*, and *Jupiter* made Cup-bearer God's; the Poets making a derer in love with him.

Ganking, a rich, populous C. of the Prov. of *Nanking* on the Borders of three therefore by the Emperor Arsenal for Expeditions.

Seat of a Vice-roy, and th five other Cities: In it i Pillar 3 Perches high.

Ganga, or *Kugba*, a Km. of *Nigritia* betwixt & *Nabia*, whose Ks are desce a Slave, that by robbing o ster purchased Men and He so seized the Km.

Gaoxa, a Chinese Isle of of *Quantung*, noted for a low Fish, one half the ye and the other a Fish.

Gap, a C. and Bpk. of

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from *Garamas*, Son of *Apollo*. they dwell at the Source of the *Cinnybus*, and were an affable, ding, but not very Religious People. They were part black, and t white.

Garamas, Son of *Apollo* as above, l the Name of a part of Mount *causus*, whence Springs the River *sis*.

Garcia III. R. of *Navarre*, died in 11th. Cent. He always fought vely, but in the beginning was to tremble.

Garcias V. in the 12th Cent. recovered the Km of *Navarre*, and vely defended himself against Invaders, till he died by a Fall n a Horse.

Garcias, R. of *Oviedo* and *Leon*, ough taken Prisoner by his Father *onso* III. against whom he rebelled, was set on the Throne by Brothers, and Father-in-Law, l reigned 3 Years.

Garcias Laza de la Vega, or *Garcisso de la Vega*, two of this Name, first Son of a Nobleman of *Toa*, Counsellour, and Ambassadour *Ferdinand* and *Isabel*. He was ve, graceful, witty, and a good t; the other was a Native of co in *America*, and Author of istory of *Florida*, and *Peru*.

Gardiner, (*Stephen*) was a Native k. *Edmunds-Bury* in *Suffolk*, supposed the Natural Son of Sir *Thomville*, *Edward* IV's. Qu's Brother; his skill in Canon and Civil v, Divinity, Greek and Latin, ed him to the Bprk of *Winche*, and Chancellorship of *Engl*; he got through *Henry* VIII's gn by siding with the Court, and ming betwixt a *Vera*, and *Falsa* dientia to the Pope; he tempor-

awhile in *Edward* VI's Time, his Principles discovered and veyed him to the Tower; whence *Mary* delivered him, in whose gn he was a great Persecutor of

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the Protestants, and died with sore Remorse, the Day that Bp. *Ridly*, and Bp. *Latimer* were burnt.

Gardon, a R. of *Languedoc*, which rising in the Hills of *Cevennes*, in its Course to the *Rhine*, takes the additional Names of *Alets* and *Anduze*, as it runs by them 'Tis most noted for an *Aqueduct* of 3 Ranges of Arches one over another, betwixt *Nismes* and *Avignon*, built by the Romans, and now call'd *Pont de Gard*, reaching from a Valley up betwixt two Hills.

Garet, an African Prov. of *Fez*, bordering on *Algiers*, and the *Mediterranean*, divided from *Algier* by the R. *Mulvia*, and from *Eriff* by the *Nocus*; 'tis divided into the Cities, habitable Mountains, and Deserts. Its chief Towns are *Melilla*, *Cacaca*, *Fezota*, &c.

Gargara, a Mountain on the Top of *Ida*, near *Troy*, famous among the Poets for its Fertility, &c.

Gargaris, King of the *Curetes*, to whom the Invention of gathering Honey is attributed, and the advancing his Daughter's Bastard to his Throne after him, for his approved good Fortune and Bravery in disingaging himself, from those Dangers he had imposed on him.

Garibay, (*Stephen*) a Historian of the 15th Cent. who wrote of *Spain*, *France*, *Constantinople*, &c.

Garisenda, a hanging Tower of *Bologna* in *Italy*, whose Architect being stabb'd by the Envy of others of that Profession never finished it; tho' it now hangs 9 Foot more out at the Top than at the Foundation.

Garizim, a *Samaritan* Mountain, famous for the Temple built there by *Manasses*, Brother of *Jaddus* High-Priest of the *Jews*, in the Time of *Alexander the Great*, where they worshipped till the Time of *Justinian* the Emperour, *Manasses* exercising the High-Priesthood there in opposition to *Jerusalem*.

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Garnerius, (*Johannes*) a Native of *Paris* in the 17th Cent. became a Jesuit in 1628. and was one of the most learned of the Society in Humanity, Ecclesiastick Antiquities, &c. and published many Books in several Kinds, dying in 1681.

Garonne, a considerable River of *France*, rising near *Silarda*, on the *Pyrenxans* near *Arragon*, passes thro' several Counties to *Tholouse*, the Capital of *Languedoc*, and afterwards to the *Aquitain* Sea, into which it disembogues.

Garth, the Name of a good Family in the Eprk of *Durham*, made eminent by the Wit, and extraordinary Parts of Dr. *Garth* Author of the *Dispensary*.

Garzia, (*Dominick*) a dogmatical, tho' learned Canon of *Saragossa*, who has published several Books in his way, in the 17th Cent.

Gascoigne, a Prov. of *France*, or rather a general Name for several Provinces, which lie betwixt the *Pyrenxans*, and the *Garonne*, the *Ocean* and *Guinea*. It is a part of

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leans, Uncle and Guardian nority to the present *Fre* a mighty *Virtuoso* and died in 1660.

Gaston, *Phabus* III. Count brave, generous, magnificent Author of several Tracts &c. He died suddenly in the of the 4th Cent.

Gaston de Foix of *Nemours* of more Bravery than Courage being General of the *French* veng beat first the Pope's the *Venetian* Forces, at the *Battel of Ravenna*, pursued he was surrounded and

Gassules, a brave and fertile ple of the hilly parts of *Italy* pertained by the *K.* of his Guards.

Gataker, (*Thomas*) a *London*, a great Critick & born in the 16th Cent. 1654, leaving behind him several tical and Theological Works

Gath, a strong C. of *Israel* bordering on the Tribe of *Judah* famous for the *Slaves*

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riminal; they offered often human Sacrifices, and with that Zeal, when the condemned Criminals ed not, it was Meritorious to themselves. The Government various, generally *Aristocratick*, some Places *Democratick*; and e there were Ks they were ele- The *Druids* and Warriours were eople of most note, the Vulgar s as much Slaves as at present. never let their Sons come pub- y into their Father's Presence, ble to bear Arms. The Husband power of Life and Death over ife, and with the Master his Ser- and Goods were buried. They the *Greek* Alphabet, which they ed from the *Greek* Colony of *seilles*.

Galatia, or *Gallo-grecia*, was na- from the *Gauls* that past from e, under *Brennus*.

Ghent, or *Ghent* a C. and Bpk. the of *Flanders*, Suffragan to *Ma-*; on the Upper, and the great ld, the *Leye*, &c. 'Twas once large as its Walls still thew; it contains 7 parish-Churches, bes- those of Monasteries, and Ho- als, &c. In this City is the Pro- rial Council of *Flanders*, the mber of Law, which takes Cog- nance of Lands in Fee; here is a Dial, weighing 11000 pounds; Citadel was built by *Charles V.* p. to curb them after a Revolt, four L. from *Brussels*, *Antwerp* *Mechlin*.

Gauricus, (*Pomponius*) a Poet of Km. of *Naples*, that beside his ms wrote of *Architecture*, *Phy-* nomy, &c. And who died not, disappeared in 1530, if you'll eve the Story.

Gauricus, (*Lucas*) a learned Bp. *Civita ducati* in *Italy*, of great utation for *Astrology*, by which foretold *Henry II's* Death in a el by a wound in the Eye, which Events justified. He wrote some

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Books; and having been much fa- voured by four Popes, he died in 1559 at *Ferrara*.

Gauris, supposed to be the an- cient *Persians* who adored Fire, tho' now dispersed in *Kerman*, and *Issa-* ban in *Persia*, and *Indoian*, by the Inundations of *Tartars*, that for some Ages over-run great part of *Asia*. They seem in their Opinions to have had some confused Notions of the Mysteries of *Christianity*, in their Prophet *Ebrahim-zer-Ateucht's* Birth, and in the notion of the Re- surrection, when their Law is spread over the *Earth*. Their preserving the Fire, is in Memory of the Fire that their Prophet escaped when being thrown into it a Child, by the K. of *Persia*. They believe in one God, and have various fabulous Traditions.

Gaurus, *Gerro*, or *Garro*, a Hill of *Cumpania*, noted for good Wine.

Gaza, now *Gazera*, the most pop- ulous City of *Palestine*. *Samson* took away the Gates of this Town, it being lost again to the *Philistines* after the Death of *Jephtha*. It suf- fered much in the holy Wars, is now a Principality feudatary to the *Turk*; 'tis defended with a Fort, and the Houses are of rough Stone, tho' there are marks of nobler Archi- tecture formerly.

Gazecus, (*Gulielmus*) and *Ange-* linus, Uncle and Nephew, the for- mer a Canon of *Aire*, the Later a *Jesuit* of *Liege*, and Author of se- veral Poemes, &c. as his Uncle was of historical Books. The first died in 1692. the later in 1730.

Gazellus, first governour of *Apri-* maa in *Syria* for the *Soldan* of *Æ-* gypt, who being often defeated by *Selim* the *Turk*, he submitted to his Empire, which gained him the Gov- ernment of all *Asia*. He in vain attempted the Restoration of the Province to the *Mamelucs* after *Se-* lim's Death, and in the attempt lost his Life. R r r 2

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Gazie, Mahometan Volunteers or Soldiers for the Propagation of their Religion.

Gedaliah, Nebuchadnezzar's Governour of Judea murdered by *Ishmael*, whose Life he spared, in spight of the Advice of *Johanan* to the Contrary.

Gedeon, fifth Judge of Israel, was of the Tribe of *Manasses*, and freed his Country from the Slavery of the *Medianites*.

Gehan-abad, the present Capital C. of the Prov. of *Dehli*, the Residence of the *Great Mogul*, built by *Chagehan* in a who'somer Ground than its Neighbour *Dehli*, once the Capital of the Prov. The King's Palace is half a L. about, and surrounded with a Freestone-Wall, and a large Moat. The Guard is kept in the 2d. Court by the *Omra's*, in the 3d. is the Divan, and Hall of Audience supported with 32 marble and painted Pillars; in it is also a fine small Mosque, the Place of the K's Devo-

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in that time; at last flying into France, he died at *Cluny* in the 12th Cen.

Geldenhaur, (*Gerard*) being A. Bp. of *Utrecht*, on his Embracing *Luther's Doctrine* retreated to *Germany*; where having wrote some Historical Tracts, he was murdered by Robbers.

Gelo, Tyrant of *Syracuse*, routed the Forces of *Charthage*, invading *Sicily*, by the importunities of *Xerxes*, A. R. 276.

Geloni, ancient European Scythian, parient of Hunger, and Fatigue supporting themselves with Milk and Blood, and making Habits of their Enemies Skins.

Gemblours, a Low Country Town noted chiefly for its famous Abbey, it stands in *Brabant*, betwixt *Nyelle* and *Namur*.

Geminus, (*Victor*) a Native of *Africa*, remarkable for being excommunicated after his Death, by St *Cyprian*. for making a Priest Guard

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adorned with several fine *Piazas*, a noble Town-house, magnificent Streets, large Walks, all supported by a good Trade; 'twas a Town of the *Allobroges*, and has underwent various Revolutions since the decay of the Empire, which has allowed it a free independent Town; The Bishops in conjunction with the Council and four *Syndicks* have governed it; the Dukes of *Savoy* have often attempted it in vain; and since the Reformation, by the Alliance of the *Cantons* it has entirely exerted its Freedom. *William Farel* first preached the Reformation here, whom *Calvin* and *Bera* succeeded, and the popish Religion was here by publick Authority abolished in 1535. *Chablais*, and *Fossigni* bound the Prov. of *Geneva*, E. on the W. the *Rhone*, *Savoy* on the S. and N. the *Rhone* again.

Genil, Guardian Angels of the Heathen; to particular persons and places, they assigned a good one, and a Bad one; the first persuasive of Good, the other of Evil; to them they sacrificed Flower, Wine, Frankincense, and a Pig. The *Romans* swore solemnly by the Genius of the Emperor.

Genesaret, or the Sea of *Galilee* or *Tiberias*, now of *Tabari*, a Lake of *Palestine*, 18 m. long, and 7 broad, receiving the R. *Jordan* at *Capernaum*, and parting with it again at *Bethsaida*: The Air is temperate and the Soil productive of Figs, Olives, Walnuts, Dates, &c. The City now *Tiberias*, stands on the W. Bank of the Lake.

Genova, or *Genoa* a Republick, and C. of *Italy*, 5 or 6 m. in Compass, stands on the *Mediterranean*, surrounded with strong Walls, Ramparts, &c. to the Land-side; secured on the other by a Mole wonderfully built in the Sea. It has 5 Gates to the Land, its Walls mounted with Cannon; it abounds with noble build-

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ings, having whole Streets of Palaces; the finest is that of *Doria*, reaching from the Sea to the Hills; the Arsenal, the Palace of *Siginori*, *St. Lawrence's* Church, and those of the *Jesuits* and *Theatines* are all magnificent: 'tis governed by a biennial Doge and 2 Senates, a mixture of Aristocracy, and Democracy. Its Territory extending 160 m. in length, and 25 in breadth, is divided into three parts, of which *Genova*, is the principal and middle, the whole abounding in Houses, Villages and Towns, and is bounded by *Nice* W. *Tuscany*. E. the *Mediterranean* S. and N. by *Parma* *Milan*, and *Montserrat*. It has run through several Masters, and several times exerted its Freedom. But the last was when *Andrew Doria* shook of the French Yoke soon after 1527. it has since maintained its Freedom in some sort, tho' compelled to send their Doge and 4 Senators, to beg pardon of the French K. in 1674.

Genfericus, K. of the *Vandals*, who having vanquished *Hermenricus* King of the *Suevians* in *Spain*, passed into *Africa*, where he routed Count *Boniface*, who invited him thither, and then sought him; he subdued *Africa*, took *Carthage*, and *Rome*, over-run *Italy*, *Greece*, and *Illyrium*, aw'd the Emperor *Martian*, and ruined an Army of 100000 Men, and a fleet of 1000 Ships sent against him by the Emp. *Leo*. He was an *Arrian* and Persecutor of the *Orthodox*, and died in 476.

Gentilis, (*Johannes Valentinus*) a Native of *Italy*, and a great Teacher of *Arrianism* in *Poland*, after he had fled from *Geneva*, whence banished by *Sigismund* and coming to *Bearn* in *Switzerland*, he was beheaded, and boasted that he was the first Martyr for the Glory of the Father, others having suffered for that of the Son.

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Iligno in *Italy*, was a great Physician of the 14th Cent. and wrote Comments on *Avicenne*.

Gentilly, a Vill. on the R. *Bievre*, a small L. from *Paris*, famous for dying *Scarlet*, and for the Reception of the K. of *France* with all his Court, and six Papal, and six Imperial Legates.

Gentius, K. of *Illyria*, taken Prisoner by *Anicius*, and sent to *Rome* after his seizing the *Roman* Legates, in compliance with *Persius*, A. R. 586.

Geofrey, or *John Geoffridi*, was made a Cardinal by Pope *Pius II.* in the 15th Cent. for getting *Lewis XI.* of *France* to abolish the Pragmatick Sanction. To sollicite a Confirmation of which, opposed by the Parliament of *Paris*, and the *Sorbonne* he was Legate in *France* to that purpose; he commanded against the Count of *Armagnac* for *Lewis*, took his Town, and had him slain in his own House. He died going

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George, Despot of *Servia* led to serve *Bajazet II.* a *merlane*, in the 15th Cent. married his Daughter, a *met II.* took away his el He died of a Wound in in a Battel against the *Hu*

George of Trebizande, a *Candia*, taking his Name Place of his Father's Nati taught Rhetorick at *Rome* cretary to *Nicholas V.* and ted many *Greek*, and wr *Latin* Books; he was a mi *Hotelian*.

St. George, a Military t stituted by *Frederick IV.* gainst the *Turkish* Inroads, deavoured to be received Emp. *Maximilian II.*

Georgia Propria, the *An* *ria*, which Borders on *Ming* *Circassia*, the *Caspian-Sea*, c conquered by the *Persian* vided into two Prov. gov two Kings or Vice-Roys o



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Florins, was degraded by *John XXII.* for his Crimes, delivered over to the secular Judge, condemned, flead and burnt.

Gerania, an old T. of *Mafia*, fabl'd to be a City of the *Pigmies*, driven thence by the *Cranes*, the tallest not being above a Cubit; at 4 Y. they were Children, and were decrepit at 1 years old.

Gerard, the Name of an Ancient Family in *Lancashire*, from whence the present Earl of *Macclesfield* derives himself, as he does his Title from the Valour, and Merits of his Father, created Lord *Gerard of Brandon*, by *Charles I.* and Earl of *Macclesfield* by *Charles II.* for his Eminent Services.

Gerard, (*Thom.*) Founder of the Order of *St. John of Jerusalem*, and first Master of it, having been made Guardian of the Hospital of Reception of Pilgrims, built at *Jerusalem* by the Merchants of *Naples*, by permission of the Calif of *Agypt*. This Order was instituted with the Vows of Chastity, Obedience, &c. in 1099. He died after he had been Master of it 18 Years.

Gerbes, an African Isle in the *Mediterranean*, a Derendence now of *Tripoli*, possessed by the *Spaniards* till driven thence by the *Moroccans*, in 1560.

Gergan, A-Bp. of *Asia* in *Ephe*, in the 17th Cent. who is celebrated in vulgar Greek, for the Principles of the Reformation. *Cornelius* endeavoured to convert.

Gergenti, town in *Apollonia*, and *Agragas*, derendence from the Mountain *Apennin*, at whose Foot it stands, was a town as *Gregory of Sicily*, the first of *Normans*, and his Successors, sold it to the Hands of the *Antiochiens*, from whom the *Romans* took it; and tho' it suffered much by the *Saracens*, is now a Fork under *Palermo*; and a City of confederation, subject with

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the rest of the Isle to the *Spaniards*. *Diodorus* describes its ancient Glory; and it was famous for the Birth of *Empedocles*, *Carcinus* and *Metellus*; the first a Philosophical, the second a Tragick Poet, and the third a famous Musician.

Germanicus, (*Cesar*) was *Antonia Augustus's* Niece's Son by her Husband *Drusus*, having been made Questor and Consul before his Legal Age, was so beloved by the Army, that he had much ado on the Death of *Augustus*, to hinder them from setting him up for Emperor against *Tiberius*, which done he fought, and vanquished the *Germanians*, and triumph'd over them; but after the Conquest of *Armenia*, *Cappadocia*, &c. he was poisoned by *Piso*, and to be sure by the private Order of *Tiberius*. He married *Agrippina*, Grand-daughter of *Augustus*, and had by her *Nero*, *Drusus* and *Caligula* the Emp. and 3 Daughters, *Agrippina* Mother of *Nero* the Emp. *Drusilla*, and *Livia*.

Germanus, a Native and Bp. of *Auxerre*, in the 5th Cent. he was deputed by the *French* Bps, with *Lupus* Bp. of *Troye* into Britain against the *Pelagians* and *Celestines* with success twice. He died at *Ravenna* in 442.

Germanus, (*John*) first Bishop of *Nevers* then of *Chalon* in the 11th Cent. eminent for Learning in the 11th Cent. as his *True Legend* shews now.

Germany is say nothing of its ancient Limits which are uncertain, is now bounded E. by *Poland*, *Prussia*, and *Hungary*, W. by the *Netherlands*, *Lorraine*, and *Franch Compté*, N. by the *Baltic*, *German Ocean*, and *Denmark*, and S. by the *Alps*. Its extent from E. to W. from the *Wesjel* to the *Rhine* is 250 m. and from the Ocean N. to *Brizen* in *Tirol*, S. 740. 'Tis divided into 10 Circles, *Austria*, *Bavaria*, *Brandenburg*, *Saxia*, &c.

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Burgundy, Upper Rhine, Westphalia, Upper, and Lower Saxony, for an Account of Which consult each. Its chief Rivers are the Danube, which receiving in its 1500 m. course 60 Navigable Rivers, besides those of lesser Note, falls by several Mouths into the Euxine Sea. The Rhine falls into the German Ocean, after a Course of 800 m. The Elbe runs 400 m. Besides these the Oder, Weser, Moselle, Neckar, &c. are Rivers very considerable. Its principal Hills and Mountains are the Jura Mount Godart, Suditi, Abnobus, the Chain of Hills that encompass Bohemia, the Thannus, &c. The Black Forest, and that of Bohemewaldt in Bohemia, are its chief Forests now. The Princes of the Empire are the Arch-Duke of Austria, Dukes of Bavaria, Saxony, Brunswick, Hannover, Luneburg, Juliers, Cleves, Bergue, Meckelbourg, Pomerania, Wirtemberg, Sax-lawenbourg, Holllein, Savoy and Lorrain, the Marquisses of Brandenburg and Baden, the Landgraves of

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lemagn 45, and 11 from Albert who first fixt it in the Austrian Family. The ancient Germans were great strugglers for Liberty against Rome, nor were ever all vanquished; and against Charlemagn, as well as at present against Lewis XI Germany has produced great Men in most Sciences and Arts.

Gerontes, a Senate formed by Augustus, in imitation of the Areopagus, consisting either of 28 or 30 Men of at least 60 Years of Age, having equal Power with the King, nothing but very heinous Crimes could degrade them.

Gerontius, a Leader of Constatians in the 5th Cent. against whom rising up Maximus, he fled from besieging Constantine in Vienna in Spain, on the hearing of Honorius coming with an Army against him, and being then by his own Soldiers attacked in his own House, he first killed his Wife, and then himself.

Gertruydenberg, on the Merne a 2 L. from Dorst. a City of Holland

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Gesula, a Prov. of *Agrace*, whose People boast themselves the most ancient of any of *Africa*, as descended from the *Getuli*; they live all in large Villages, where in their Fair times they treat all Traders with food; their Skill in handling Muskets, and casting Iron Bullets, with their fidelity, has preserved their Privileges under the *Moors*. Their Countr. is bounded E. by *Dara*, W. by mount *Laalem*, N. by *Agrace* propria, and S. by *Tegget*.

Geta, being declared Emperor by his Father *Severus*, with his Brother *Caracalla*, was by him after his Fathers death murdered in his Mothers Arms.

Geta, European *Scythians* on the Banks of the *Danube*, bought from their Invasion of the Territories of the Empire with a great Bribe, by the Emperor *Anastasius*, after they had defeated the Consul *Sabinianus*.

Gettes, a King of the *Heruli*, who in the Reign of *Justinian*, with his Nobility, came to *Constantinople* to be Baptized.

Getulia, see *Gatulia*.

Gez, a C. and Bailiage in the Prov. of *Bugey*, surrendered to *France* by the Duke of *Savoy*, at the Treaty of *Lym*, in 1601. 'tis bounded by *Burgundy* N. divided from *Savoy* S. by the R. *Rhone* and the Lake of *Geneva*; W. it confines on *Bugel*; and E. on the *Pais de Vaud* in the Canton of *Bern*.

Gezaira, one of the three Divisions of the Km. of *Algiers*, whose Capital is *Algier*; 'tis bounded by the *Mediterranean* N. S. by the Mountains, E. by *Bugia*, and W. by *Tessera*.

Gheneea, a Km. of *Nigritia* at the Mouth of the *Niger*, whose King being Vanquished by *Tschia* the Country, fertile enough in Barley, Rice, Sheep, Fish, &c. was reduced to a Prov. and the chief Fair removed to *Tombut*. The Governours, Ma-

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gistrates, and chief Nobility lie in a Village, there being neither City nor Castle in the Country.

Ghet, a Jewish letter of Divorce, by which they discharge their Wives, when disgusted with them; the Letter or Note implying, That on such a day of the Month of such a year, he puts from him his Wife, and gives her free leave to marry whom she pleases, which they ground on the 14th of *Deuteronomy*.

Ghillini, (*Jerome*) an *Italian* Author of several Treatises.

Glabarites, or *Jabarites*, Mahometans that hold a fatal Destination of all actions.

Gibelines; the *Guelfes* and *Gibelines* were two Factions of *Italy*; which as *Machiavel* says, had Rise in *Florence*, from a private Quarrel betwixt two Families, on the Marriage of *Buondelmonti* to one Lady, when he was engaged to another, which caused his Murder, and that raised Revenge and fresh Murders, till the whole City was engaged on one side or another; and after the City, all *Italy*, under the different Heads of Pope, and Emperor. They lasted for at least three Ages, in which Division none suffered more than *Florence*, where the Mischief began.

Gibraltar, a Spanish I. little, but well fortified, standing on a *Peninsula* in the Streights to which it gives its name, 15 m. from *Cadix*; these Streights, are about 12 m. over, and 20 long, and the only way into, and Exit from the *Mediterranean* Sea.

Glen, a little French C. of *Beauce*, that gives the Title of Count, standing on the *Loire*, 12 m. above *Orleans*, noted for stopping the Prince's Army in the Civil War in 1650 by breaking down its Stone-Bridge.

Gieraci, the ancient *Locri*, once the Capital C. of *Magna Grecia*, and now a Bishoprick under the Abp of *Regio* in *Calabria*.

Gießen, a little C. and new University on the R. *Le*, in *Franconia*, 4 L. from *Marburg*, both dependant, on the Landgraves of *Hesse-Cassel*, and *Hesse d'Armstadt*.

Gigaea, a *Macedonian* Lady, daughter to *Antyntas* K. of *Macedon*, and married to *Bubares* General of *Darius*'s Army, sent against him for the Murder of the *Persian* Ambassadors, by *Alexander* *Gigaea*'s Brother's Order, for their Affronts to some Ladies; but *Bubares* in Love with *Gigaea*, mediated an Accommodation, and married his Mistress as a Reward.

Gigeri, the chief City of the Province of *Bugia*, on the *Mediterranean*, betwixt *Bugia*, and *Bona*, noted for a Descent of the *French* in 1664.

Giges, or *Gyges*, first of the *Mermnaden* Dynasty in *Lydia*, rising from a private Gentleman of *Candaules*'s Guards, to his Favour and Intimacy in so high a degree, that he shewed him his Queen naked; which she took so hainously, that proposing to

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and *Childerick* recalled, as the less Evil of the two.

Gilgal, a Prov. of *Palestine* E. of *Jericho*, remarkable for *Joshua's* resting there till the Recovery of his People from their Circumcision, and the 12 Stones set up in memory of his passing *Jordan*.

Glimmer, too hasty for the Throne of the *Vandals* in *Africk*, deposed his Cousin *Hunerick*, whose Heir he was, in the VIth Cen. for *Justinian* the Emperor, making the Neglect of his Letter in behalf of the deposed Prince a Pretence, by his General *Belisarius*, defeated, and at last brought him Prisoner to *Constantinople*, and restored *Africa* to the Empire, as before the Subjection of the *Vandals*. *Gilimer* was allowed a Retreat in *Galatia*.

Gillis, the 13th King of *Scotland*, Bastard Son of *Evenus* succeeded his Father, and usurped the Throne by a Stratagem against the true Heirs. Being declared R. he endeavoured to destroy the Blood Royal. But the Nobility rising against him, defeated, and pursued him into *Ireland*, where he was again routed and slain by *Cadwallog*, in the 3d Y. of his Reign, and 30th of Christ.

Gilpin, (*Bernard*) a Native of *Kendal* in *Westmorland*, so great a disputant on the Popish side in Ed. VIth's time that *Peter Martyr* fear'd engaging with him most of all; yet on a constant Application to the Scripture, &c. he found his own Error, quitted his cure of Souls, and went to travel; and on his Return refused the Bpk. of *Carlisle*, offered him by Queen *Elizabeth*.

Gind, a live Turk; so perfect in Horsemanship, that they throw a dart full speed and catch it before it falls; ride full speed with one foot on one Horse, and the other on a second; slide under the Belly of

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the Horse, and recover his back in an Instant, &c.

Gindus, an *Armenian* R. that falls into the *Tigris*, and was commanded by *Cyrus*, in his expedition against *Babylon*, to be laid dry into 360 Canals for stopping him, and drowning one of his favorite Horses.

Ginga, a Qu. of *Angola* in *Africa*, who in revenge of her Father's death by the *Portuguese*, over-run their Factories and Countries with incredible Cruelties, which, turning Christian, as they say, she before her death repented.

Gingi, an *Indian* C. on this side *Ganges*, large and populous, defended by a Fortrefs, that gives name to the Prov. governed by a particular Prince called *Naique* tributary to the King of *Visapour*. 'Tis bounded by *Taniaor* S. by the Kingdom of *Bijnagar* N. by the Gulph of *Bengala* E. and W. by the Hills of *Malabar*.

Giotto, a Native of *Tuscany*, and Disciple to *Cimabue*, in the 13th Cen. but a better Statuary, Architect, and Painter than his Master. He softened the Figures, made the Colouring more natural, gave better Postures, &c. *Michael Angelo*, and *Buonarroti*, commending the Attitudes of his Piece of the *Virgin's* death surrounded by the Apostles.

Giphanus Obertus, a Commentator on *Aristotle*, *Lucretius*, *Homer*, &c. and who had the Emperor *Rodolphus* II. for his great Patron.

Girgio, the Capital C. of the *Cassiss de Girgio*, a Prov. of Upper *Aegypt* on the R. *Nile*.

Girgambaba, an *African* C. and Km. head of 15 subjected Kingdoms, it stands on the R. *Gingiro*, in the Upper *Ethiopia*, bordering on *Morocco*.

Giron Garcias, Abb. of *Toledo*, wrote and published in the 17th Cen. several Historical, Chronological, and other Books.

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Girone, a C. and Bpk. of *Catalonia*, under the Abp. of *Terragona*, fortified, but taken by the *French* in 1694 and returned to the *Spaniard* in 1697.

Giscala, (*John*) after he had defended *Giscala*, to the utmost against the *Romans*, he retired to *Jerusalem*, which he made hold out to the last Extremity; but taken, he was condemned to perpetual Imprisonment.

Gisco, a noble *Carthaginian*, whose good success in *Africa* could not secure him from being banished by his Enemies, under pretence of killing his Brother *Amilcar*, falsely accusing him of affecting the Tyranny; but being recalled, he forgave his Enemies put into his power, on their lying down, and his putting his Feet on their Neck. Being sent into *Sicily* he made peace with *Timoleon*, yielding Freedom to all the Greek Cities of that Isle.

Gisors, a C. 14 L. from *Paris*, chiefly noted for the Agreement. be-

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30 in each) for the Souls of the departed, who leave Legacies for that end; succeeding one another they run through the *Alcoran*, divided into as many Sections, in a day.

Gladiators, Sword-players in old *Rome*, who were in the Peoples View in the Amphitheaters to fight to Death. None but the Slaves, and Offenders first did it; but Senators and Roman Knights were obliged to it by *Nero*, which several did at other times voluntarily, to ingratiate themselves with the Emperors. *Theodoric King* of the *Goths* abolished these Spectacles, A. C. 500.

Glamorgan-shire, part of the Country of the ancient *Silures*, and a maritime County of *South-Wales*, lying along the *Severn-Sea*, which bounds it Southward, as *Brecknock-shire* does N. *Caermarthenshire* W. and *Monmouthshire* E. whence 'tis divided by the *R. Runney*, besides which here are the Rivers *Hughon*, *Tawe*, *Elav*, *Osmore*, *Avon*, *Neath*, *Amman*.

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more popular, than convince about Witches; for such things there to be supposed, that no of Common Reason can al-

Laris, a T. and Canton of *Switzerland*, whose Country surrounded a Mountains is narrow, and not ve three *German* m. in Length; ther the Town nor Canton are re-able for ought, but their being first that shook off the *Austrian*, ak, and for 350 of its Inhabit-its with 30 *Switz*, defeating the ke of *Austria's* 15000 men at Pass of *Navatia*, killing 3000 on Spot, besides what were drown-in the Lake of *Rivarius*. As y were the first that vindicated ur Liberty in Government, so y were the earliest that decla- for the Retormation, and are v part Protestant and part Po- n.

lascow, a C. and University of land on the R. *Cluyd*, 15 m. from Sea; 'tis an Abpk. and in an ex-ent Air, enjoying the best Trade any of this Part of *Scotland*.

Glaffenbury, stands in the *Isle Avalon*, in the Center of *Somer-ire*, on the N. of the R. *Parret*. a Market Town, but more re-able for the burying place of *ig Arthur*, found there in the time *Henry II.* to say nothing of the dy of *Joseph of Arimathea*, pre-ided to ly there in the Popish nes; which brought much Grist to e Rich and Noble Abbey of Monks. *Glast*, or *Gladsc*, a well for- d T. and Capital of the Prefe-ure of *Gladsc*, in the Kingdom of *benia* on the R. *Miza*.

Glaucus, the name of three several ople; the first the Son of *Hipol- bus*, that changed his Golden Ar-our for *Diomed's* Copper. Also the e of *Sisyphus* devoured by his own rses, whom he had taught to eat ans Flesh. The third a fisherman

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drowned Mad, and so became a Sea God.

Glen, (*Baldwin*) an *Austlin-Monk* of the 16th Cent. a Native of *Ar-ras*, and an Author of good Reputa-tion, in History, Geography, &c.

Glicas, (*Michael*) a *Sicilian* Hi-istorian of the 13th Cen. who wrote from the Creation, to the time of *Alexius Comnenus*.

Glicerius Flavius, first Crowned Emperor at *Ravenna*, and after a years Reign, deposed by *Julius Nepot*, and consecrated Bp. of *Sa-lona* in *Dalmatia*, in 474; he lived there till 480.

Glocester, the Cap. C. of *Glocester-shire*, to which it gives Name, stands on the E. of the R. *Severn*, on which it has a fair Key; 'tis built on an easie rising, the Streets generally fair enough, the Cathedral one of the best of *England*. 'Twas made a Bpk. in the Prov. of *Canterbury* by R. *Henry VIII.* being before in the Diocess of *Worcester*, and with two adjacent Hundreds, made a County by *Richard III.* who had bore its name as his Title, as several of the Royal Family have. The diocess is *Glocestershire*, divided into 267 Pa-rishes, 125 of which are Impropr-iations.

Glocestershire, a Maritime County if you may count it so from the *Severn*, which bounds it a long way, and its having a Vice-Admiral, who is now the Honourable *John How* Esq; is 48 m. N. and S. and 28 E. and W. bounded S. by *Somersetshire*, N. by *Warwick* and *Worcestershire*; E. by *Wiltshire*; W. by the *Wye* and *Here-fordshire*: Containing 30 Hundreds, as many Market Towns and 280 Pa-rishes. 'Twas part of the *Dobuni* of the *Britains*, and the *Saxon Mercia*. Its Chief Rivers are the *Severn*, the *Avon*, *Wye*, *Coln*, *Windruht*, *Churn*, *Stroud*, *Frame*, &c. This Country is noted also for the Forest of *Dean*, where the best *Oak* of *England* grows,

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grows; and *Cotswold Hills*, famous for Sheep. Here have been many *Vineyards*, and here *Tobacco* has been planted, and all manner of *English Fruit* yet abound. Beside *Glocester*, its Capital, it numbers fair Towns, *Blackney*, *Berckley*, *Cirencester*, *Colford*, *Horton*, *Horwood*, *Stanley*, *Stow*, *Stroud*, *Tewksbury*, *Fairford*, &c. It sends six Parliament Men from *Glocester*, *Cirencester*, and *Tewksbury*, two from each; besides two Knights of the Shire.

Glogaw, the name of two Cities in *Silesia*, one well fortified on the R. *Oder*, fronting *Poland*; the other call'd *Little* or *Clein Glogaw*, in the Dutchy of *Opelen*.

Glorioso, (*Giovanni Camillo*) a Neapolitan Mathematician and Philosopher of the XVIIth Cent. who published several Mathematick Works &c.

Gluckstadt, a Danish C. of *Holsatia* on the *Elbe*, fortified by *Christian IV.* in 1629.

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ing; That good Actions were all that is required of us by God.

Gnosus, now *Ginola*, once the Capital C. of *Creet*, and Residence of *Minos*, known in the Fables for the *Minotaur*, &c. Now only a poor Village.

Gnosticks, primitive Hereticks begot by the *Nicelaitans*, denying the Divinity of Christ; and that any corporeal Action was bad; and holding a bad, and good Cause, and Source of things, productive of Effects like themselves.

Goa, the Metropolis of the *Portuguese* Dominions in the *Indies*, and the Seat of the Vice-Roy formerly much more considerable, than now 'tis an Abpk. It's magnificently built; the Hospital is the fairest in the World; the *Jesuits* have five Colleges, which with the other Churches, Vice-Roy's Palace, &c. are proofs of their former wealth much decreased since the Progress of the *Dutch*, and *English* in those parts; it stands in

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om *Giles Gobel*, a famous Dyer that lived there in the *Francis I.*

is, a *Persian* Nobleman, that others and *Darius*, conspired out the *Magi*, that on *Cam*leath had usurped the King. Attending *Darius* in his *Scy*xpedition, he explained the *is* Present, a *Bird*, a *Rat*, a *nd* five *Arrows*, to mean ose *Arrows* should dispart unless they fled away like id like *Rats*, or encamped gs in the *Water*.

ius, (*Conradus*) known ather things for his *Edition* n, and his *Notes* on *Tullie's*, he lived in the *XVith Cent.* *ward*, some of the *Switz*-hill covered with *Snow*, and re dangerous to pass without fear of the *Precipices*.

us, (*Anthony*) *Bp.* of *Venice*, f an *Apoplexy* in 1672 ; e had wrote several things, n the occasion of setting up ch *Academy*.

calculus, a *Learned Monk* of y condemned, imprisoned, ished for defending *Predesti*-and so making *God* the *Au*-*Evil*. He died in *Prison* in h *Cent.*

ey of *Bouillon*, being a *Prince* *House* of *Lorrain*, was chose nder of the *Christian Ex*-n of the *Holy-Land*, in con-on of his *Mastery* in the *Art* r, and his *bravery* ; he sold eritance of *Liege* and *Bouil*-the *Bp.* for *Money* for his s; he forced his way through ek *Empire* in 1097. beat the

subdued *Lycania*, *Cilicia*, *Mesopotamia*, *Judea*, &c. was *Crown* of *Thorns* *Crown*-g of *Jerusalem*, beat the *Ca*-*Egypt*, and died in 1100.

rey, the *Dane*, was murdered in d of the *Rhine*, by the order

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of *Charles the Gross*, for siding with his *Brother* against him, after he had given him a vast fortune, with the natural *Daughter* of *Lothair I.* *Empe*-ror, and been his *God-father* on his turning *Christian*.

Godofredus, (*Dionysius*) a *Na*-tive of *Paris*, and a great *Professor* of the *Civil Law* in several *Univer*-sities of *Europe*, after the *Civil War*, of *France* had driven him thence ; he died in 1622, having wrote in his way.

Godofredus, (*Theodorus*) *Son* of the *Former* and *Heir* of his *Merit* in *Learning*, especially in *History* and *Civil Law*, &c. as his various *Works* declare. He had a *Son* *Denys Godo*-fed, that was a *Counsellor* and *His*-toriographer of *France*, &c.

Godofredus, (*Jacobus*) younger *Brother* to *Theodore*, who lived and died at *Geneva*, and left a great ma-ny *Books* of his *Writing* in the *Ci*-vil *Law* :

Goeghy, a *Sect* of *Indian Banians* that hold not the *Transmigration*, but that the *Soul* goes immediately to *God* ; they adore one *God* with great *Religion*, and are so devoted to *Celibacy*, that they suffer not a *Wo*-man to touch them ; they pay also a great *Respect* to one *Mecis* stiled the *Servant* of *God*.

Goeree, a little *Nigritian* *Isle*, in the *Kingdom* of *Ale*, where *Fort*-*Nassau* stood, till taken by the *French*, who now possess it.

Goex, (*Damian de*) a *Portuguese* *Author* of several *Hist.* *Traacts* about *Portugal* ; he was found dead in his *House* at *Lisbon*, in the *XVith Cent.*

Gohorri, (*James*) the *Solitary*, a *Mathematician*, *Historian*, and *Philosopher* of the *XVith Cent.*

Goja, (*John*) or *Flavio Gira*, if not the *Inventer*, yet the *Impro*-ver of the *Needle* and *Loudstone*, in 1302.

Giam, an *Abyssinian* *Kingdom* con-taining 20 *Provinces* for the *Spring*

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of the Nile, which makes in its course a Peninsula of it.

Golconda, an *Asiatick* Kingdom in the *E. Indies*, in the Peninsula on this side *Ganges*; it rose to be a Km. by the Death of the last Raja of *Narsinga*, who leaving four Armies behind him, the four Generals of them seized each the Province he commanded in, and assumed the Title and Power of Sovereignty; but 3 of them were reduced by three successive Great Mogol's *Gebanguir*, *Chagehan*, and *Aurengzeb*; only *Golconda* remained a while tributary, till *Aurengzeb* as the last accounts assure us, reduced that also to a more immediate dependance on him. This Kingdom is bounded E. by the Sea; by a Chain of Mountains W. divided from the Kingdom of *Decan*; S. 'tis bounded by *Bisnagar*, and N. the R. *Guenga* separates it from *Indostan*. It's Capital City called *Heider-Abad* stands at the foot of a Hill, on which is the Fortrefs nam'd *Golconda*.

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Golden Number, so called from being wrote in Gold, was a Number to find out the New Moon which being erroneous, is now more made use of.

Golius, (*Jacobus*) a Native of *Hague* published *Tamerlan's* Life *Arabick*, and a Dictionary of Language, being *Arabick* Prof of *Leyden*, in the XVIIth Cent.

Goltzius. (*Henricus*) an engraver in Copper, in the 17th whose Pieces are in great Reputation.

Goltzius, (*Hubertus*) a Native of *Guelderland*, a great Antiquarian the 16th Cent. who gave no Light to Antiquity by the Medallions, Paintings, &c.

Gomarus, a great Anti-Arminian of *Holland*, having publicly disputed with them before the Synod. He was Divinity Professor of *Leiden* and translated the Bible into Dutch.

Gomer, the Son of *Japhet*, Father of the *Asiatick Gomerites*.

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Cent. unable to get rid of *Theodoric*.

Gondebald, K. of the *Vandals* in the VIth Cent. an *Arrian*, tho' more favourable to the *Orthodox*, till his latter end, than his Predecessors.

Gondebald, Son of *Clotaire I.* as he pretended, tho' disown'd by *Clotaire* as the Son of a Miller, invited from *Constantinople* by *Boson* to the Crown of *France*, after his landing at *Marseilles*, was forsaken, and risled by him. And after some variety of Fortune murdered.

Gondegisilus, second Son and K. of part of the Dominions of *Gondioch*, K. of *Burgundy*, not content with his share, invaded his Brother *Gondebald*; and at first compelled him to fly, but was afterwards taken and put to death by him in *Vienne*.

Gondemar, succeeded *Vitericius*, in the Km of the *Spanish Visigoths*, in the 7th Cent.

Gondemar, youngest Son of *Gondebald* K. of *Burgundy* attacked the *French*, but being taken by them he died in a Dungeon.

Gondi, an ancient *Florentine* Family, which has produced many great Men; as *Julianus Gondi*, who refused the K. of *Arragon's* Pension; two Cardinals in *France*, and an A-Bp. of *Paris*, &c.

Gondioch I. K. of the *Burgundians*, having fixt himself in *Gaul*, spreading his Dominions as far as the *Rhone*; which being slain himself by *Ocher*, or *Attila*, he left to his Son *Gondioch II.* and his Brother *Chilperic* in the 5th Cent. He got *Savoy* of the *Romans*, by whose Divisions he made himself Master of *Lyons*, and part of *Gaul*.

Gonsanon, an ancient Banner of the Church jagged at the End, whence the Bearers were called *Gonsalonieri*, which Name was afterwards given, to the Chief Magistrates of the Common-wealth of *Florence*, &c.

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Gontier, Elected Emp. and Poisoned at *Frankfort*, in the 14th Cent. as he was preparing War against *Charles K.* of *Bohemia*, who was Elected Emp. at the same time; he was Count of *Swartzenbourg*.

Gontier, A-Bp. of *Cologne*, who to make way for his Sister *Valdrade*, to the Bed of *Lothair II.* who was in love with her, under pretence of several Crimes, had him divorced from his Wife *Theutgarda*, whose appeal to the Pope, and his Obstinacy in her behalf broke his Heart; for he died on his Return from *Italy Reinfella*.

Gontran, Son of *Clothaire I.* of whom he inherited *Orleans*, *Burgundy*, and *Bourges*; he had more Success in his Wars with *Sigebert*, than with *Recaredus K.* of the *Languedoc Goths*; he made good Laws and resigned his Km. to his Nephew *Chilbert II.*

Gonzaga, the Family of the Ds. of *Mantua*, as ancient as noble, in *Italy*, which has furnished that Country with several brave Commanders, as *Giovanni Francisco Gonzaga*, *Frederico Gonzaga*, *Francisco II.* *Frederico II.* *Charles I.* &c. all Men of great Conduct and Valour, and at the Head of both *Italian* and *French* Armies. *Julietta Gonzaga* was no less celebrated for Beauty, than these for War; the Fame of it reached *Constantinople*, and made *Barbarossa* land in *Italy*, on purpose to carry her off to the *Scraglio*. But after she had resisted the legal Embraces of the several Princes, she yielded to the Illegal of the D. of *Mantua*, who having enjoy'd forsook her; at which she was so much enraged, that she promised a Priest, that made Love to her, if he would procure her another Interview with him, she would grant him any thing he afterwards desired of her; which he having done, she upbraided the

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Duke in so touching a Manner, and with so much Fire, that he again protested his Love to her; on which she demanded of him as a Proof of his Love to deny God; which as soon as he had done, she stabbed him to the Heart, and then stabbed her self, and told the Priest, she would now grant him all she could, and died.

Gonzales, or *Gonsalvus* of *Cordova*; his great Exploits in the Conquest of *Granada*, under *Ferdinand*, and *Isabel*; his Conquest of *Naples*; first in Conjunction with the *French*, and then driving the *French* out, and fixing *Naples* in the Crown of *Spain*, got him the Name of the *Great General*. But being obliged to go into *Spain*, by *Ferdinand* he retired to his own House in Discontent, where he died in 1515.

Gonzales de Salas, a Native of *Madrid*, known for his several learned Books in the 17th Cent.

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the Army declare him Emp. with his Son *Gordianus*, in his 80th Year, the Senate acknowledging him; but his Son, who has none of the best Soldiers, being sent against *Capellianus*, who rose against him in *Africa*, was defeated, and slain; on the News of which, the Father for fear of falling into the Hands of *Maximinus* killed himself. He wrote in his Youth 30 Books in good Verse, of the Lives of *Marcus Antoninus*, and *Antoninus Pius*.

Gordianus III. Grand-son of *Gordianus* the Elder by a Daughter, by the Advice of *Misitheus* a Philosopher, his Father-in-Law, ordered the Empire with great Applause, though he came to it by the Senate at 16 Y. old. But *Philip* the *Arabian*, having by the Death of *Misitheus*, got first to be *Prætorian Prefect*, and then Co-partner in the Empire, had him murdered by the Soldiers.

Gordium, an ancient C. of Asia

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Kenmure, &c. *George* Marquis of *Gordon*, and Earl of *Huntly*, was a great opposer of the Reformation, in the Time of *Mary*, whom the Pope and the *Guises* promised his Son *John* for Wife, so keeping the Father to their side; who attempting the Life of the Earl of *Murray*, was by him defeated, and taken with his Sons; but he dying immediately, his Son *John* was beheaded, and his Son *Adam* spared.

Gorgons, three, *Medusa*, *Euriale*, and *Sthenio*, Daughters of *Phorcus*, and *Cetus*, who turn'd all that look'd on them into Stone; *Perseus* by the help of *Pallas* slew them.

Goritz, a County of *Friuli*, and its Capital *C.* which stands on the *R. Lijonzo*, belonging to the House of *Austria*.

Gorlaus, (*Abraham*) a Native of *Antwerp*, and a great Antiquary, who published 10 Books of Medals, and other things, and died in 1609.

Gorlitz, a well fortified Frontier *C.* of the Duke of *Saxony*, on the Borders of *Bohemia*.

Goropius, (*Johannes*) by Birth a *Brabander*, Physician to the *Q.* of *France*, and esteemed much in the Reign of *Char. V.* Emp. was Author of several Books, in which are several whimsical *Paradoxes*; as that *Adam* Spoke *Teutonic*.

Gorskins, (*James*) a learned *A.* Deacon of *Gnesna* in *Poland*, Professor and Chancellour of *Cracow*, Author of several Books on various Subjects.

Gory, a *C.* of *Gurgistan* or *Georgia* *propria*, built by a *Persian* General within these 50 years, and inhabited by none but *Persians*, and fortified as much by Nature as Art.

Goslar, a free Imperial *C.* in the Dukedom of *Brunswick*, on the *R. Oker*.

Gostlin, a *C.* of the Palatinate of *Rave*, in the Lower *Poland*, chiefly

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noted for being the place, whither *Demetrius Sniski* *Czar* of *Muscovy*'s was sent by the Polish Generals, when he was delivered into his hands by the *Muscovites*.

Gotham, (*William de*) so called from a Village of that name in *Nottinghamshire*, noted for the proverb of the wise men of *Gotham*, a Learned Man, and twice Chancellour of *Cambridge* in the XIVth Cent.

Gothini, the ancient Inhabitants of part of *Silesia*.

Gothland, a *Swedish* Prov. betwixt *Norway*, the *Baltick* Sea, and *Sweden* *propria*. 'Tis divided into *E. W.* and *South Gothland*, the Prov. of each are *Ostrogotland*, *Westrogotland*, *Dalia*, *Wermeland*, *Skinaland*, *Oeland*, the *Ile* of *Gotland*; *Skonon*, *Halland*, &c. This the *Swedes* would have think the Seat of the old *Goths*, that over-run *Italy*, and *Spain*; but they were certainly the *Getz* of *Asia*, tho' some of them might stray into these Parts in their progress.

Goths, quasi *Getz*, leaving their own in hopes of a more fertile Soil, and to make Room in their own Country, overstocked with People, came into *Europe*, and spread along *Thrace*, *Bosnia*, *Bulgaria*, and as far as the *Baltick* Sea. They made frequent Incursions into the *Roman* Provinces, before they Sacked *Rome*, under *Alarick*, in 409, and their settling in *Italy*, *Languedock*, and *Spain*. Their *Italian* Kingdom set up by *Theodorick*, was destroyed by *Narfes Justinian's* General in 552. they were converted to Christianity, about *Constantine the Great's* Time, had a Bishop in the Council of *Nice*, and were prevailed to *Anthropomorphitism*, by *Audeus*, who taught God to have a humane Figure.

Gottorp, a Castle and Residence of the Dukes of *Holfstein Gottorp*, delicious for its situation in the middle

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of a small Island, formed by the R. *Sley*, capable of bearing Vessels of some Burden, adorned with Fine Woods, Parks, Gardens, and Forests of Game all adjoining. The late Duke killed in the Battel near *Cracow*, in Poland, was outed it, and the rest of his Dominions by *Denmark*, and restored by the *English* *Dutch* and *Swedes*.

Goualiar, a Prov. of *Indostan*, whose Capital C. of the same name is the *Arsenal*, and Repository of the Treasure of all the Empire of the *Mogul*; it stands E. of *Agra*, and is the Prison, and Execution-place of the great Men that are privately to suffer.

Gouda, a T. of *Holland*, 5 L. from *Leyden*, on the *Yffel*, at the influx of the *Gou*, which gives its name, and another small R. Twas built in 1272. and burnt in 1420. but now is well built, adorned with a fine Church, and Town-house, a convenient Harbour, Slucqs, &c.

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basfador in England in 1519. *Adrian Gouffier*, made Cardinal of *Bisist* by *Leo X.* at *Francis I's* desire, was of the same Family.

Goulams, a Body of 14000 Slaves of all Nations, chiefly *Georgian* *Renegados*, in the *Persian* Army.

Gouletta, raised from a small Square Tour to a handsom Fortress, first by *Barbarossa*, and after the taking of *Tunis* from the K, re-established by *Charles V. Em.* and adorned with Custom-houses, new Fortifications, Mosques, &c. It stands at the Mouth of a very little Channel, that makes the Communication betwixt the *Mediterranean* Sea, and the Lake of *Tunis*.

Goze, an *African* Isle divided from the Continent by a Channel, of no more than four m. broad; it has a Fortress, and small Town, which with the Isle depend on the knights of *Malta*.

Gozon, (*Deodatus*) was advanced in 1345 to the *Grand Mastership* of

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Gracchus, (*Sempronius*) famous for debauching *Julia* the Wife of *Marcus Agrippa*, and Daughter of *Augustus*; but his pursuing his Adulteries, when she was married to *Tiberius*, and setting her against her Husband, caused his Banishment to the Isl. of *Cercina*; and after 14 Y. Exile, and the Death of *Julia* by *Tiberius's* Order, he was beheaded.

The *Graces*, three in Number, *Aglaïs*, *Euphrosyne*, and *Thalia*; *Beauty*, *Gladness* or *Joy*, and *Youth* and *Mirth*, were Daughters of *Jove* and *Venus*, or *Jove* and *Euryome*.

Gracia a Dios, a Cape and C. of *Honduras*, in the N. America, chiefly noted for its Neighbouring *Indians*, never yet subdued by them, being Valiant, though not numerous; they serve on board the *English Ships*, &c. 2 or 4 Year for a few *Iron-Tools*, &c. 'Tis a Republick, and their General, elected for his Merit in War, has no Authority in Peace.

Grado, a C. in the *Friuli* near the Gulph of *Venice*, not so considerable, since *Venice* has taken from it the Patriarchate; but it is yet honoured with the Chair of *St. Mark*, sent thither by the Emperor *Heraclius*.

Gradonicus, (*Peter*) Doge of *Venice*, the Day of whose Election, is kept annually sacred, for his discovery of the Conspiracy of *Bajamont Trepolus*.

Graffio, or *Jacobus de Graffis*, Abbot of the *Benedictines* of *Monte Cassino*, in *Italy*, and grand Penitentiary of *Naples*, Author of some Pieces of *Moral*, and casuistical Divinity, in the *XVIth Cent.*

Grafton, a little T. of *Northamptonshire*, noted chiefly for the Place of *Edward IV's* Marriage, with the Lady *Grey*, and for the Title it gives of Duke, to *Charles* present Duke of *Grafton*.

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Grailly, (*John*) noted Chiefly for his Resolution to die in Prison in the Tower of the Temple at *Paris*, rather than accept of his Liberty, on condition of ne'er fighting more against *France*, which terms of Enlargement the King of *England* had got him. He had been the King of *Navarre's* General against *Char. V.* of *France*, and was taken Prisoner at the Battle of *Cocherel* in *Normandy*, in the *XIVth Cent.*

Grain, (*Baptiste*) Master of the Requests and Counsellor to *Mary of Medicis*, was a Native of *France*, and wrote the Life of *Henry IV.*

Gramaye, (*John Baptist*) a Native of *Antwerp*, a Poet, Historian, Linguist, and Traveller, that is in *Africa*, in *Europe*, having also been *Apostolick* Protonotary; he died at *Lubeck*, in 1635. leaving several Historical Books, &c.

Gramont, (*Antony de*) of a Noble Family in the *Lower Navarre*, taking his name from the T. of *Gramont*, on the R. *Bidouze*; he was one of the chief of the *Protestant* Commanders, and was at the taking of *Poitiers* and *Angoulême*; yet was he spar'd out of the Massacre, by *Charles IX.* and died in 1576.

Anthony, Duke of *Gramont* Count of *Guiche*, &c. besides his Martial Achievements, which were various, standing always faithful to the Crown in the civil War, he was sent into *Spain*, for the concluding the Marriage of *Lewis XIV.* with the Infanta of *Spain*, and died in the Y. 1678.

Gramont, (*Bardolamew*) known for his Continuation of *Tibullus*, that is for pursuing the History from *Henry IV.* to 1639. He was President of the Parliament of *Toulouse*, and Counsellor of the grand Council.

Gran, a strong C. and Abpk. of *Hungary*, and once its Metropolis on the *Danube*, six German m. E. of *Alba*

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ha Regalis, fix N. of *Buda*, and S. of *Cainora*, in a pleasant and fruitful Soil; besides its own Fortifications of Walls and *Palisade's*, 'tis defended by a Castle, and St. *Thomas's* Hill, which is well fortifi'd; the Archiepiscopal Palace, St. *Stephens's* Church, &c. are fine Buildings; it has underwent many Sieges, was taken by *Solyman* the Magnificent, re-taken by *Connt* *Manfield*, and taken and re-taken once since.

Granada, a City of S Spain, once the Capital of a Moorish Km. of the same name, put an end to by *Ferdinand*, and *Isabel*; *Gonsales*, being General of their Forces. The City is one of the largest in Spain, in a pure Air, and near 4 L. about, having no Towers, and divided into three parts, the *Alamlea*, the *Albazin*, and the *Antiquerula*. From the Banks of the *Drucio*, it stretches o'er the Plain to the Hills, and once contained 60000 Houses, though now ill Peopled, in a wholesome Air and Soil replenished with Foun-

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tains, come from too uncertain a Hand to transcribe.

Granicus, a R. of the lesser *Phrygia*, rising from mount *Ida*, and falling into the *Propontis*: Famous for the Victory of *Alexander* the Great, over *Darius*, in the CXLth Olymp.

Granius (*Petronius*) a Partisan of *Cesar's*, who being taken by *Scipio*, Stabbed himself, to shew that *Cesar's* Soldiers gave, but not received Lives; and so was a voluntary Martyr to Tyranny.

Granson, a Swiss Town belonging to *Friburg*, and *Bern*, famed for the *Switzers* Victory over *Charles* the Bold, last D. of *Burgundy*, in 1476. standing near the Lake of *Neuf-Chastel*.

Grantham, a considerable Market T. of *Kesteven* division of *Lincolnshire*, and the Capital of the *Wapentake*; famous for its Steeple; which being very high, looks crooked, and for giving the Title of Earl to *Henry D' Aubreynour*.

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Grasse, a French C. and Bpk, populous and wealthy, adorned with the Cathedral, and other Churches, Monasteries, &c. 'Tis thought to have been built by, and received its name from L. *Crassus*.

Gratiani, (Antonio Maria) Bp. of *Amelia* in Italy, and Author of the *Life of Cardinal Commendon*, (whose Secretary he had been, as he was afterwards to Pope Sixus V.) and of several other Books.

Gratianus, succeeded his Father *Valentinian I.* in the Empire, in 379. he refused the heathen Title of *Pontifex Maximus*, beat the Germans at *Stratsburg*, was defeated at *Paris* by the Forces of the Tyrant *Maximus*, (after he had made *Theodosius* his Partner, in that Empire) by the Treachery of *Merobaudus*, is he was assassinated by *Andragathius* near *Lyons*, who enjoyed his Treason not long.

Gratianus, advanced by the *Legions* in Britain to the Empire from a private Soldier, in the time of *Honorius*, and in a little time destroyed by those, that set him up.

Gratianus, a Benedictine of the 12th Cent. who spent 24 years in collecting and adjusting the Decrees and Canons, and reconciling their contradictions; his Errors have been amended by *Antonius Augustinus*.

Gratius, (Ortwinus) a Native of the Bpk. of *Munster*, student at *Deventer* and *Cologne*, and Author of some Books; he died in 1542.

Gratz, or *Gretz*; the Capital C. of the Lower *Stiria* in Germany; it has a fine Castle, and was the Residence of *Ferdinand II.* Emp. while he was Ar-Dk of *Austria*; it stands on the *Meuse*, 13 L. from *Vienna*.

Gratudentz, or *Grudzansk*, a little C. of the *Palatinate of Culm*, in the *Royal Prussia*, at the influx of the

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Offa into the *Vistula*, besides its own Works, fortified, by a fine Castle.

Grave, an important C. of *Brabant*, and the Capital of *Guickland*, Subject to the *States of Holland*, on the *Meuse*, whose water fills its Moats. 'Tis well fortified, and was the Subject of Dispute a great while, betwixt the Dukes of *Brabant*, and *Holland*; it was taken by the French in 1672. and surrendered to the Prince of *Orange* in 1677.

Graveline, a very strong T. on the R. *Aa*, betwixt *Dunkirk*, and *Calais*; here *Thierry of Alsatia*, Count of *Flanders*, who had repaired it, died; it was yielded to the French by the *Pyrenean Treaty*.

Gravina, (Pietro) an Italian Peer of Reputation, and great Interest with the *Spanish General Gonsalvo*, who died by an Ulcer, got by rubbing his Cheek, to allay an itching occasion'd by the fall of a Chesium upon it, as he lay sleeping under the Tree.

Graving, is an Art of cutting Pictures on Copper or Wood, a modern Invention since printing, and brought to perfection by *Lucas*, and *Albert Durer*, &c. an Art unknown to the Ancients who carved so finely, and engraved in Stone, and Metal, with so great a Mastery.

Gravius, (Henricus, a Native of *Louvain*, preferred for his Skill in Printing by *Sixtus V.* to be Printer to the *Vatican*.

Gravius, (Gualterus) Prior of the *Dominicans* of *Nimeguen*, in the XVIth Cent. he was Author of several Books against *Erasmus*, &c.

Greaves, (John) Son of the Rector of *Calmar* in *Hants*shire, having been educated in *Weston-Colledge Oxford*, was sent by Abp. *Laud* into the *Levant* for several Pieces of Learning; and on his return, was preferred by the Ep. to be *Sacellan*

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Astronomy Professor in Oxford, in which he got great Reputation; he published several Books of Astronomy, Travels, &c.

Greece, is now divided into *Epire*, *Macedon*, *Albania*, *Achaia*, and *Morea*; in its first Division *Thessaly*, and *Hellas*, or *Gracia propria* were all its Parts; to which *Macedon*, *Peloponnesus*, *Achaia*, &c. were added; nay, the Name with their Colonies spread into *Asia* the Less on one side, and *Italy* and *Sicily* on the other. The Learning and Valour of the old Greeks, of *Athens*, *Lacedamon*, *Macedon*, &c. is all now lost, and that Country that first polished the World, and gave rise to all Arts and Sciences in their Freedom, are now the most ignorant and dispirited, by a long and heavy Slavery. They yet keep up some Face of the *Christian* Religion having a *Patriarch*, Bps. and Priests, Holydays and Fasts, in abundance, differing from Popery in many, agree-

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expelled them from *Northumberland*. Overthrew the invading *Britons*, *Loch-Maban*; and provoked by *Irish*, routed them in a Battle their own Country; from which returned in Triumph; with Huges to secure the Peace. He died Ann 892, in the 18th Y. of Reigu.

Gregory I. Pope, in the VIth who was called the Great, was native of Rome, and a Man of Quality being in his Youth a Senatour, Prefect of the City, he afterwards went into a Monastery of his founding, whence being taken ordained by Pope *Pelagius II.* he sent *Nuntio* to the Emp. *Tiberius* after chosen Pope; he sent *Monks*, into *England*, and other *Monks*, into *England* who converted the K. of *Kent*, was the first Introduction of Christianity among the *English*. So he made the *Litany* on a great silence in Rome, and was Author of several Books; he compleme-

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V. being Son of *Otho, Suevia*, and made Pope by Emperor, was restor'd by *Crescentius* had deposed which *Crescentius* suffered violent Death: in his time many Princes were made Electors of the Emperor. towards the end of the 11. having been Pope five d five Months.

VI. *Benedict IX.* and *Sylvester II.* contended for the Papacy. *Benedict* finding himself too old his Papal share to this who kept in the Chair a year, and a half, till *Henry* Emperor set *Clement II.* in both places, and carried *Gregory* into *Italy*, where he died that

VII. succeed *Alexander II.* in the Papacy, in 1073 and took this *Gregory*, in stead of that of *And*; he decreed the Cancellation to be sufficient, and the Approbation which errors used to give; nay, he gave them the Power of Investing Clergy-men, excommunicating IV. Emperor, stirred up the *Suevia* against him; who was slain, the Emperor came to *Rome*, and set up *Gregory* II. on which *Gregory* fled, and hid at *Salerna*, after having 10 years held the Papacy.

VIII. a Native of *Benedict* succeeded *Urban III.* in the Papacy, and died the same year; but was another *Gregory* set up by V. Emperor against *Gelasius* whose death and Calixtus Election, he was thrust into the Chamber, and is not reckoned among of Popes.

IX. came to the Papacy *Gregory* III. in 1227. continu-

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ing as great an Enemy to *Frederick II.* Emperor as his Predecessour: whom he used ill in his Expedition into the *Holy-Land*; and tho' on his Return he received vast Summs of him, yet was he not content without fresh Insolencies. He died of Vexation, that the Emperor had so blocked up the *Avenues to Rome*, that his Bps. summoned to the Council of *Lateran* against the Emperor, could not come thither.

Gregory X. being absent, was elected Pope at *Viterbo*; he vigorously pushed on the *Croisade*, at the Council of *Lyons*, called for that End, He endeavoured by reconciling 'em, to extinguish the two Factions of *Guelphs* and *Gibelines*, and after he had sat four years and something more, died with the Reputation of a Man every way accomplished, for the Discharge of his Office.

Gregory XI. was elected Pope in 1390, he brought back the Papal Chair from *Avignon* to *Rome*, after 70 year's being at *Avignon*.

Gregory XII. was chosen at *Rome*, while *Benedict XIII.* sat at *Avignon*, on condition to resign, if *Benedict* would; but both forgetting that Agreement, the Cardinals of both Parties met at *Pisa*, and chose *Alexander V.* yet *Gregory* stood out till the Council of *Constance*, 8 years; when he resigned.

Gregory XIII. was Author of the *Gregorian Calendar*, or Reformation of the year; and died in 1585.

Gregory XIV. chosen in 1590, proclaimed a *Jubile*; and though he sat but 10 Months, contributed a vast Summ to the Support of the *Holy League* in *France*.

Gregory XV. was elected in 1621, and sat 2 years, having canonized 6 Sts, advanced the Bpk. of *Paris* to a *Metropolis*, and founded the Court of *propaganda Fide*.

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Gregory, a Roman by Birth, was set up for an Antipope against *Innocent* H. by *Roger* K. of *Sicily*, and at last by the Industry of *St. Bernard*, Submitted to him in the XII. Cent.

Gregory of Nazianzum, Father and Son; the Father being converted to Christianity, was afterwards made Bp. of *Nazianzum*; sate 45 Years, and had after his Election *Gregory*, and *Cesarius*, by his Wife. His Son *Gregory*, whose Works are extant, and famous, was chosen Bishop of *Constantinople*, but resigned it on *Timotheus* A-Bishop of *Alexandria*'s contesting it: He was the Ornament of the *Greek Church* in the IVth Cent.

Gregory Palamas, Abp. of *Thessalonica*, who wrote that the Light seen by the Apostles on Mount *Tabor*, was the Divinity and no created Essence.

Gregory, of *Tours*, a learned Prelate of the VIth Cent. a Native of *Auvergne*, and of a good Family,

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Griffius, (*Fredericus*) a German Chymist, was Inventor of *Theriacum Galeste*, and lent the Duke of *Wirttemberg* the Art of making it.

Grenada, one of the *Charibe Isles* in N. America, named by the *Spaniards*, and now possessed by the *French*; betwixt *Barbados*, *Tabago*, and *Trinidad*.

Grenada, the Capital of the County of *Gauvre*, on the *Garonne*, three L. below *Toulouse*, and of no small Fame, in the Wars of the *Albigenses*.

Grenoble, the Capital C. of *Dauphine* on the R. *Izere*, Parliamentary and Episcopal, under the Abp. of *Vienne*, is a City of Roman Foundation, at least it was fortified in the time of *Dioclesian*; it had afterwards the name of *Gratianople*, from the Emperor *Gratian*'s, enlarging it, of which is its present Name by corruption. 'Tis large and well built, adorned with many fair Churches; and 9 m. from it is the famous *Char-*

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taken by Queen Mary's Forces, she was with her Husband, and Father-in-Law beheaded the same day, in 1553.

Griffe, (*Sebastian*) an exact and curious Printer of *Lions*, to whom *Scalliger* recommends the printing his Book.

Griffin, (*Edward*) made Lord *Griffin* of *Bray-Brook* in *Northamptonshire*, by *James II.* in the 4th Y. of his Reign.

Grigori, was deputed by *Sixtus IV.* Pope to reconcile the *Maxonites* of *Mount Libanus*, to the *Romish Church*, and had therefore the Title of Patriarch of the Eastern Church; but he died in the Expedition, leaving an Account of his Travels in the *Holy Land* behind him.

Griffin, Son, by his second Wife *Sanibilda*, of *Charles Martel*, was ambitious, and unsuccessful; for he was reduced three times by his Brother *Pepin*, and allowed great Revenues; but making a third Escape, he was killed in the *Maurienne* in his Passage to *Italy*, whither he had retired, as it was thought, by the Order of Duke *Gaifre*, with whose Wife he had been too familiar, as the Duke himself thought.

Grignan, the name of an illustrious French Family, Founders of the City of *Montelimar* in *Dauphine*, and Lords of the Country, and its Capital City of *Grignan*, in *Provence*, adorned with a Castle, and fine Cathedral.

Grillo, (*Angelo*) Abbot of the Benedictines of *Montcassin* in *Italy*, a Poet, Orator and Divine of consideration (as his Works show) in the XVIIth Cent.

Grimaldi, a noble and ancient Family of *Italy*, having been Princes of *Miraco* above 600 years: and of this illv, have been Generals Admirals of France, besides others who have been in Ecclesiastical I

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Grimani, a Family of *Venice*, of which have been several Doges and Cardinals.

Grimoaldus, Duke of *Beneventum*, and King of the *Lombards*: This Crown he owed to the Dexterity and Bravery of his Conduct; For while *Godebert*, and *Pertharit*, the Sons of *Aribert*, contended for it, *Godebert* he got into his Custody, and put him to death; and having struggled with some difficulties against the Emperor *Constans*, and got the *Franks*, on his side, from their Intentions to assist *Pertharit*, he died after he had reigned nine Years, A. C. 673.

Grimoaldus, Successor of his Father *Pepin*, in the Mayoralty of the Palace of *Austrasia*, in the VIIIth Cent. was seized by the *Austrasians*, with his Son, whom he designed to advance to the Throne. He shaved *Dagobert*, and sent him to an Irish Monastery, on the death of his Father *Sigebert*; they were either both put to death, or confined to perpetual Imprisonment by *Clovis II.* K. of *France*, to whom they were delivered.

Grimby a Market T. of *Lindsey*, division of *Lincolnshire*, something decayed since its harbour was choaked up, tho' considerable before for Trade. It sends two Members to Parliament, who are now *John Chaplin*, and *Arthur Moore*, Esquires.

Grinaus, (*Simon*) a *Swabian*, native of *Zollern* in the XVth Cent. and Author of Notes on *Plato*, *Aristotle*, *Justin*, &c.

Grindat, (*Edmond*) was first Chaplain to *Ridley Bp.* of *London*, and by him recommended a little before his Death to *Edward VI.* Returning from his German Travels after Queen Mary's Time, Queen *Elizabeth* made him first Bp. of *London*, and then *Abp. Canterbury*; he died in 1583, about 65 Years old.

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Gripſwald, a German *Hans-Town* of *Pemerania*, with an University, and Port on the *Baltick Sea*, a fair well fortified City, yet taken by the *Swedes*, in 1631. and allowed them by the Treaty of *Munſter*.

Gris, (*James*) ravished the Wife of *John de Carouge*, a Captain under *Peter II.* Count of *Alenſon*, with whom *James* was in great Favour; on *John's* Return from the *holy Land*, his Wife informing him of the matter, he appeals to the Parliament of *Paris*; who for want of Evidence ordered a Combate, where *Gris* being killed in the preſence of the King, and Court aſſembled to ſee it, his body was adjudged to be hanged, and the Lady's Innocence was thus cleared.

Grifant, (*William*) an *Engliſh* Phyſician of the 14th Cent. Author of ſeveral Mathematical Works.

Grifons, German People inhabitants towards the Sources of the *Rhine*, and the *Inn*, in the ancient *Rhetia*;

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taken, and almoſt ruined by the *Moscovites*.

Groenland, a Tract of Land reaching from cape *Farwel* all along the *Frozen-Sea*, toward *Spitzberg*, and *Nova Zembla*; 'tis divided W. from *America* by the *Chriſtian Sea*, bounded S. by the *Deucalidonian Ocean*, and E. by the *Frozen Sea*. It's Northern Bounds are not known; nor are the Relations of the *Iſland* and *Daniſh* Chronicles to be Minded, bearing ſo much the Face of Fable, ſince on more Modern enquiry's, we find the People wholly averſe to all Commerce or Civility, all ſavage and wild: thoſe that were brought to the Court of *Denmark* pined away, tho' extremely civilly uſed. The Country abounds in Paſturage, in Horſes, Cattel great and ſmall, Rain-Deer, &c.

Groll, a very ſtrong Dutch Frontier Town towards *Weſtphalia*, and *Munſter*, in the County of *Zutphen*, and 4 L. from the City of *that*

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Exactions on his Diocess, for which he was excommunicated, &c. all which he bare with Constancy, and shewed by his Manner of Life, that it was not incurred by any thing but a Zeal for the Right.

Grotesco-work, is a sort of Painting made up of a Mixture of odd and whimsical Figures, both Humane and Brutal. It was an ancient Invention; the remains of some of it, being in the Ruins of the Palace of *Titus*, was there found by *Giovanni d' Udine*, a famous Painter, who copied it, and tound out the Art of making *Stuke*, with which the *Basso Relievo*, was performed.

Grotius, (*Hugo*) or *Hugh de Groot* was born at *Delft* in *Holland*, of one of the chief Families of that City; his Place of *Syndick* of *Rotterdam*, he exchanged for Advocate of the Treasury; being Imprisoned on *Barneveldt's* Account, he made his Escape by a Trunk, in which Books were permitted to be conveyed to him by his Wife. *Lewis XIII.* received him kindly; and *Christina*, Queen of *Sweden*, on his being banished by the *Scates*, received him, and employed him as an Ambassador to *France*, &c. he died in 1645 at *Rostock* in *Mecklenburg*, and left his Name immortal by his curious Works among the Learned.

Grotta di Napoli, a hollow way dug through *Monte Posilipo*, by order of *Lucullus*, and the hands of 100000 Men, 12 foot deep, and as many broad, and half a League long, in 15 days; at the Entrance of this stands *Virgil's* Tomb.

Grotta de Cani, or the dogs Grotto; for a dog set down into it, will be brought up as dead, but revives on his being thrown into the Lake *Agnano*, just by it, 4 L. from *Naples*, 'tis also called *Charon's Grotto*, or *Caverna*.

Grouchi, (*Nicholas de*) or *Gr-*

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chius, a Critical Author of the XVI. Cent. a Native of *Rome* of a good Family, and an able Linguist, &c.

Grumbach, (*William*) having assassinated the Bp. of *Wirtzburg* in *Franconia*, with his Confederates committed all Acts of Hostility he could; being with them declared Outlaws, the Elector of *Saxony*, besieged him in *Grimmestein*, took him, and had him and his Companions hanged in the middle of the XVIth Cent.

Gruterus, (*James*) a Native of *Antwerp* in the XVIth Cent. a man of polite Learning, besides his Poems, leaving us Notes on several Poets and Historians.

Gryllus, *Xenophon's* Son, who being mortally wounded, killed the brave *Epaminondas*, before he fell, and so lost *Thebes*, more than a whole Army; his Father hearing of his death, threw his Chaplet of *Flowers* off, which he put on again on hearing, that he killed the Enemies General, which brought more Joy, than his Death Grief.

Guadalajara, a N. American Prov. in *New Galicia*, bounded by the Prov. of *Xalisco*, *Mechoacan*, and *Zacateca*; the Air is temperate, the Soil yeilds one hundred for one, and is agreeable to all our European Fruits: its cap. C. is a Bpk. and of the same name, built in 1531, by one of the *Guzmans*, near the R. *Baranja*: its other Cities are *Zaporaco*, *Chutiquipaque*, &c. There is a City of this name, Capital of the Prov. of *Algarvia*, in *Old Castile*, on the R. *Henares*.

Guadaloupa, one of the *Antille* Isles, planted now with *French*; it produces abundance of Sugar Canes, and lies betwixt *St. Domingo*, and *Marigalante*; besides 4 Forts and several Vallages, it has a neat City of the same name.

Guadalquivir, one of the largest of the *Spanish* Rivers, rising out of the

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the *Castilean Hills* near *Marcha*, passing by *Sevil*, and falling into the Ocean at *St. Lucar*.

Guadiana, *Ana*, or *Anas*, a Spanish River rising in *Campo de Montiel*, in *New-Castile*; it runs under ground at *Medellin*, for 10 L. till it bursts out again at *Argamasilla*, which is expressed by its ancient Name of *Anas*, which signifies a Duck.

Guadix, a Spanish C. and Bpk. Suffragan to *Granada*, won from the Moors by *Ferdinand*, and *Isabel*, in 1489.

Gualata, an African Kingdom of *Nigritia*; the Country is fertile enough in Dates, Rice, Barley and Millet, abounds not in Flesh, except about *Hoden*, a Town of some Trade with the *Arabians*, and *Caravans*; Besides which and its Capital *Gualata*, formerly the Residence of the King, you find nothing but Villages, and small Towns; the King of *Tombur* conquered this Country, in 1526, but restored it again to its

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ted the *Christians*, with much Violence.

Gualid, or *Beni-Gualid*, a Mountainous Country in the Kingdom of *Alg.*, whose Inhabitants maintain their Wealth and Freedom by the Inaccessibility of their Hills, which afford them all things Necessary for Life; they are fit out 6000 fighting Men, and have a Privilege of protecting any Criminal that flies to them, on the Accession of a new Prince to the Throne of *Tunis*.

Guam, is one of the *Ladrone Islands*, the most Easterly of the *Indies*, and lies betwixt the *Indian* and *Pacifick* Seas; the People are large, and affable; their Houses are thatch'd with *Palmeto* Leaves, and they have Woods of 4 Miles long, and 2 broad of *Cocoe-Trees*: here grows the *Lime*, and a Tree whose Fruit they bake for Bread; as another Tree called *Toddy*, furnishes them with Wine: The Spanish Priests instruct them in *Christianity*.

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whence the *Spaniards* drew a
of Pounds in the Y. and by
they refine their Silver of Po-
d it brings into the King's
40000 Ducats, Annually.

ini, (*Giovanni Battista*) an
Poet Native of *Ferrara*, was
of *Pastor fido* translated by
hard Fanshaw, and other pic-
: was fellow of most of the
Academies, and much fa-
by the Duke of *Ferrara*, and
regory XIIIth. He died at *Ve-*
1613.

inone, (*Christopher*) Native
na, was Physician to *Francisco*
Duke of *Urbino*, and to *Rodul-*
Emperor; his Medicinal, and
phical Books, got him great
tion in the XVIIth Cent.

talla, a C. in the *Mantuan*
Pa, now in Possession of the
or and fortified; it was much
d by *Ferdinand de Gonzaga*,
of *Mantua*.

imala, a Prov. C. and Govern-
t N. America in *New Spain* :
overnment takes in the Prov.
ca-paz, *Guatemala Propria*,
as, *Sacnusco*, *Costa Rica*, *Ni-*
as, and *Veragua*. The Prov. of
cala Propria, lying on the S.
ounds in the European Fruit,
, Maiz, Bees-wax, Honey, Wood,
and Forests, diversified with
, Vallages, Meadows, &c. The
are docile, but apt to relapse
Christianity to ancient Super-

The Capital of this Prov.
Jago di Guatemala a Bpk. and
centary, standing in a Val-
id divided by a River : in the
Cent. it was almost ruined
empest.

vacu, an American Prov. of
pain, whose Capital is *Ante-*
Bpk. suffragan to *Mexico*; be-
s Mines of Gold and Silver,
ocks of Crystal, *Cochenele*,
it hath Store of Mulberry-
which makes a considerable

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Silk-Trade. The Valley of *Gua-za-*
ca, is noted for being conquered by
Cortex, and giving him the Title of
Marques of the Vally. The Province
is populous, containing 350 T. 300
Vill. and 26 Convents, besides Col-
leges.

Guazzi-Marco, a famous Hi-
storian of *Padua*, in the XVIIth
Cent.

Gubel-Haman, a Prov. of *Arabia*
Felix, near the *Arabian Sea*; its Ca-
pital has the same Name.

Guber, a Negro Kingdom in *Af-*
rica, betwixt *Guinea*, the Lake of
Guardia, and the *Nile*; its Cap-
ital is also called *Guber*, the Residence
of their despotick Prince; the Nati-
on is populous, abounding in Cities
of 5 or 6000 Families.

Gichen, a large Chinese City of
Quangsi, Capital of 9 Cities, of con-
siderable Trade, built at the Conflu-
ence of several Rivers with the *Ta-*
kiang. The Mountains of the Coun-
try of *Guchen*, afford a great deal of
Vermilion; but its *Apes* with hu-
mane Faces and Female Voices;
are notable, as is the cold Mountain
in the Torrid Zone, and Mountain
of Fire, on which every Night ap-
pear Lights like Candles.

Guebriant, (*John Baptist de Bu-*
des) Count of *Guebriant*, whose
services at *Wolfenbattel*, *Brisac*, &c.
got him first to be made Lieutenant
General, and then Marshal of *France*,
by *Louis XIIth*, after which he was
killed by a Wound at the Siege of
Rotwel.

Guei, a Chinese Eunuch, whom
Tienki the Emperor favoured so
much, that he ruled all the Empire,
and purposed to Death he thought
fit to be rid of; he on the Death
of *Tienki* without Heirs, would have
put by his Brother *Zuechin*, who
sending him on an honourable Mes-
sage to Visit the Tombs of his An-
cesters, had him strangled.

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Guelders, or *Guelderland*, one of the 17 Prov. of the *Netherlands*, one part of four of which belongs to the *Spaniard*, in which is the City of *Guelder*, *Venlo*, &c. The other 3 parts are *Beturve*, *Veturve*, and *Zutphen*, all belonging to the United *Netherlands*; 'tis bounded E. by part of *Cleves*, and the *Rhine* W. by *Utrecht*, and *Holland*, S. by *Juliers*, and the *Meuse*, and N. by the *Zuider-zee*, and *Friesland*. The Country abounds in Towns, Rivers Woods, good Pasturage, &c. Its Capital *Guelders* stands on the R. *Niers*, which surrounds it like a Moat in a Marshy-Ground, whose Castle is thought almost impregnable: Its other principal Towns are *Nimeguen*, *Arnhem*, *Zutphen*, &c.

Gnenga, an *Asiatick* R. that rising in the Kingdom of *Decan*, in its course divides the Kingdom of *Golconda*, from *Indostan*.

Le Guerchin, or the *Squinter*, a Name given to an excellent bold

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Guerrero, (*Alvarez Alphonso*) a *Nish* Bishop of *Monopoli*, in *Napoli* the XVIth Cent. he was before of Law, and King's Counsellor in *Spain*; he wrote several Treatises Theological, Historical, &c.

Guesclin, (*Bertrand de*) after he been active against *Edward II* of *England*, in his Wars in *France* took Part against *Hen. Count of Stamare* with *don Pedro* the *Castilian* and was taken Prisoner by the *English* Prince, after the *English* had taken *don Pedro*, he was very instrumental in the setting the Crown on *don Henrico's* Head, who there made him Constable of *Castile*; which he was active, and serviceable to his own King in the Recovery of *Poitou*, *Rovergne*, &c. from the *English*; and being 68 Years old died in 1380.

Gueux, or *Beggars*, a name first given to the defenders of their liberties against the Inquisition in *Low Countries*, by the *Count*

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Wreath of the same: some are *Cannibals*, and eat human Flesh, others live on the Fruit of the Trees both for Meat and Drink. *Guiana* is the fatal Coast where Sir *Walter Raleigh* shipwrack'd his Life; for coming home thence unsuccessful, *Gondemar* had Interest enough at Court, to have him executed on his former Sentence.

Guibert, or *Gilbert de Tournay*, a learned *Franciscan* of the XIIIth Cent. Author of several Spiritual Tracts.

Guibert, or *Gilbert*, a Norman Gentleman, and Abbot at *Loudun* of St. *Marie de Vigant*, was Author of a History of the *Croisades*, down to the Y. 1100, and several other Books in the XIIth Cent.

Guibertus, de *Corrigia*, Abp. of *Ravenna*, set up for Anti-Pope to *Gregory VII.* by the Emperor *Henry IV.* whose Chancellor he had been: he maintained his Post under the name of *Clement III.* against *Gregory VII.* *Victor III.* *Urban II.* and for some time against *Paschal II.* who by the help of *Roger of Sicily*, drove him into the Mountains, where he died suddenly.

Guicciardin, (*Francis*) a *Florentine*, and Counsellour to *Alexander de Medicis*, and much favoured by *Leo X.* *Adrian VI.* and *Clement VII.* was Author of the History of his Time.

Guicciardin, (*Lodovico*) Nephew to the former, and Author of a History of the Low Countries, who died in 1589,

Guichard, (*Claude*) Historiographer of *Savoy*, translated *Livy* at the Duke's Command, to whom he dedicated his other Works: he died in the beginning of the XVIIth Cent.

Guiche, (*John Francis*) of a noble and ancient Family of that name, Count de *Palice*, one of *Lewis*

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XIIIth *Marshals of France*, at the head of the Armies against *Montauban*, *St. Antonin*, &c. and died in 1632.

Guido, Son of *Lambert Duke of Spoleto*, who on the death of *Charles* the Gross Emperor, agreed with *Berengarius* to divide the Empire, *Guido* to have *France* as Emperor, and he *Italy*; but *Guido* being unable to take *France* he returned to *Italy*, quarrelled with, and took *Pavia*, from *Berengarius*: but raising a new Army in *Spoleto*, when he had been driven out of *Lombardy* by *Arnolphus*, he died in 894.

Guido Leusignanus, being expelled his City of *Jerusalem*, and almost all the *Holy Land*, sold his Title to *Richard King of England* for the Kingdom of *Cyprus*, which his Posterity lost in 1473.

Guido of Ravenna, an Historian in the IXth Cent.

Guido, a contemporary Painter with *Michael Angelo*, and his Rival, a Native of *Italy*, and remarkable for many good Pieces, but especially one, where the Devil Trod on by St. *Michael* the Arch-Angel, is extremely like Pope *Innocent X.*

Guido Aretino, a learned *Italian Benedicline*, Native of *Arezzo*, of the XIth Cent. He wrote two Books of Musick.

Guidonis, (*Bernard*) Ep. of *Lodève* in *Languedock* in the XIVth Cent. who was Author of the History of Popes, Emperors, and Kings of *France*, &c.

Guienne, a Pro. and Dm. of *France*; 't's bounded by the Ocean W. by *Perigort*, and *Quercy E.* by *Gascogny*, and *Landes S.* and N. by *Saintoigne*; it comprehends *Medock*, *Bazadois*, *Bourdellois*, *Conlonnois*, and *Agenois*, and *L'Entre deux Mers*; its Capital is *Bordeaux*, besides which there are *Condom*, *Agen*, *Mormande*, *Libourn*, *St. Foy*, &c. by the *Romans*.

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it was lost to the *Visigoths*, by them to the *Franks*, or *French*, by them to the *English*, from whom it was recovered in the time of *Charles VII.*

Guifferey, (*Guy*) a great Commander both by Sea and Land under *Francis I.* both against *Charles V.* Emperor at Land, and against the *English* at Sea.

Guilandinus, (*Melchior*) a great *Prussian* Botanist.

Guilford, one of the Principal *Ts.* of *Surrey*, on the *R. Wey*, well enough built, containing three *Parishes*, was of greater extent formerly, when the Residence of some of the *Saxon Kings*; 'tis a Market Town, and sends two Members to Parliament; who now are *Morgan Randyll*, and *Denzill Onslow*, Esqs;

Gulielmus, or *Janus Gulielmus*, though he died at 30, yet his Notes on *Plautus*, and his other Pieces are esteemed: He promised greater

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Mine, &c. the *Danes*, *Fred Bourg.*

Guinea New, an *East-Indian* try, thought to be part of *Terralis incognita*.

Guines, a *French* City of *P* in a Marshy Country of the Name 2 L. from *Calais*: the of *Guines* descend from one *S Dane*, who took it from *H Count of Pontbieu*, in the IX 'twas surrendered to the *Eng King John*, surprized by *Edw.* and retaken by the Duke of in 1558.

Guinther, (*John*) a *Nat Andernach* in *Cologne* was *Ph to Pantis I.* of *France*; he is for his several Translations the *Ancients*; he died at 87 Years old, in 1574.

Guipuscoa, a little *Spanish P Biscay*, though till within 300 counted Part of *Navarre*; *Bis priu*, bounds it *W. Navarre*

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Kent, and Son of the Minister of that Parish, had his Education in *Clare-Hall* in *Cambridge*, was a vehement stickler against the Solemn League and Covenant, and retired from *Cambridge* to *Oxford*, and when the Royal Cause was quite gone, to *London*, where in *Exeter-House* he had a Congregation: on the Restoration he was made Master of *St. John's* in *Cambridge*, then Bishop of *Chichester*, and lastly Bishop of *Ely*; where dying he left his Estate to the Encrease of poor Vicarages; and was Author of several Controversial, and other Treatises; he died in 1684.

Guplo, a Polish Lake, on which stands the Castle of *Kruszowich*, where *Papietus* Prince of that Country was devoured by Mice, 'tis 6 L. from N. to S. and half a L. over.

Gurk, a City and Bpk. of *Carinthia* in *Germany*, suffragan to the Abp. of *Saltzburgh*, the Bishop being a Prince of the Empire.

Gustavus I. K. of Sweden, Son of *Erick de Waza*, Duke of *Gripsholm*, was delivered as Hostage to *Christiern II. King of Denmark*, surnamed the Cruel, and by him treacherously made Prisoner in *Copenhagen*. But escaping, he return'd home, and assisted by the *Lubekers*, drove out the Danes, that had possessed *Sweden*; for which he was made King. He managed Affairs, that he procured the Crown, that before was Elective, to be entailed on his Posterity.

Gustavus Adolphus the Great, was born at *Stockholm*, and came to the Crown at 17. At the beginning of his Reign he beat the Danes, and Poles, over-run the *Muscovites*, and made an honourable Peace, and extremely advantageous to *Sweden*; after which he married *Maria Eleonora*, Sister of the Elector of *Brandenburg* and soon after engaged *Sigismund King of Poland* who had designs by his

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Alliance with the House of *Austria*, on the Kingdom of *Sweden*; and had not the *English* and *Dutch* interposed, had vanquished *Poland*, with which he made peace on *Sigismund's* renouncing his Claim; after this being invited by the Protestants, he marched into *Germany* at the head of 20000 *Swedes*, being joined by the *English*, and in Contendency with *Lewis XIII. of France*; in this War he every where almost routed Count *Tilly*, and was too hard for *Wallestein*, till at the Battel of *Leipsick*, venturing too boldly, and too slenderly guarded, towards the Right Wing of his Army, the left being victorious, he fell into a Body of *Marcini's Curiaffers*, and was killed being 37 Years old; at that Age having shown himself the Greatest General of his time, by the Concession of Count *Wallestein* the Emperor's General.

Gustrow, a Saxon City in *Meckelbourg*, the Residence of the Duke of *Meckelbourg Swerin*, to whom 'twas adjudged by the Emperor in 1596. 'tis 6 or 7 L. from *Wismar*, and strongly fortified.

Guthier, (*James*) or *Gutherius* Advocate of the Parliament of *Paris*, made Citizen of *Rome*, with all his Posterity by the Senate of that City, for his 4 Books of the ancient *Roman Laws*, which privilege, by the Interest of *Mary de Medecis*, was confirmed by *Lewis XIII.* he was Author of several other Juridical Books.

Gutierrez, (*Juan*) a Spanish Physician, and a Spanish Lawyer who turned Divine, Author of 8 volumes in *Folio*, as the Physician was of several medicinal Tracts.

Gutenberg, (*John*) a German Knight, born in *Stratsbourg*, made a Burgess of *Mayence*, for introducing his noble Invention of Printing into that City.

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Guy-clift, on the River *Avon* near *Warwick*, in *Warwickshire*, supposed to be the Religious retreat of *Guy* Earl of *Warwick*.

Guzman, (*Ferdinand Nunez de*) a great *Spanish* Author of the *XVI. Cent.* whose Epitaph, by his own Order was *Maximum Vita Bonum, Mors.*

Guzurat, or the Kingdom of *Cambaya*, now Subject to the great *Mogul*; who being called in to support the lawful Prince against an Usurper, seized both the Country, and Prince: it's chief Cities are *Amadabat*, *Cambaya*, *Surat*, *Dio*, &c. *Amadabat*, is the Residence of the Vice-Roy of *Guzurat*, with a more Pompous Court than most of our *European* Sovereigns.

Gyac, a great Favourite of *Charles VII.* of *France*, whom the Duke of *Bretaigne* Constable of *France* caused, for his embezzling and diverting the publick Mony to his own private use, to be thrown into a River

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mander in *Sicily*, against *Demosthenes*, and *Nicias*; being entrusted with the Mony taken at *Athens* by *Lyfander*, he caused the Bags to be ripped at the bottom, and taking a Talent out of each delivered them to the *Ephori* very artificially sow'd up again: but his Servant on the Enquiry after the Mony, having said that under his Masters Room were abundance of *Owls*, the *Ephori* understanding that to be *Athenian* Mony stamped with the Figure of an *Owl*, on search found the Mony; *Gylippus* ashamed of the deed left *Lacedæmon*, and lived always afterwards in a voluntarie Banishment abroad.

Gymnosophists, *Indian* Philosophers, of which there were two Sects *Brachmans*, and *Serimans*; besides whom there were some that lived in Woods, termed thence *Hylabians*. They all maintained the Transmigration of Souls, and that Felicity consisted in consuming the Blas-

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Abakkuk, was one of the *Minor Prophets*, and his Name signifies a *Wrestler*; he Prophesied in the dayes of *Ma-* or in the Reign of his Son and foretold the overthrow *Jews* by the *Chaldeans*. The *ba* makes mention of another *kuk*, who fed *Daniel* in the Den.

it, an *African* Prov. of the *ez*, in length 100 m. and in 180. here were formerly fair Cities built by the *Rogths*, and *Moors*, but the hat now remaine are only *Ceuilla*, *Tetnan* and *Tangier*.

ert, a Family in *France*, re- ble for Learning, especially Persons of *Susanna Habert*, r Nephew the Bishop of *Va-* which last was pitch'd upon rdinal *Richelieu* to Confute *us*.

spurg, a Castle on the R. *Aar* *erzland*, which gave Title to nourable and Ancient Fami- he Counts of *Habsburg*, from e descended *Rodolph*, who e Foundation of the *Austrian* es, and was chosen Emp. 73.

ba, or *La Hacha*, a Prov. T. in Southern *America*, subject *Spaniards*; it is Rich in Salt- e, Veins of Gold, and Stones t Value, and Vertue.

bette (*Joan*) a Famous *French* nian, who living at *Beauvais* in e, when it was closely besieg'd

Burgundians, put her self at id of several resolute Towns- t, and with Stones and Artifi- s-works drove them from the and compell'd 'em to raise

the Siege. Her Picture was for the said Action set up in the Town- House, and the day is Annually Ce- lebrated by a Solemn Procession; in which the Women have the Pre- cedency.

Hackett, (*William*) an impudent Impostor in Q. *Eliz.* Reign, He was born of obscure Parents, at *Oundle* in *Northamptonshire*. But he Prodi- gally wasting the small Substance that was left to him, gave out that He was the Sovereign of all *Europe*; and the true *Messiah*, which toge- ther with a pretended Holiness, de- luded several Ignorant People; how- ever his Reign was but short, for being soon after taken and convic- ted of his said Treason and Blas- phemy, he most deservedly suffer'd at *Tyburn*, An. 1591.

Hackluit, (*Richard*) was a lear- ned Divine, a great Historian; and well skill'd in the Art of Navigati- on. He dy'd in the beginning o the Reign of K. *James I.* having first Publish'd a very extraordinary Collection of *English Sea Voyages*.

Haddon, (*Walter*) a Dr. of Law; Fam'd for his Eloquent Speaking, and his *Ciceronian* Writing, especi- ally in his Book against *Orosius*; he was Master of Requests in Q. *Eliza- beth's* Reign, and employ'd by her in several Embassies. Her Majesty being ask'd whom she thought the most Learned Man, *Haddon* or *Buchanan*? answered, *Buchannanum om- nibus antepono; Haddanum nemini Postpono.*

Hademar, a T. and Prin. of *Fran- conia* in *Germany*, it is about 4 Ls. from *Coblentz*, and belongs to the House of *Nassau*.

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Hadersleben, or *Hadersleben*, a B's. See and Sea-port T. of *Jutland* in *Denmark*; it lies against the Isle of *Funen*, near the *Balsick*; the *Swedes* have been twice Masters of it, and as often restor'd it upon a Peace.

Hadhranut, a T. and Pr. in the S. W. Parts of *Arabia Felix*, about 300 m. broad; it is naturally barren, yet it produces some *Aloes*, but not so good as those of *Socotora*.

Hadley, a Market T. in *Suffolk*, and a *Peculiar* of *Canterbury*, it is only remarkable for the Martyrdom of Dr. *Taylor* its Minister, who was burnt here for his Religion, in the Days of *Q. Mary*.

Hæmus, Mount *Hæmus*, a great Chain of Rocky Hills, reaching from the *Euxine* (or *black Sea*) to the Gulph of *Venice*, and so parting *Greece*, from the Countries that lie N. it was from hence that *Perseus* the last K. of *Macedon*, took a view of the adjacent Countries, in order to fortifie all the Passes against the

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Hagar, the Handmaid of *Sarah*, who was Wife to the Patriarch *Abraham*; she was the Mother of *Ishmael*, from whom sprung a like and Mighty People.

Haggai, the tenth of the 12 Prophets, and his Name signifies Joy. He began to Prophecy in the 2d. Year of that K. *Darius*, most of the Interpreters do to be the Son of *Hydaspes*, and he began his Reign, *An. M.* This Prophet was commanded by God, to stir up the *Jews* to rebuild their Temple, and the more to encourage them, he promis'd 'em the Glory of this latter House, should be greater than that of the former, which was verifi'd in the Event, it receiv'd by the Presence of the *Messiah*. For the second Temple was otherwise far inferior to the first both in Magnificence and Riches; it also wanted the Ark of the Covenant, the Ephod and Urim, which were the Ancients

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meet and consult together. The *Hollanders* would never fortify this Place, out of a vanity they have, of being Masters of the finest Village in all Christendom.

Hagenaw, the chief C. of the lower *Alsace*; it was Fortified, made Free and Imperial by *Frederick Barbarossa*, An. 1164. but by the Treaty of *Munster*, it was yielded to the *French*, who have ever since been in Possession thereof.

Haidites, a *Mahometan* sect, who believe that our *Saviour Christ* was eternal, that he assum'd a Body of Flesh, that he shall Reign 40 years on the Earth, before the end of the World, and that he shall judge the World at the last Day.

Hailbron, is an Imperial City of the Dukedom of *Wirtemberg* in *Swabia*, and signifies a spring of health, from the great number of Medicinal Springs that rise in and about it. This City stands upon the *Neckar*, about 8. L. from *Spire*, and was made Imperial An. 1240. by *Frederick II.*

Hainan, a famous Island near the Coasts of *China*, which abounds with Gold and Silver Mines, and vast quantities of Pearl, Ebony, Aquila, and Brazil wood, and Red Marble. There is also the Nut call'd *Iuca*, the biggest fruit in the World, which by reason of its Largeness, grows not on branches, but on the body of the Tree. But the wonder of all is the Plant *Chiang*, a foreteller of Storms by the knots on the Root of it. The Seamen counting the number and distance of the Tempests, by the number and distance of the knots on the Roots.

Hainault, a *Spanish* Prov. in the Low Countries, so call'd from the R. *Hain*. It is said to contain 24 walled Towns, and 950 Villages; among which are reckon'd 1 Principality, 10 Counties, 12 Peerages, 22 Baronies, and 26 Abbies; its chiefest Towns are *Mons*, *Acth*, *Valenciennes*,

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Landrecy, and *Philipville*, its Principal Rivers are the *Sambre*, the *Maine* and the *Dender*. This Prov. was at first under its own Counts or Earls, the last of which was dispossest'd by *Philip D. of Burgundy*, An. 1438. and so it became united to the rest of the Provinces; but the greatest part of it is now Subject to the *French*.

Hairetites, a *Mahometan* Sect, who doubt of every thing, saying, that Truth cannot be discern'd from Falshood, and that Demonstrations are useless. Their answer in controverted points is, *God knows it, to us 'tis unknown*; some *Musti's* have been of that opinion; for upon their signing Sentences, they have added, *God knows what is best.*

Halam, (*Robert*) an Eminent English Divine, who from Archdeacon of *Canterbury*, was made Bishop of *Salisbury*, and An. 1411 was created a Cardinal. He liv'd in the Reigns of *Hen. IV* and *V.* and was one of those who Represented the English Clergy, in the Councils of *Pisa* and *Constance*.

Halberstadt, a T. and Prin. in the Lower *Saxony*, about 8 L. W. of *Magdeburgh*, and as many S. of *Brunswick*. It was Imperial, till *Charles the great* granted it to its Bishop; since which it hath belong'd to the Dukes of *Brunswick*: But by the Treaty of *Munster*, it was assign'd to the Elector of *Brandenburgh*, with the Title of Prince of *Halberstadt*.

Hale, (*Sir Matth.*) was born at *Alderney* in *Gloucester-shire* An. 1609, and at the Age of 17 was sent to *Magdalen-Hall* in *Oxford*, from whence he came to *Lincolns-Inn*, where for several years together, he studied 16 hours a day, by which he attain'd to great knowledge, and that not only in the *Law*, but in *Divinity*, *Asthematicks*, *Natural Philosophy* and *Physick*. For he us'd to say, *that no man could be absolutely Master of any one Profession*,
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without having some skill in other Sciences: Oliver Cromwell made him one of the Justices of the Common Pleas; and K. Charles II. for his great integrity and profound skill in the Law, first prefer'd him to be Lord chief Baron of the Exchequer, and afterwards Lord chief Justice of the King's Bench, in which high station, he dy'd An: 1676. He was a man of quick Parts and lively apprehension, he had a great Memory, and a strong Judgment; he was moreover a true Pattern of honesty and humility; a Lover of goodness, and an exact supporter of Justice.

Halenberg, that part of Mount *Calenberg* which parts *Hungary* from *Styria* and *Carinthia*.

Halesworth, a T. in *Suffolk* which Trades in yarn, linnen, and sale-cloth.

Hali-bacha, the *Turkish* Admiral who An. 1571 fought the famous battel of *Lepanto*, in which himself was kill'd and his whole Fleet over-

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pure Latine and full stile, call'd him our English *Seneca*. He wrote several Treatises but was chiefly admir'd for his Meditations. His death happen'd An. 1636: and his Corps were bury'd at *Hybem* near *Norwich*. He had an opinion, that the best of God's Saints were not fit to be interr'd in a consecrated Church.

Hall, (*Peter*) a Divine, Lawyer, Philosopher, and good Lat. Poet, all which he profess'd at *Paris* with great success. He was likewise well vers'd in the *Greek* Tongue, and was made *Poet Laureate* to the King in 1645. He had many other Preterments, and died in 1689. He was Author of divers Books, besides Poetry.

Hall, a C. in *Misla* in the upper *Saxony*, so call'd from the salt springs with which it abounds. This C. was once Imperial and free, but is now Subject to the Elestor of *Brandenburg*.

Hall, a small Imperial and free C. of *Suabia* in the Dukedom of

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red upon the steep descent of an Hill, near the R. *Calder*. The Town contains about 12000 Inhabitants, who have by their industry in Clothing and other Manufactures, supply'd the barrenness of the Country wherein they dwell. The Honourable *Charles Montague*, was created Baron of the same by his late Majestie K. *William III.*

Hallifax, (*John*) of *Hallifax*, commonly call'd *de sacro Bosco*. He dy'd An. 1255. and was the prime Mathematician in his Age; for most students in *Astronomy*, do enter into that Art, thro' the door of his Book *de Sphæra*.

Hallöander, (*George*) a Learned Lawyer of *Misnia* in *Saxony*, who wrote 50 Books of the *Digests* or *Pandefts*.

Hallöix, (*Peter*) a Jesuit of *Liege*, in the XVIIth Century, who was Author of several Works in *Latine*.

Halydown, a T. upon the R. *Tine*, in *Northumberland*, where *Oswald* K. of that Country, after having call'd upon *Jesus Christ* for assistance, got an entire victory over *Edward* K. of the *Britains* An. 634.

Halys, a R. of *Lydia* in *Anatolia*, remarkable for the overthrow of *Cræsus*, who being deceived by the doubtful Oracle, pass'd over this R. against *Cyrus*, by whom he was defeated and depriv'd of his Kingdom.

Halyss, now *Alciops*, a R. of *Epirus*, where are to be seen a great many Monuments of Antiquity. Here the *Athenians* obtain'd a great Victory over the *Lacedæmonians*.

Ham, a small but a strong City upon the R. *Lippe* in *Westphalia*, 5 German m. from *Münster*, and 14 from *Cologne*; it belongs to the Elector of *Brandenburgh*, and is notwithstanding a *Hanse* T.

Hamadryades, the Nymphs of Trees, particularly of Oaks.

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Haman, a violent Persecuter of the *Jews*, and first minister of State to *Ahasuerus* K. of *Persia*; but *Q. Esther* being a *Jew* and very much belov'd by the K. her Husband, so wrought upon that Prince, that this Proud and cruel Favourite, was not only disgrac'd, but order'd to be hang'd, upon the same Gibbet which he had erected for *Mordecai* the *Jew*.

Hamath, a C. of the *Jews*, which belong'd to the Tribe of *Zabulon*; its being taken by the *Assyrians* caus'd *Sennacherib* to belch out that haughty question, *where are the Gods of Hamath?*

Hambelians, one of the 4 Sects of the ancient *Mahometans*, whose Opinion is at this day held among some of the *Arabians*.

Hamburg, is one of the most celebrated Cities in *Germany* for Trade, Wealth, number of People, and fine Buildings. It is seated upon the R. *Elbe*, near the borders of *Holstein*, in the lower *Saxony*, and is the 2d of the *Vandalick* *Hans-Towns*. Heretofore it was an Archbishop's see, but the Chair was remov'd to *Bremen*, An. 850, by *Augurinus* the B. of it, with the Consent of *Lewis* the Empr. *Waldemar* the K. of *Denmark* gave this C. An. 1203. to *Albertus Orlamund*, and he for a sum of money sold it to the Citizens, who have ever since been a free state, and are able to arm 15000 Men; yet they owe not their liberty so much to their own force, as the Jealousie of their Neighbours, whose interest it is to keep it an independent state. They embraced the Lutheran confession at the first Publishing of it, this C. boasts of a great many Curiosities, amongst which are the Town-house adorn'd with the Statues of 9 Worthies finely carv'd, the Exchange where the Merchants meet, and the Pulpit of St. *Catherine's* Church, which is made

was as good as Physick: that Bread being reckon'd costive, was but sparingly eat; and that their differences were ended sooner over a Pot, than by a tedious and expensive suit of Law. The present K. of Denmark's Father sat down before this place with an Army of 30000 Men, An. 1686. but the winter coming on, and the Neighbouring Princes espousing their cause, he was forc'd to raise the siege.

Hamelen, a C. of Germany, in the D. of *Brunswick*, in the lower *Saxony*; this C. is memorable for the great defeat which the Imperialists had there, An. 1633. They loosing 6000 on the Spot, in endeavouring to relieve the Place, then besieg'd by the *Swedes*, who were soon after Masters of it. But it is now under the D. of *Hannover*; it lies about 26 m. from *Hamburgh*, and 20 from *Bremen*.

Hamet-Ben-Abdala, a pretended Prophet of *Mahomet*, who taking up Arms against the K. of *Morocco*, overthrew him in a Pitch'd Battel, and seisd his K. But *Mulei Seidan* the said K. encountering him a 2d

wherein stood an old whom the Men and Women Promiscuously to resort in to pay their Devotions, being perform'd, and the C. tinguish'd, the Men lay first Woman they could c

Hannna, an old T. in *Tunis* in *Barbary*, though built by the *Romans*, it hath many of their infernal Marble.

Hammond, (*Henry*) a very ed Doctor of Divinity; he was at *Chertsey* in *Surrey*, and b at *Eaton*, from whence he went to *Oxford*; where by his great he became a fellow of *Christ-Church* College, *Canon* of *Christ-Church* University Orator; his most excellent *Annotations on the New Testament*, his *Practical Catechism*, *Sermons*, and other Treatises abundantly declare his great ledge in the Tongues, in all School-Divinity, and in Church history; he dy'd An. 1659.

Hampshire, or *Hants*, is one of our English Counties, whose Length 50 m. in Breadth

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4 Principal Rivers, viz. the *Yen*, the *Stower*, the *Tset* and the *bing*, all which abound with great variety of Fish; neither is its soil unproductive of Corn, Pasturage, Wood, and fruit. But it is chiefly famous for Honey, Wax, and Bacon, the trading commodities of this Country are Wool, Cloth, and Iron. The number of Members which it sends to the Parliament are 24, besides its 2 Knights. The Knights are at present *Tho. Jewoise Esq;* and *Rich. Chaudler Esq;*

Hampton-Court, a most Noble Palace in *Middlesex*, belonging to the King of *England*; it is situated near the *Thames*, about 10 m. from *London*, and was built in the Reign of *Hen. II.* by *Cardinal Woolsey*, who had there 280 Beds, most of their furniture being silk, for the entertainment of Strangers; it was lately the chief Residence of his Majesty *R. II.* who hath exceedingly beautified and adorn'd both the House and Gardens.

Hampton, (*Sir William*) was born at *inchen-Hampton* in *Gloucester-shire*, and being brought up a Fishmonger in *London*, became Lord Mayor thereof, *An. 1472.* He was the first that set up Stocks in every Ward, for the Punishment of Vagabonds.

Hanaw, a handsome and strong T. in *Franconia* in *Germany*, that gives the Title of a Count to a Prince of the Empire; it stands upon the *R. Elbe*, about 4 Leagues from *Frankfort.*

Hanchung, a large C. in *China*, famous for its wonderful Bridge, carried on in a Line over the Mountains from thence to *Sigan*, which is about 50 Leagues.

Hangcheu, the Metropolis of the Prov. of *Chekiang* in *China*, and sometimes the seat of the *Chinese* Emperors; this C. is full of Canals, whose water is very clear; and its Parks are so pleasantly checkered with Temples, Groves, Palaces, Gar-

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dens, Colleges and other Buildings, that the *Chinese* use it for a Proverb, *Look what the Hall or Presence Chamber is in Heaven, that Hangcheu is on earth.* Their Idol-Temples are many and very magnificent, to which belong about 15000 Priests; the *Jesuits* have also a very fine Church, and two Chappels in the Suburbs of this place. The Streets are adorn'd with such a number of Triumphal Arches, erected to the honour of its deserving Citizens, that in the great Piazza alone there are 300, each of 'em having 3 Arches, and for the most part 3 story high: In the middle of the C. is a mountain, whereon is plac'd a dial, which shews the time by help of a water hour-glass; and near the C. is the *R. Che*, famous for its Prodigious Tide, which happens precisely on the 18th day of every *October*, and surpasses all other Tides in the year, to the great astonishment of the Citizens, who come in crowds that day to behold it; neither is the Lake of *Cinking* less observable for its gilded fish call'd *Kinyu*, which tho they be no bigger than ones finger, yet the wealthy Inhabitants will give 3 Crowns a piece for 'em; which high price is given not only for their shining scales, that look as if they were powder'd with Gold dust, but for their diverting familiarity; for if you feed 'em, they'll seem so sensible of it, that they'll shew you 100 little tricks by way of return.

Hanging-stone, is a stone about a foot high, which is the boundary between *Comb Martin* and another Parish in *Devonshire*, and it is so call'd from an Accident which befell a Thief, who having stoln a sheep, sat down upon this stone to rest himself; but the sheep struggling, fell on the other side and hang'd him.

Hankford, (*Sir William*) was born at *Amerie* in *Devonshire*, who studying

ing the Law, he became so great a Proficient, that he was made Lord Chief Justice of the K's Bench by K. Hen. V. which high place he discharged with great integrity; but growing discontented, he order'd his Keeper to shoot any man, whom he should find in his Park, and stood not when spoken to, the next night being dark, he presents himself, and refusing to stand, the Keeper shot him dead, *An. 1422.*

Hannmer, (Meredith) D. D. who wrote an *Ephemeris* of the *Irish* Saints, and a Chronicle of that Country; he also translated the Ecclesiastical Histories of *Eusebius*, *Socrates*, and *Evagrius* into English; he died *An. 1604*, being then Treasurer of *Trinity-College* in *Dublin*.

Hannibal, the most renowned *Carthaginian* General, was son of *Amilcar*, who had so great an hatred to the Romans, that he caus'd his son *Hannibal*, when but 9 years of age, to swear upon the Altar,

consequence of which had been ruin of their Com. we. if *Hannibal* instead of Marching to *Capua* gone directly to *Rome*, so great their consternation at that. But this brave Soldier, as the Captain of his Horse told him, perfectly how to get a Victory. how to keep and improve it. now *Hannibal's* fortune began to change; for the Romans recovered themselves, Defeated him in divers Rencounters, as he theirs in several others. The actual success attended 'em. it was by the Senate of *Rome* recall'd out of *Italy*, to defend the Country than invaded by *Scipio*, being to the General satisfaction the Romans return'd to *Africa* camp'd near *Zama*, and *Scipio* far from him; but *Hannibal* observing the declining Estate of the Country at present, endeavour'd to procure a Peace, which not efflu'd a bloody Engagement ensu'd.

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pear'd by his being made Plenipotentiary for the K. of Denmark at Paris, where he dy'd, *An.* 1555.

Anthilianus, a K. of Cappadocia, Pontus, and Armenia the less; he was basely kill'd by *Constantinus* *An.* 337.

Hann, the name of several famous Carthaginians, one of which was so Ambitious of being thought a God, that he taught several Birds to say, *Hanno is a God*. But he letting them loose that they might teach others, lost his labour, for they being at liberty, betook themselves to their wild notes. There was also in the 11th Cent. an *Abp.* of Cologne of the same name. This *Hanno* caused the eyes of several Judges, who had pass'd an unjust Judgment upon a poor Woman, to be put out, but he left an eye to one of 'em, that he might see to guide the others home.

Hammer, a German C. of the Lower Saxony, in the Dukedom of Brunswick; it is situated upon the R. *Leine*, 15. from the E. of Brunswick, and is the usual Residence of the Duke of the same Name. The Families of *Hammer*, *Wylzebuttle*, *Lunenburg*, and *Zell*, are all of one Stock, viz. of the House of Brunswick, and descended from the Guelfs, and Henry the Lion.

Hanse-Towns, and *Imperial Cities*, are of three sort: 1. Such as are holden in Possession by some of the German Princes, by way of Inheritance. 2. Such as are call'd *Free Cities*; which acknowledging by a certain Tribute the Emperor's Authority, do notwithstanding in all other things, govern themselves by their own Laws; and are in number about 50: the chief of which are *Nuremberg*, *Augsburg*, *Spire*, and *Worms*. The 3d, are certain Towns in Germany, associated together for the sake of Trade, and are so termed from the word *Hanse*, which signifies an Alliance,

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or from *An-ze*, which signifies *near the Sea*. The C. of Bremen, in the lower Saxony, is reported to have been the first that mov'd the foundation of such a Confederacy, about the Year 1164: It is not known how many associated at first; but the preservation and increase of Trade seem'd hereby to promising, that several In-land Cities as well as Sea-ports in the Low Countries, in France, in Spain, in Portugal, in Italy, in England, and other parts, to the number of 72, came into the Alliance, which a great many of 'em afterwards quitted, when the Princes and States, under whose Dominion they liv'd, set up Companies, to promote and encourage the Trade of their respective Subjects. However, most of the German *Hanse-Towns* continued their Confederacy, and order'd that none should be admitted to associate for the future, but such as were situated in Germany, or had a dependence on the Empire; and so they redoub'd themselves under four Capital *Hanse Towns*, viz. *Lubeck*, *Cologne*, *Brunswick*, and *Dantzick*, of which *Lubeck* has the Precedency, being intrusted with the Treasure of the Society, and impower'd to call general Assemblies, which seldom meet above once in three Years. The *Hanse-Towns* at present are six Principal, viz. *Lubeck*, *Hamburg*, *Bremen*, *Rostock*, *Dantzick*, and *Cologne*; the others having little more than the name in the Alliance. When the 72 were Confederated, they had four general Staples for the Sale of their Merchandise, viz. *London* in England, *Bruges* in Flanders, (from which last it was carried to *Antwerp*, and thence to *Amsterdam*.) *Bergen* in Norway, and *Nauograd* in Russia; and they were so Powerful, that they made War upon several Princes, particularly upon *Waldemar* III. K. of Denmark,

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who they overthrew in a Sea-Fight, *An.* 1348.

Hantville, or *Hanwill*, (*John*) a Learned *English* Monk, who liv'd about the XIIIth. Cen. and wrote several Poems. He also wrote the *Antiquities of England* in IX Books, call'd *Architrenium*.

Haoaxus, a R. of *Africa*, which rising in the *Abyssine* Mountains, runs thro' that Empire, and makes it fruitful, as *Nile* does *Egypt*, and having run 600 m. falls into the *Sea*.

Haolone, a Prince of *Tartary*, who together with his Brother *Cublai* the great *Cham*, embraced the Christian Religion, *An.* 1256. He afterwards rais'd a mighty Army, with which he first over-ran the K. of *Persia*; and then possess'd himself of *Damascus*, *Aleppo*, and all the *Holy Land*, where he re-establish'd the Christians.

Haran, a C. of *Mesopotamia*, so call'd by *Terah* the Father of *Abra-*

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Harding, (*John*) Esq. liv'd in the Reign of K. *Edw.* IV. to whom he faithfully adher'd, and was of great Service to him, not only in his Prosperity but in his Distress. He was also as well addicted to Learning as Arms, for he wrote a Chronicle of the Kings in Verse, from *Brutus* to the said *Edw.* IV. in which he was accounted one of the best Poets of that Age. His greatest piece of Service was in venturing into *Scotland*, and bringing out of their Records many Old Letters and Treaties, which was a wonderful hazard of his Life, he brought to *England*; and from them compil'd an History of the several Solemn Submissions publickly made together with the Sacred Oath of Fealty, openly taken by some of the Kings of *Scotland*, to the Kings of *England*, since the Reign of *Ethelstan*.

Hardueing, (*Denys*) was a Learned Historian, and a confid-

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Fleet by the *English* and *Dutch*, under Admiral *Ruffel*, off *Cape Harfleur*, An. 1692. It is Situated at the mouth of the R. *Seine*, 2. L. from *Havre-de-Grace*.

Harlay, a most honourable and ancient Family in *France*, Noted, for having brought forth Men of great Courage and Parts, one of whom being sent by *Henry III.* to the Protestant Princes for 12000 Men, defeated the Duke of *Savoy*, who attempted to oppose their march.

Harleigh, or *Harlech-castle*, is a Noble structure of great Strength, in the Co. of *Merioneth* in N. Wales; and it is situated upon an Hill, near the Sea. The Constablenesship of this Castle, was granted by Queen *Elizabeth*, to *John Eyre* Esq. An. 1591. and he was succeeded therein, by his Grandson, *Charles Nicholas Eyre* Esq.

Harley, (*John*) was for his great Piety and Learning advanc'd to the Bishoprick of *Hereford*, by *Henry VIII.* and was one of the first that Preach'd up the Doctrine of the Reformation in the Reign of *Edward VI.* He was Born in *Buckinghamshire*, and brought up in *Magdalen-College* in *Oxford*.

Harley, (*Robert*) Esq. The Representative of the T. of *New Radnor*, in *Radnorshire*, and the Present Speaker of the Honourable House of Commons.

Harlingen, a Strong T. in *Westfrisia*, and is the next in order, and largeness to *Leeuwarden*. it stands at the entrance of the *Zuider-Zee*, and is under the United Provinces.

Harmonidas, the Trojan who built the Ships, which carried *Paris* into *Greece*.

Harnland, a Prov. of *Livonia* upon the Bay of *Finland*; its Chief C. is *Revel*.

Haro, (*Don Lewis de*) a Spanish Grandee, and one of the most respected Politicians of his Age. He was

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Nephew to *Gaspard*, Duke of *Oliva*, who dying without Issue, was succeeded in Honour, and Estate, by this great Minister. He was contemporary with Cardinal *Maxarine*, with whom he concluded the Treaty between *France*, and *Spain*, An. 1659.

Harold I. Surnamed *Harefoot*, succeeded his Father *Canutus*, in the English Throne, and was proclaimed K. at *Oxford*, An. 1038. But the Abp. the *Londoners*, and W. Saxons, declar'd themselves, for *Hardi-canute* the late Kings Son, by *Emma* his 2d Wife. However *Harold* having got the power in his own hands, and being possess'd of his Father's Treasure, secur'd to himself the Crown, and kept it, till his Death happen'd at *London*, or *Oxford*, in the 5th year of his Reign.

Harold II. the Son of *Earl Godwyn*, was Proclaim'd K. of *England*, the Day after the Death of *Edward the Confessor*, An. 1065. His Title was very uncertain, however the pressing necessity of those unsettl'd times, cast the Crown suddenly upon him, as the fittest man in the K. to wear it. But his Reign was short and full of Troubles; for his Brother *Tosti* soon after, being set on by the Duke of *Normandy*, and the Earl of *Flanders*, first attack'd the Isle of *Wight*, then the Coasts of *Kent*, and *Suffex*, and being beaten from thence, he procur'd *Harfager* K. of *Norway* to joyn with him, who accordingly entering the *Humber*, with a great Fleet of Ships, landed their Men and took *Tork* by Storm. But *Harold* having rais'd an Army, march'd against 'em with all speed, and the two Armies meeting, a Bloody Battle ensu'd, which at last ended in the the Slaughter of *Harfager* and *Tosti*, and the overthrow of their whole Force. In the mean time *William* Duke of *Normandy*, Pretending a Right to the Crown,

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Crown, by the last Will of *Edward* the Confessor, and by a Promise from *Harold* himself, came with 900 Sail of Ships to *Hastings*, in *Sussex*, where he landed an Army, on the 8th of Sept. *An. 1066.* *Harold*, hearing of this News, march'd with all speed into *Sussex*, and without staying for fresh Supplies, offer'd Battel to Duke *William*, who accepting thereof, a most Bloody and Obstinate and doubtfull Fight follow'd. But *Harold*, having for a long time maintain'd it, with unspeakable Courage, and being slain, with 60974 *English*, The Duke got an entire Victory, and with it, the Crown of *England*. The Body of *Harold*, after a long search was found, and at the Request of his Mother, leave was given to bury it in *Waltham-Abby*, which himself had founded. And thus ended the Line of the *Saxon* Kings, about 500 Years after their first coming.

Harpagus, the Chief Minister of

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requiring of the Gods to Die, She was changed into a Bird. Hereupon *Clymene* made a ray with himself. Another of this Name was Daughter of a K. of *Thrace*, whom she saved from being taken by *Achilles*'s Son. She was so swift, that she could not be taken, but at length was caught in a Net.

Harpalus, a very great Astronomer; he corrected the Cycle of 8 Years, which was invented to fix the Sun's Course to the Moon's: he liv'd about the LXXth. *Olympiad*.

Harpalus a *Macedonian*, one of *Alexander*'s Captains, whom, when Banished by his Father *Philip*, he recall'd and rewarded with divers Governments; but which he abused during *Alexander*'s absence in *India*, who at his return Punishing divers ill Governours, *Harpalus* fearing the like, rebell'd against his Master, which *Alexander* would not believe when told him, and had the Courier laid in Chains. At length

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Tree was usually Dedicated to him, for that its Fruit is like the Heart, and its Leaf like the Tongue. But some think the Story, is taken from *Harpocrates* a Greek Philosopher, who taught silence, and inveigh'd against freedom of Speech.

Harpsheld, (*John*) an Archdeacon of *Canterbury*, who was so zealous a Papist, that to support their Interest, he suffer'd 23 years imprisonment, under *Q. Eliz.* He wrote several Books, particularly an *History of England*, and an account of *Wickliff's Doctrines*.

Harrington, (*Sir John*) was born in *Somersetshire*, and brought up at *Cambridge*, where he became Master of *St. John's College*. He was one of the most ingenious Poets of his Age, Witness his facetious *Epigrams*, and his translation of *Orlando Furioso*, out of *Italian*: he died about 1612.

Harrist, (*Thomas*) was Born at *Oxford An. 1560.* where he also had his Education: he understood all sort of learning, especially the *Mathematicks*, in which he was the greatest Proficient of his time. and 'tis thought by many that the famous *des Cartes*, borrowed most of his Principles, from this illustrious Person: he died *An. 1621.* and had a Noble Monument erected for him, in the Church of *St. Chrystopher* at *London*, on which an Epitaph was put in his Praise.

Harrison, (*Thomas*) a person of poor extraction, but rais'd to a Major General, by the Parliament. He was one of *R. Charles I's* Judges, and Particularly Instrumental in drawing up the Sentence of Condemnation against him, for which Treasons, he was executed at *Charing-Cross*, *An. 1650.*

Hartford, the County T. of *Hartfordshire*, it stands upon the *R. Lea* or *Ligeon*. about 20 m. from *London*, and gives the Title of *Marquess* to the Duke of *Somerset*;

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in the year, 607, a Synod. was held here, in which *St. Austin* and the *British Bishops* had a Consultation: its present Members of Parliament, are *Charles Caesar Esq.* and *Richard Goulston Esq.*

Hartfordshire, is an inland Country, which hath *Cambridgeshire* and *Bedfordshire*, on the N. *Essex* on the E. *Middlesex* on the S. and *Buckinghamshire*, on the W. it is almost a square of 27 m. and may be call'd the Garden of *England* for delight, being bless'd with a sweet and wholesome Air, with Plenty of Fruit, Corn and Pasture, and with Variety of Parks, Woods, Groves, Rivers, Streams, and Pleasant Seats, which last are term'd *Buries* here, as in other Shires, *Courts*, *Places*, *Hills* and *Mannurs*. The whole is divided into 8 Hundreds, wherein are 120 Parishes, and 17 Market Towns, and it sends 4 Members to Parliament, besides the 2 Knights of the Shire, its present Knights are *Thomas Halley Esq.* and *Ralph Freeman jun. Esq.*

Hartland-Point, a famous Cape, on the Southern Sea, in the N. W. Parts of *Devonshire*; it shoots a great way into the Irish Seas, and makes a safe riding for Ships.

Hartman, (*George*) a great Mathematician, about the Year 1540 He invented the *Baculus Bombardicus*, or the *Baton de l'Artillerie*.

Hurvey, (*William*) a most learned *Engl. sh* Physician, as appears by his Books, *de Circulatione Sanguinis*, *de Generatione*, and *de Ovis*. He study'd several Years at *Caius College*, in *Cambridge*, and at *Padua*; at the first, of which he Commenc'd Doctor of Physick. But was afterward still'd the Doctor of *Physicians*, for his finding out the Circulation of the Blood: he was born at *Folklone in Kent*, and died at *London*, *An. 1557.*

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Harwich, a Noble Sea-port, Borough T. and Corporation in the County of *Essex*; it lies at the Mouth of the R. *Stour*, and is the readiest Passage for *Holland*. This Place was famous of old, for a Naval Victory obtain'd over the *Danes*, by the *English*, An. 884.

Hascora or *Escora*, a Prov. of the K. of *Morocco*, whose chiefe T. is *Elmadina*, otherwise called *Hascora*. This Country abounds with all sorts of Plenty, and its Inhabitants are more civiliz'd, than in other Parts of that K. it is also well stor'd with Honey, and hath some Iron Mines.

Hasel, a Bayliwick and Valley in *Bern* in *Switzerland*, which reacheth from the Lake of *Brientz*, to the Head of the R. *Aar*. Not far from it, is the Hill *Engstlen*, out of which rises a Spring, which is alwayes dry, but in *June*, *July* and *August*, at what time the Inhabitants turn their Cattle up to the Mountains.

Hassen Cheriff, a *Numidian*, who

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but this is now ruin'd, and instead of it, is plac'd a Light-House, for a Guide to Saylor: This and the other *Cinque-Ports*, were to send the K. 21 Ships, each of which was to have 21 tall Men, and they were oblig'd to appear upon 40 days Summons, and to serve 15 dayes at their own Charge; but if the K. detain'd em longer, he was to pay the Master and Constable 6 pence the day, and to each Mariner 3 pence. The Honourable *George Hastings*, Earl of *Huntingdon* is Baron of this place, which Title was given to Sir *William Hastings* by *Edward IV.*

Hastings, (*George*) the present Earl of *Huntingdon*, is the 8th of that name, from *George Lord Hastings* and *Hungerford*, who was made Earl of *Huntingdon*, An. 1529. by *Henry VIII.*

Hatfield, a Market T. in *Hartfordshire*, remarkable for the Noble House of the same name, formerly a

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ring him Cordials with her hand. He made his Sisters *William Newport*, who chang'd ne to *Hatton*, his Heir; but Failure of Issue Male by him, led the greatest part of his upon his God-son, *Christopher*, his nearest Kinsman of the line, who accordingly enjoy'd and from him is descended the Lord *Christopher Hatton*, who by *E. Charles II.* advanc'd to Dignity of a Viscount, and Governour of *Guernsey*.

Vana, a famous Sea-port in the *Cuba*, which is one of the great Islands in the Gulph of *V*, in the *W. Indies*; it is at the N. end of the Island, gainst the Cape of *Florida*, strongly Fortified. This is about to which all the Fleets direct their course; here land their *European* Commo-

and here again they take in ite, and other Riches of the *W. Indies*, in order to their portation to *Europe*; so that it of the most frequented Ports *W. Indies*. It was Surpriz'd under'd a few Years since by *Canoners*, with a small number ps, under *Spanish* Colours, moreover forc'd the Inhabito pay a vast Ransome, to pret from being Burnt.

Verill, a Market T. in *Suffolk*; near the head of the R. which divides *Suffolk* from

ilab, an Ancient T. of *Arabia*, which was the utmost Bounthe *Israelites* and *Analekites*, ls the Gulph of *Persia*.

na, a T. of *Arabia Felix*; it a-port, and stands on the sea. Not far from it is the ain of *Radua*, out of which the best Hones in the *Uni-*

re de Grace, a strong Sea- of *Normandy* in *France*, it

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stands upon the R. *Seine*, and hath a good Citadel, with four Bastions built by *Lewis XIII.* This place suffer'd very much by the *English Bombs*, An. 1694.

Haut-combe, a Vill. in *Savoy*, fam'd for a Spring, which dries up and runs again twice in an hour.

Hawkins, (Sir *John*) was born at *Plymouth*, and brought up to the Sea. He was the first *Englishman* that discover'd *Guinea* and *Hyspaniola*, and taught the way into those parts, where he did Q. *Eliz.* many considerable Services; as also on the *Spanish Armado*, in 1688, for which he was Knighted. He was 22 Years Treasurer of her Majesty's Navy, and 48 Years her Admiral, during which he made several discoveries of many Rivers, Islands, and Harbours, in the *W. Indies*. The *Chain-Pumps* for Ships were first invented by him.

Hawkwood, (Sir *John*) was the Son of a Tanner, at *Sible Heningham* in *Essex*. His Father bound him to a Taylor in *London*, but being Press'd from thence to the *French Wars*, in the Reign of *Edward III.* He behav'd himself so Gallantly, that he soon got a Company of Foot, and quickly after a Knight-hood. The War ending in *France*, he went to *Italy*, where with great Success, he serv'd first the *Marquess* of *Montferrat*, and then the Duke of *Milan*, whose Brother *Barnaby* had him in such Esteem, that he married him to his Daughter, the Lady *Domitia*; after which he went into the *Pope's* Service, and at last came to the C. and Free State of *Florence*; to whom he was of so great use during their Wars, that they Perpetuated his Memory, with a Statue of a Man at Arms, and Honour'd his Ashes with a Stately Monument. He died An. 1334, and when alive, was counted the best Soldier of his Age.

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Hay, (James) a Scotchman, who was made Earle of *Carlisle* by *R. James I.* History speaks loud of this Peer for his extravagant Entertainments, and his Luxurious way of Living: Particularly in his Empassy to *France*, where he most lavishly consum'd a prodigious Sum of Money, to Represent as was given out, the Wealth and Glory of the *English* Nation.

Hay, (John) a Scotch Jesuit, who had several disputes with, and wrote against the Protestants.

La Hay, a T. in Tourain in *France*; it stands upon the *R. Creuse*, about 26 m. from *Tours*. This place gave Birth to *Des Cartes*, the Famous Modern Philosopher.

Hayton, a K. of Armenia, who being driven out of his Kingdom by the *Saracens*, fled to *Cublay*, the Great *Chan* of *Tartary*; and having perswaded him to embrace Christianity, he procur'd from him so great Assistance, as he there-

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They have neither Physician, Apothecary, nor Chirurgeon; but Cure themselves by Gossicks and Fasting. Food is for the most part Flesh, believing it to be the most nourishing. They Flow with and their chiefest Weapon Darts, Daggers, Stings, and Cross-Bow.

Heaton, a T. situate upon a R. in the E. Riding of York, it hath a Market, and sendeth Members to the Parliament: now are *Sir Charles Duncan* and *Henry Guy, Esq;*

Heath, (Nicholas) was Born in *London*, and brought up in *Christ Church* College in *Cambridge*. *R. VIII.* first made him *Almoner*, then *Bishop of Ruthwell*, and *Bishop of Worcester*; but he was remov'd by *R. Edward VI.* and restor'd by *Q. Mary*, who afterwards advanc'd him to the Archbishopric of *York*, and made him

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Hebrew, the *Jews* Language till the *Babylonian Captivity*, when being forced to conform their Speech to the Dialect of their Masters, they came at last to speak a Composition of *Chaldean* and *Hebrew*, viz. *Chaldean* as to the main Body, but *Hebrew*, as to the Affixes, Points, and Conjugations, which is what we now call *Syriack*. The *Hebrew* Language is thought by some, to have been the first and only Speech in the World, and was the same which *Abraham* found in the Land of *Canaan*.

Hebrides, see the western Isles of *Scotland*.

Hebron, a City of *Palestine*, where *David* was anointed King over *Israel*, and where he kept his Court till his conquest of *Jerusalem*. This City belonged to the Tribe of *Judab*, but was purchased long before that by *Abraham* for a Burying-place, and in it were buried his Wife *Sarah*, and four of the Patriarchs.

Hebrus, a River of *Thrace*, which rises out of Mount *Rhodope* and falls into the *Ægean* Sea, now called the *Archipelago*. It is famed for having Gold among its Sands.

Hecale, an old Woman, who notwithstanding her great Poverty, entertained *Theseus* very liberally, and he in return dedicated a Festival to *Jupiter*, and called it *Hecalius*.

Hecate, a Goddess, the same as the Moon; she is fancied to have three heads, whence she has the Epithet of *Triceps* in *Ovid*; this Goddess is called *Luna* in Heaven, *Diana* on Earth, and *Hecate* or *Proserpina* in Hell.

Hecatomb, a Sacrifice of an hundred Oxen, which the *Lacedæmonians* yearly offered to their Gods for the 100 Towns, of which they were Masters.

Hecatomphonia, a Feast instituted

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by the *Messenians*, in which he that had killed 100 Enemies, offered up a living Man to *Jupiter*.

Hechen, a Caliph of the *Saracens*, and the XIVth Successor of *Mahomet*. He began his Reign An. 740: but the *Saracens* of *Egypt* and *Arabia* rebelling against him, deposed him, and set up *Marwan* the Governor of *Egypt*, who making a League with the Emperor *Constantine*, maintained himself in the Throne, and having by the help of *Constantine* defeated *Hechen*, he killed him, his Sons and all his Kindred, who he thought might disturb his Government.

Hecla, a burning Mountain in *Iseland*.

Hector, the Son of King *Priam* and *Hecuba*: he is famed for his gallant defence of *Troy*, insomuch that the Besieged would utter say that he alone was able to destroy the *Grecian* Army. But he was at last killed by *Achilles*, and most opprobriously dragged about the Walls.

Hecuba, the Daughter of *Dimas*, King of *Thrace*, and Queen to *Priam* King of *Troy*, when taken by the *Greeks*. She is reported by some to have been carried by *Ulysses* into his own Country, and there Stoned to Death; by others to have been turned into a Bitch, that raved about continually for her Misfortunes.

Hede, (*William*) he lived about the beginning of the 16th Cent. and was Dean of *Utrecht*, Ambassador from the Emperor *Maximilian III.* to several Courts, and Secretary of State to his Son *Philip I.* King of *Spain*. He wrote a Chronicle of *Holland*, another of the Bishops of *Utrecht*, and the Genealogy of *Charles Vth*.

Hedelin, (*Francis*) an Abbot of *Aubignac*, and mightily esteemed by Cardinal *Richelieu*. He applied his
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self to the Study of Dramatick Poetry, and wrote several Treatises, which proved him to be well learned, both in the Ancient and Modern Comedy; particularly his book *de la pratique du theatre*. He was born at Nemours, and died An. 1673.

Hedwige, the youngest Daughter of Lewis King of Hungary and Poland: Lewis, dying An. 1382. the Poles, offered the Sovereignty to *Hedwige*, who accepting thereof, was Crowned Queen of Poland, An. 1384. Soon after this, *Jagello* the Duke of Lithuania sent proposals of Marriage to her; but she refused to consent thereto, unless he would first embrace the Christian Religion. *Jagello* at last complied, and was Baptized by the name of *Uladislaus*, An. 1386. This done *Hedwige* married him, and he was Crowned King, by which the Dominions of Poland and Lithuania were united.

Heemskirk, (*James*) was born at

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ever since observed. He died An. 1574. There was another, of the same Name, Envoy of the States-General at Constantinople An. 1693.

Hegesias, a Philosopher of the Cyrenaick Order, who so artfully set forth the Miseries of humane Life, that many of his followers killed themselves. He was contemporary with *Plato*, and was the first who brought up the way of speaking, called the Asiatick Style.

Hegesippus, the name of several learned Men, whereof one wrote a Church-History from the Death of our Saviour, to the time of Pope *Anicetus*, An. 167. Another wrote the Wars of the Jews, and the Destruction of Jerusalem.

Hegesilaus, one of the Governours of Rhodes, after the Democracy was changed to Aristocracy. He was so great a Tyrant, that he would make nothing to lie with a Woman, and cause her Husband look on. His fellow Governours were as bad as

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Christ. This *Mahometan* Computation began, *An.* 617, for that Impostor having about that time made himself Master of *Medina*, and intending to do the same at *Mecca*, was so opposed by its Inhabitants, that he was forced to fly; and from this Flight begins their *Hegira*, which takes its Name from the *Arabick* word *Hegirathi*, signifying a Persecution about Religion; soon after this, *Mahomet* rallying his Forces, took the Place, and made it his chief Residence.

Heidanus, (Abraham) a Divinity Professor at *Leiden*; he was a great Chrony of *Des Cartes*, by whose help he finished a Book of Philosophy: He was Author of several other Tracts.

Heidelberg, the chief C. of the *Palatinate* of the *Rhine*, it stands in a Plain at the Foot of an Hill upon the R. *Neckar*. This C. is large and very Populous, and was the usual Seat of the *Electors*, who had here a Noble and Magnificent Castle, till destroyed in the late Wars by the *French*. The University of this Place, was formerly noted for many great Men, and had one of the best collected Libraries in *Europe*, till the Year 1622. when the C. was taken by the *Spaniards* and *Bavarians*, and the Library sent to *Rome*; in the *Swedish* War it was several times taken and re-taken, but was *An.* 1649, by the Treaty of *Munster*, restored to its right Master, since which it was taken *An.* 1695, by the *French*, under the Duke de *Lorge*, who most miserably sack'd and ruin'd it. Some believe it to be the *Budoris* of the Ancients; it is about 3 m. from *Spires*, and 10 from *Frankford*.

Hellsberg, a T. in *Regal Prussia*; it is seated on the R. *Allé* in *Warmerland*, the Bp. of which Prov. commonly resides in it.

Hein, (Peter) a Dutch-man of an

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obscure Birth, but by his Courage and Bravery, raised to be Admiral to the *States of Holland*, *An.* 1629. He defeated the *Spaniards* in several Engagements, in one of which he took from them, their Plate-Fleet, valued at above 12 Millions of *Livres*. He was at last killed in a Fight against some *Dunkirk* Vessels, and his Body being carried to *Delft*, was most magnificently interred.

Heinsius, (Daniel) and **Heinsius (Nicholas)** Father and Son, both Men of great Learning. The former was born at *Ghent*, *An.* 1580, and was deservedly raised to be Counsellor of State to the K. of *Sweden*, and to the Order of *St. Mark*, by the State of *Venice*. He wrote *Annotations on the New Testament*, *Poems*, *Satyr*s, and an *Encomium on the Afs*. The latter was an extraordinary *Latin* Poet, and particularly made it appear, by correcting *Virgil*, *Valerius Flaccus*, *Claudius* and *Ovid*, upon which last he made Notes. He died *An.* 1681.

Heiterstheim, is a T. of *Brisgow*, in *Suabia*, and the usual Seat of the Grand Prior of *Maltha* for *Germany*.

Helding, (Michael) a German, very eminent for Learning. He by the Order of *Charles V.* drew up the *Interim*, for which he was made Bp. of *Mersberg*. He was employed by the Emperour *Ferdinand* in several Negotiations, and made President and Governour of *Vienna*.

Helen, the Daughter of *Tyndarus*, and *Leda*, K. and Q. of *Lacedaemonia*, and Sister to *Castor* and *Pollux*. She was the most beautiful Woman in the World, and contended for by all the *Grecian* Princes; but married at last to *Menelaus* the K. of *Mycene's* Brother, who had not long enjoyed her, e'er *Paris* the Son of *K. Priam*, hearing of her Beauty, went to see her, and falling in love with

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her, stole her away, and carried her to *Troy*, which occasioned the final Destruction of that City, *A. M.* 2870. after which she went back to *Greece*; but *Menelaus* dying, she was banished by his Sons, and afterwards put to Death for her lewd and prostitute way of living.

Helen, the Daughter of *Coel R.* of *Colchester* in *Essex*, was Wife of the Emp. *Constantius Chlorus*, and Mother of *Constantine* the Great, the first Christian Emp. She having embraced the Christian Religion, built several Churches, Chappels and Schools. She also visited the holy Places; and, as is reported in *Salmasius's* Epistle concerning the Cross, did about the Year 325, find on Mount *Calvary* our Saviour's Cross, with all the Instruments of his Passion, for which the T. of *Colchester*, the Place of her Nativity, do give for its Arms a Cross engrailed between 4 Crowns. She died at *Rome* in the 80th Y. of her Age, *An.* 337.

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but he taking pity of her, turned her into a Confection, called the Great Bear.

Helicon, a Mountain of *Bœotia* in *Greece*, near to *Parnassus*, and dedicated also to the *Muses*.

Heliodorus, the Name of several famous Men; whereof one was General to *Seleucus Philopater R.* of *Syria*; a 2d was Bp. of *Tricca* in *Thessaly*, about the 4th Cent. a 3d was a Priest of *Antioch*, and wrote a Treatise *de Naturis rerum exordinalium*, and *de Virginitate*; a 4th wrote *de Sepulchris*; a 5th was a Poet, and is taken notice of by *Valsius*; a 6th was he whose Life was written by *Philostrophus*; a 7th was Secretary to the Emp. *Adrian*; an 8th was he who wrote to *St. Jerome* that curious Treatise of Solitude; a 9th was a great Mathematician, and wrote the Books *de Architectonica*, and *de Atheniensium Mathematicis*; a 10th wrote a Book of *Opticks*; and a 11th was a Stud

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get a Celestial Posterity: in fine, his Wickedness, Lewdness, and Debauchery grew to such Excess, that the Soldiers, not able longer to bear with him, murdered him and his Mother in the Camp, and after a thousand Indignities offered to their Bodies, threw them into the *Tiber*, An. 222. after a Reign of 3 Years and 9 Months, during which he endeavoured to establish a Senate of Ladies, to decide Controversies arising among Women.

Heliogabalus, an Idol of *Phœnicia*, which was worshipped as an Image of the Sun, by reason of the Variety of Shapes on it, said to be above human Art.

Heliopolis, an *Egyptian* C. about 6 m. from Grand *Cairo*, famous for its Balm, and a Temple dedicated to the Sun, in which a Looking-glass was so fixed, that it reflected the Sun-beams all over it. This Place was by some taken for the C. On, of which *Potiphar*, *Joseph's* Father-in-Law was Priest. There is also a T. of this Name in *Phœnicia*, and another in *Syria*. And there is moreover a T. in the Elect. of *Brandenburgh's* Territories, called *Salt-medel*, in Latin *Heliopolis*, where formerly an Image of the Sun was worshipped.

Helladius, the Name of 2 learned *Egyptians*, one of whom dwelt in the T. of *Antinous*, in the time of *Constantine* the Great, and wrote several Greek Poems. The other was of *Alexandria*, and set forth a Greek Dictionary.

Helle, the Daughter of *Nephele*, and the first Wife of *Athamas* K. of *Thebes*. She being threatened to be killed by his 2d Wife, fled from her; and attempting to cross the Sea upon a Rain, fell into it, and gave Name to the *Hellepont*.

Hellen, the Son of *Dencalion*, from whom the *Greeks* are by some called *Hellenists*.

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Hellenists, were *Jews* by Birth, but liv'd scattered about in most of the *Roman* Provinces: They were so called from their reading the Scripture in the *Septuagint* Translation, and performing their publick Offices in *Greek*, otherwise as strict in their Ceremonies as those of *Palestine*.

Hellepont, a narrow Arm of the Sea, betwixt *Europe* on the W. and *Asia* on the E. It is now called the Streights of the *Dardanelles*, or the Streights of *Gallipoli*, and is in length 25 m. and in breadth half a League. Here it was that *Xerxes*, the *Persian* K. attempted to invade *Greece*, with an Army of 2164710 Men; but his Fleet being shattered by the Bravery of the *Greeks*, and the Fury of the Sea, that mighty Monarch was glad at last to escape in a poor Fisher-boat.

Hell-kettles, are 3 very deep Pits at *Oxenhall* in *Durham*. They came by an Earthquake, An. 1179. Some say that *Tunstal* the Bp. of this Diocese threw a Goose which he had marked into one of these Pits, and that it came up again on the R. *Tees*.

Helmont, (*John Baptist*) was born at *Brussels*, An. 1588. and was so called from a Castle and Burrough of that Name in *Brabant*. He was a Person of Universal Learning, especially in *Physick*; by which he performed such wonderful Cures, that he was put into the Inquisition for a Conjuror; but having cleared himself, he retired into *Holland*, where he wrote his *Disputatio de magnetica corporum curatione, Febrium Doctrina inaudita, Ortus Medicinæ, Paradoxa de Aquis Spadanis*. He strongly opposed the Principles of *Aristotle* and *Galen*.

Helmsstadt, a small T. in *Germany*, which hath belonged to the D. of *Brunswick Wolfenbittel*, ever since 1490. it was purchased from the Ab-

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Abbot of *Werden*, and had an University founded in it, *An.* 1576.

Helmstadt, a strong Sea-port T. in the Prov. of *Holland* on the *Baltick*; it formerly belonged to the *Danes*, but was yielded up to the *Swedes*, *An.* 1645.

Helston, a Market T. in *Cornwall*, which sends 2 Members to the Parliament, who at present are the Hon. *Fra. Godolphin*, and *Sidney Godolphin*, Esqs;

Helwicus, (*Christopher*) a Person very learned in History, and Chronology, of which he wrote a compendious Treatise from the beginning of the World to the Y. 1666. since which it hath been continued down to the Y. 1688. by another hand.

Helvidius. was Patriarch of the *Antidica-Marianites*. He lived in the 3d Cent. and held that the *Virgin Mary*, had more Children than our Saviour by *Joseph*, and that a single Life was not to be preferred

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viz. *Zeland*, *Famen*, *Langland*, *Atten*, *Falsier*, *Laland*, and *Vemeren*.

Heniz, is a C. on the R. *Orontes* in *Syria*, and is called by the *Turks* *Haman*; it is an Arch-Bishop's See, under the Patriarch of *Antioch*, and was taken from the *Christians* about 160 Y. ago.

Heneage, an ancient Family, who have ever since *Edward I.* been possessed of *Hayton House*, which is at present enjoyed by *George Heneage*. Esq;

Hengist, one of the *Saxon* Generals, who being sent for over by *Vortigern*, K. of the *Britains*, to assist him against the *Scots*, and *Picts*, became afterwards K. of *Kent*. He had only at first the Isle of *Thanet* allotted for him, and his *Saxons*. But he having beaten the *Scots* and *Picts*, and perceiving the Country to be fruitful, and its People given to Ease and Luxury, invites others of his Country to come and share in his good Fortune. The *Saxons*

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unity to the enraged Britains
revenge on those that stayed
l. *Hengist* died An. 489.

neberg, a Prov. of *Francia*,
chief Towns are *München*,
Malcaid; it formerly gave Ti-
one of the most famous Earl-
in Germany, and was at last
into a Principality by *Maxi-*
II. it now belongs to the E-
of Saxony.

metes, a People of *Paphlagonia*,
whom the *Venetians* are origi-
descended.

nuy, (*John*) was Confessor
ry II. K. of France. He is re-
ble for being Bp. of *Lisieux*.
mandy, at the time of the
re, which he so vigorously
ed in his Diocese, that the K.
all the Orders for it, whereby
of the Protestants Lives were

oticon, was an Edict set forth
by the Emp. to unite the Ca-
ths and *Eutychians*. But Pope
II. was so offended at it, that
occasioned great trouble between
and the Emp.

ry I. Emp. of Germany, sur-
named the *Powerful*, was according
to Will of the Emp. *Conrade*, pro-
d K. of the *Romans*. Soon
the Pope profer'd his service
into and consecrate him Emp.

was not accepted; for he
red, That 'twas enough for him,
God's Providence, and the Voi-
ce of the Electoral Princes had made
up. and that he was well sa-
tisfied with the Honour already con-
ferred upon him, without going
for Consecration and Unction.
s a valiant and prudent Prin-
ce at composed most of the A-
cties of his own People, and
y defended them from the
Invasions of the *Hungarians*, and
Foreign Enemies. He was
first that instituted the Sports
and Turnaments; he for-

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tified the great Towns in Germany,
ordering that every 9th Bore should
remove his Family into a City. Ha-
ving overthrown the *Hungarians* at
a memorable Battle, and killed
80000 of them, he had the Title
of *Pater Patria*, *rerum Dominus* &
Imperator, given him. Afterwards
going into Italy, he died of an Apo-
plexy, An. 936, after he had reign-
ed 17 Years. He was Son of *Otto*
Duke of Saxony.

Henry II. Emp. of Germany, was
chosen when Duke of *Bavaria*; His
Piety, for which he was canonized,
got him the Title of *Abby*; and a
Misfortune by a Fall surnamed him
the *Lame*. He fought many great
Battles, and from most of them
came off Conqueror. The *Saracens*
were by him driven out of *Apulia*,
and *Calabria*. He is by some stiled
the *Apostle of Hungary*, because he
was the first that thoroughly conver-
ted that Nation: upon his Death-
bed, he is said to have returned
his Empress *Cunigunda* to her Friends
a pure Virgin; in which State, by
mutual Consent, they had both con-
tinued from the first Day of their
Marriage. He commanded the Gos-
pel to be read before the Creed;
and after a Reign of 22 Years, he
resigned up his Soul to Almighty
God.

Henry III. Emp. of Germany, was
elected An. 1039. The first War
he engaged himself in was against
the *Bohemians*, for refusing to pay
him Tribute. Afterwards he tur-
ned his Arms against the *Hungari-*
ans, and re-inthroned their King
Peter, who had been driven out of
his Kingdom for Tyranny, in the Y.
1046. He marched into Italy to
compose the Differences among
the three Popes, who were set
up by contrary Factions. But he
deposed them all, and made a 4th.
viz. *Clement II.* renewing the old
Law, wherein it was enacted, That

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no Pope should be created without the Consent of the Emperor. This Prince having reigned 17 Years, was choaked with a Piece of Bread. He was Son of *Conrad II.* and surnamed the *Black.*

Henry IV. Emp. of Germany, succeeded his Father *Henry III.* at six Years of Age. He is said, during his Reign, which lasted 30 Years, to have fought 62 great Battels; which are more than either *Marcus Marcellus*, *Julius Caesar*, or any other Roman General could ever boast of. Pope *Hildebrand*, who was called *Gregory VII.* forced this Prince, in the Depth of an hard Winter, to pass the *Alpes*, with his Empress and Son, and to cast themselves at the Pope's Feet, after they had waited 3 Days at the Pope's Gate in Penitential Habits, with their Heads uncovered, bare Feet, and without eating. After which the said Pope falling out again with the Emperor, excommunicated him, and stirring

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Henry V. Emp. of Germany, crowned *An. 1105.* at his Coronation, Part of his Sword was mowed with Lightning, but the Scabbard remained untouched. He was compelled to acknowledge the Pope's Supremacy, and to quit all Pretensions to the Power of Investiture, which his Ancestors had for a time challenged as their Right. Differences between him and contemporary Popes, were so frequent, that he was scarce ever free from Excommunications, and rebellions. He married *Maud* Daughter of *Henry I. K. of Eng.* and died of an Ulcer in his *An. 1125.*

Henry VI. Emp. of Germany, elected in the stead of his Father *Frederick Barbarossa*, though inferior to him in his Vertues. He was *Tancred* Prisoner in *Sicily*, where he was his Competitor for that Kingdom, and having put out his Eyes, was sent Prisoner to *Germany.* Pope

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him his Life, being poison'd, as is said, by a Dominican Friar with a consecrated Water, after he had reigned 4 Years.

Henry, Landgrave of *Hesse*, and *Thuringia*, was by the spiritual Electors, An. 1245 chosen Emp. in opposition to *Frederick II.* but was killed within 2 Years at the Siege of *Ulm*, and never reckoned among the Number of Emperours.

Henry, Emp. of *Constantinople*, was Brother to *Baldwin III.* first Emp. of the *Latins*; who being taken and imprisoned by the K. of *Bulgaria*, he took upon him the Government, and was crowned An. 1206. In his time the *Greeks* grown weary of the *Latins* rebelled, but he soon reduced them. He died An. 1216.

Henry I. K. of *England*, was the youngest Son of K. *William I.* but being at hand, and born in *England*, procured himself to be elected, and crowned K. within 4 Days after the Death of K. *William II.* it being industriously spread abroad that *Robert* his Eldest Brother, who was then in the *Holy Land*, was chosen K. of *Jerusalem*. In the first Exercise of his Government, he took all imaginable Care to sweeten the Subjection of his People, with great Moderation and Tenderness, by taking off all heavy Taxes, punishing evil Ministers, banishing dissolute Persons, restoring Lights in the Night, and setting up Night-watches, which have ever since been continued: but that which ingratiated him most of all, was his reviving the Laws of *Edward the Confessor*, and establishing other good Laws. And to render himself yet more popular, he marries *Maud*, Daughter of *Margaret*, Queen of *Scots*, who was Sister to *Edgar Atheling*, by whose Issue the *Saxon* and *Norman* Blood became united. In the mean time *Robert* hearing of his

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Brother's Death, returned to *Normandy*, and landing at *Portsmouth*, many of the *English* came to him. But the two Brothers coming to an Agreement, *Robert* went back to *Normandy*, where he had not been long, before new Troubles arose between him and his Brother. *Henry* hereupon landed with an Army in *Normandy*, and routing his Brother's Forces, took him Prisoner, and sent him to the Castle of *Cavendish* in *Wales*, where he continued all the Days of his Life. This K. in the 17th Year of his Reign assembled at *Salisbury*, the 3 Estates, who from that time took the Name of Parliament, according to the Custom of *Normandy*. He erected and endowed the Sees at *Carlisle*, and *Ely*. He built the Mannor of *Woodstock*, and the Abbey of *Reading*. His Death happened in *Normandy*, An. 1135. after he had reigned 35 Years. He had two Wives, the aforesaid *Maud*, and *Alice* of *Lorraine*; by this last he had no Children; but by the first, he had two Sons and one Daughter; his Sons were both drowned, and his Daughter married first to *Henry V.* Emp. of *Germany*, and afterwards to *Jeffery Plantagenet* Earl of *Anjou*. The King's Sons being drowned he sent for his Daughter, and caused the Lords and great Men to swear to be true to her, and her Heirs; but notwithstanding the Oath, his Nephew *Stephen* got the Crown. Parks were first enclosed in this K. *Henry's* Days.

Henry II. K. of *England*, was Son of *Jeffery Plantagenet*, and Maud the only Child of *Henry I.* He succeeded K. *Stephen*, and began his Reign in 1154; in his Person the *Saxon* and *Saxon* Blood were united, and the Race of *Plantagenets* first began. He became the greatest K. of all the then Christian World,

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for he was possessed of the Km of England, of Normandy, Anjou, Tourain and Main in his own Right, of Poitou, Saintonge, Guienne and Gascoigne, by his Marriage with Queen Eleanor, and of Ireland by Conquest. But he met with a very large share of Troubles from his Subjects, his own Sons, his Queen occasioned by Jealousie, the Welsh, the Scots, and from that proud Prelate *Thomas Becket*, whom he had raised from Arch-Deacon of *Canterbury*, to be A-Bp. All which he pretty well overcame, except that refractory Bp. who still persisting to oppose him, was at last by some of his Courtiers murdered, in his Cathedral Church of *Canterbury*, upon Christmas-day, An. 1170. The K. notwithstanding his Innocence of the Fact, was forced, to keep off the Thunder of Excommunication, to engage himself to be firm to the Pope; to grant that all Appeals in Ecclesiastical Causes, should be made

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mandy, Anjou, Poitou, Tourain and Main; but he answered, That having obtained them by the Sword, by the Sword he would keep them. However, Henry was so troublesome to the K. of France, that he obliged him to give 300000 l. for the quiet Possession thereof. Henry now, as his Father had done, re-assumes the Crown-Lands, which had been granted away by his Predecessors, and confirms *Magna Charta*, with a Curse against all infringers thereof. However, most Part of this King's Reign was spent in Troubles between him and his Barons, who, among other things, requiring that the Chancellor, the Treasurer, and the chief Justice should be chosen by the Lords, Civil Broyles ensued; and in a Flight near *Nottingham*, the K. was routed, and taken Prisoner by the Earl of *Leicester*, but in a second Battel the Earl was killed, and the King delivered. This Prince died An. 1272, after he had

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viz. *Henry, Thomas, John and Humphrey.*

Henry V. K. of England, succeeded his Father, *An. 1412.* and having discarded all the Companions of his youthful Follies; he became regular in his private Life, just in his Administration, courageous in the Field, and one of the greatest Ornaments of our *English* Nation. This Prince encouraged by the Clergy, revives the *English* Claim to the Crown of *France*, and landing in *Normandy*, marcheth to *Agencourt*, where he was necessitated with 15000 Men, to fight above 50000 *French*; but this handful of Men, behaved themselves so bravely under his wife Conduct, that they obtained a compleat Victory, and in a little time conquered all *Normandy*. *Henry*, after this, brought *Ch. VI.* the then King of *France* to that Extremity, that he gave *Henry* his Daughter *Catharine* in Marriage, made him Regent of *France* during his Life, and Heir after his Death, all which was solemnly sworn to, by the Nobles and States of that Kingdom at *Paris*. The K. having espoused his beloved Princess *Catharine*, constituted his Brother *Thomas*, Lieutenant-General of *France*, and carried his beautiful Queen into *England*. But he had not been long there, before new Troubles, stirred up by the *Dauphine*, who was afterwards *Charles VII.* obliged him to return to *France*, where, in a little time, he was taken ill of a violent Fever, of which he died, at *Bois St. Vincennes*, after he had reigned 9 Years. He left only one Son, who was very young, and was called *Henry of Windsor*.

Henry VI. K. of England, succeeded his Father, when but 8 Months old. His Guardians and Regents behaved themselves so well in their several Trusts, as redounded great-

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ly to their own Reputation, and the Peoples Satisfaction. Yet this K. notwithstanding, proved a very unfortunate Prince, both at home and abroad: for *Charles VI. K. of France* dying soon after, *Henry V.* the *Dauphin* caused himself to be crowned at *Poitiers*, by the Name of *Charles VII.* but he having only the Provinces on the other side of the *Loire*, was called in Derision K. of *Bourges*, the Capital of the Prov. of *Berry*, where he usually resided. However, the *English* were successful till the Siege of *Orleanse*, *An. 1429.* and indeed all the Hopes of the *French* K. depended on the Relief of that City then closely besieged by the Earl of *Salisbury*, which was effected, with the Death of the said Earl, by *Joan the Shepherdesse*, who was afterwards taken by the *English*, and burnt for a Witch. The young K. *Henry's* Presence being thought necessary in *France*, he landed there, the Year after the Siege of *Orleanse*; and being solemnly crowned at *Paris*, the *English* Affairs in that Kingdom, seemed to look with a pretty good Aspect, till *An. 1435.* when the Duke of *Burgundy* deserted to the *French*, the brave Earl of *Arundel* was killed, and the Renowned, Wife, and Valiant Regent, *John* Duke of *Bedford* died. After which the *English* Interest declined so fast in *France*, that *An. 1451.* they had little left besides *Calais*, and some small Isles. But these Misfortunes of the *English* in *France*, are chiefly attributed to their Discords and Broils at home, occasioned originally from the easie Temper of the King, and the high Spirit of the Queen, together with the Murder of *Humphrey* Duke of *Gloucester*, the King's Uncle. And now begins the bloody Wars between, the Houses of *York* and *Lancaster*; for *Richard* Duke of

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York, taking advantage of the popular Discontents, lays claim to the Crown, as descended from *Lionel*, third Son of *Edward III.* and having raised an Army, defeats the King at *St. Albans*, takes him Prisoner, and is by the Parliament made Protector of the Kingdom, and his Confident, the Earl of *Salisbury*, is made Lord Chancellor. The Queen not liking to be, in a manner, thus laid aside, stirs up the good natured King, makes head against the Duke, and is again routed; but in a third Battel the *Yorkists* are beaten, whereupon a Parliament is called, and the Duke and his Adherents are attained of Treason. The Duke, after this, getting together another Army, a bloody Fight ensued, in which the King was worsted, and taken Prisoner a second time. The Scene being now changed, *Richard* calls a Parliament, sets forth his Title, and is proclaimed Heir Apparent to *K. Henry*. But the haugh-

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Duke of *Glooucester*, An. 1460. After he had lived in a troublesome Reign of 38 Years. He had one Son, who was also murdered by the said Duke.

Henry VII. K. of England, succeeded *K. Richard III.* whom he had defeated and killed at *Bosworth Field*. He claimed the Crown, as being of the House of *Lancaster*, by his Mother *Margaret*, Countess of *Richmond*, who was Daughter and Heir to *John Duke of Somerset*, a Grandson of *John of Gaunt Duke of Lancaster*, which House he moreover, united to that of *York*, by marrying *Elizabeth*, Eldest Daughter of *K. Edward IV.* But his Reign however was disturbed with several Insurrections and Tumults; one of the Chief of which, was that under *Lambert Simnel*, a Baker's Son, who tutored by a Priest, pretended himself to be *Richard Duke of York*, *Edward VI's* Brother, or as some say, *Edward Earl of Warwick*, Son

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only one Son and two Daughters, the Eldest of which he married to *James IV. K. of Scotland*, and the Younger to *Lewis XII. K. of France*.

Henry VIII. K. of England, succeeded his Father *Henry VII.* He reigned for several Years to the great Content and Applause of all his Subjects, but became at last the most absolute and arbitrary Prince that ever sat on the *English Throne*, since *William the Conquerour*; for Passion and Pleasure getting the Dominion over him, totally eclips'd his former Virtues; it being truly said of him, *That he never spared Man in his Rage, nor Woman in his Lust.* He maintained a War against *France*, and *Scotland*, at the same time, and came off victorious in both. He afterwards wrote a Book against *Luther*, the German Reformer, for which the Pope gave him the Title of *Defender of the Faith*, which hath been since made hereditary to the succeeding Kings of *England*. And now having a desire to be divorced from Queen *Catharine*, who was married first to his Eldest Brother *Arthur*, he solicited the Pope to annul the Marriage; but his Holiness fearing the Power of *Spain*, refused to do it; wherefore the King, by Act of Parliament, abrogates the Pope's Authority, dissolves the Monasteries, and is himself declared Supreme Head of the Church in *England*, and so the Reformation began in this Kingdom, which was improved in the Reign of *Edward VI.* and settled in *Queen Elizabeth's*. Several Rebellions happened hereupon, but were all happily suppressed. Also a second War broke out against *France*, and *Scotland*, but the King was successful in both. He erected six new Bishopricks, viz. *Oxford*, *Peterborough*, *Bristol*, *Chester*, *Gloucester*, and *Westminster*; all which, except the last,

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continue Episcopal Sees to this day. *Wales* was in this King's days incorporated to *England*, and *Ireland* was made a Kingdom. He died An. 1547, after he had reigned 38 Years. He had 6 Wives, by whom he left one Son and two Daughters. His Reign was unfortunate to his Queens, fatal to his Favourites, especially to *Woolsey*, *Cromwell* and *Moor*, and cruel both to rigid Papists and Anti-Papists.

Henry I. K. of France, succeeded his Father *Robert*, An. 1031. His younger Brother *Robert*, attempted by the Assistance of his Mother to get the Crown; but was disappointed, and forced to accept of the Dukedom of *Burgundy*. He died of a Fever, after he had reigned 29 Years.

Henry II. K. of France, succeeded his Father *Francis I.* An. 1547. He took *Metz*, *Toul*, and *Verdun* from the *Germans*; as also *Bulogne*, and *Calais* from the *English*. But he lost the Battel of *St. Quintin* to the *Spaniards*, who soon after routed his Forces at *Gravelin*. However he was afterwards victorious, yet nevertheless was obliged upon a Peace to surrender up 198 Places to his Enemies. This Prince was killed in Tournament, after he had reigned 11 Years. He left 3 Sons, who were all Kings of *France* successively, viz. *Francis II.* *Charles IX.* and *Henry III.*

Henry III. K. of France, was chosen K. of *Poland*, An. 1573. But his Brother *Charles IX. K. of France* dying within three Months afterwards, he privately withdrew from *Poland*, and returned to *France*, where he was crowned King. This Prince was embroiled with two Potent Factions, viz. that of the *Hugonots*, headed by the K. of *Navarre*, and the other of the *League*, under the Duke of *Guise*. But the head

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of the latter, having contrived several Plots against his Sovereign's Life, was at last, under Pretence of a Treaty, murdered with his Cardinal Brother, at *Blois*, in that very Room, where he had before consulted the *Parisian* Massacre. The King after this was forced to make Peace with the *Hugonots*, who joining his Army, laid Siege to *Paris*; which with several other Places had declared for the League, now commanded by the Duke of *Mayenne*, third Brother to the Duke of *Guise*. But whilst the Kings of *France* and *Navarre*, were carrying on the Siege, *James Clement*, a Dominican, delivered K. *Henry* a Letter, and as he was reading it, stabbed him with a Knife in the Belly, of which he died the next day, after he had reigned 15 Years. He having no Issue, declared the K. of *Navarre* his Successor.

Henry IV. K. of France, succeeded *Henry III.* and was the first of

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was *Margaret de Valois, Henry's* Daughter, who was divorced by Barrenness. The second was *Antoinette de Medici*, by whom he had three Sons and three Daughters. He was at last stabbed with a Knife, by the Monster *Ravillac*, as he was riding in his Coach in *Paris*. This happened after he had reigned 40 Years, the Ten last of which he lived in Peace.

Henry, Duke of *Carinthia*, and King of *Bohemia*, was deposed by his Subjects, *An. 1320.*

Henry I. K. of Castile, was killed *An. 1217*, by a Fall of a Tile from a House, after he had reigned thirty Years.

Henry II. K. of Castile, was a natural Son of *Alphonso XI.* But heading the *Castilians* against the tyrannical and cruel K. *Peter*, was so successful as to defeat and kill him; whereby he got the Crown, which he enjoyed till the Year 1377, when he died, having reigned about

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Henry K. of Cyprus, died *An. 1253*, of a Fall from a Window.

Henry I. K. of Navarre, was choaked with his own Fat, *An. 1274*.

Henry II. K. of Navarre, succeeded his Father, *An. 1516*. He married *Margaret of Orleans*, Sister to *Francis I. K. of France*. He had Issue by her, *John*, who died young, and *Jane* Queen of *Navarre*, who married *Anthony of Bourbon*, by whom she had *Henry the Great of France*.

Henry III. K. of Navarre, and the IVth of *France*.

Henry of Burgundy, by the Assistance of *Alphonfus K. of Castile*, conquered *Portugal* from the *Moors*, *An. 1096*. He was afterwards Earl thereof, and was succeeded *An. 1139* by his Son *Alphonfus*, who was the second Earl, and the first K. of *Portugal*.

Henry K. of Portugal, succeeded his Nephew *Sebastian*, who was *An. 1578*. killed or taken Prisoner in *Africa*. He died after he had reigned about 2 Years.

Henry I. of Bourbon, Prince of *Conde*, Duke of *Anguien*, and Peer of *France*. He became a valiant Champion for the reformed Religion, particularly at the Battel of *Courtray*. He was poisoned *An. 1588*.

Henry II. of Bourbon, Prince of *Conde*, Duke of *Anguien*, Peer of *France*, and first Prince of the Blood. He was Son of *Henry I. of Bourbon*, but was by *Henry IV.* brought up a *Roman Catholick*. The Queen Regent, during the Minority of *Louis XIV.* made him president of the Council. He died *An. 1646*.

Henry I. of Lorrain, Duke of *Buise*, and Governour of *Brie* and *Champaigne*, was born in 1550, and was the handsomest Prince of his time. Neither is he less remarkable for his Courage, which he so

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often signalized, both against the *Turks* in *Hungary*, and the *Hugonots* in *France*. But his Ambition at last proved his Ruine: for having formed that powerful Faction, called the *League* against *Henry III.* He was by the said King's Order, under Colour of a Treaty murdered at *Blois*; a just Reward for his being one of the bloody Contrivers of the Massacre of *St Bartholomew*.

Henry II. of Lorrain, Duke of *Guise*, was first an Abbot, then Abp. of *Rheims*: but at last betaking himself to a Military Life, he headed the rebellious *Neapolitans* against the K. of *Spain*, *An. 1647*. He died without Issue *An. 1654*.

Henry of Lorrain, Duke of *Elbeuse*, and Earl of *Harcourt*. He acquired great Reputation in the Wars, particularly at the Siege of *Turin*, *An. 1640*, where his Army being reduced to great Necessity, he was advised to raise the Siege; but he answered, That he would not do it, till his Horses had eat up all the Forrage of the Country, and his Soldiers his Horses. So that he obliged them at last to surrender. He was afterwards Vice-Roy of *Catalonia*.

Henry Duke of Lorrain, succeeded his Father *Charles II.* He married *Catharine*, the Sister of *Henry IV. K. of France*.

Henry X. Duke of Bavaria, and second of *Saxony*: he was surnamed the *Lion*, and was for Power one of the greatest Princes of his time. But he taking part with Pope *Alexander III.* against the Emperour *Frederick Barbarossa*, was by him *An. 1180* proscribed, and deprived of the Dukedoms of *Bavaria*, and *Saxony*. He fled afterwards to *Henry II. K. of England*, his Father-in-Law, who procured him the Dukedoms of *Lunenburg* and *Brünswick*.

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Henry II. of Savoy, Duke of Nemours, &c. He was designed for the Church, nominated Abp. of Rheims, and acknowledged Duke and Prince of France; but after his Brother's Death he married *Mary of Orleans*, yet died without Issue.

Henry, youngest Son to Charles I. was born An. 1640, and created Duke of Gloucester. He was a Prince of great Courage, and good Parts, but was cut off by the Small-pox soon after the Restauration of *Charles II.*

Henry, Baron of Raleigh in Essex, was hereditary Standard-bearer of England, but was deprived of that, and of his Estate for his Cowardise at *Coleshill* Battel, which was fought between the *Welsh* and the *English*, to disadvantage of the latter, in the Reign of *K. Henry II.*

Henry of Huntingdon, lived in the Reign of *K. Stephen*, and was the most celebrated Historian of his time. He wrote a *Continuation of Bede and the History of England*

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Divine; he wrote a great learned Books about the Age.

Henry of Piro, lived about XVth Cent. and was one of the greatest Lawyers of his time.

Hepburn, (James) Earl of well in Scotland. He married *ry Q. of Scots*; before which, he had been tried for the Murther of his former Husband, *Henry Lord Ley*, and acquitted: Yet made out to be the sober and thinking sort, and thought him guilty. He afterwards endeavoured to possess himself of the young Prince *James*: but several of the Nobility opposing him, associated together and raised a my. The Queen also levies an Army, and with *Bothwell* takes the field, where a single Duel was offered between *Bothwell* to decide the Controversie, and accepted: But the Queen would not permit it. However *Bothwell* finding the Queen's Cause very cool in her Cause, shut himself up in his Castle.

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till *Constantinople* was built by *Constantine*, and made the Imperial City which was in the IVth Cent. Another T. of this Name in *Romania*, was formerly in great esteem among the *Romans*, being beautified with the Palaces of *Vespasian*, *Domitian*, and *Antoninus*; as also an *Amphitheatre* cut out of one entire Marble, and accounted one of the World's 7 Wonders. This has still a good Harbour, and one of the best Cathedrals in *Turkey*, and a great many broken Marble Antiquities. There have been heretofore several Cities of the same Name in *Greece*, *Egypt* and *Italy*.

Heracleon, or *Heracleotes* (*Denis*) a Scholar of *Valentine*, who held that anointing the Dead, mitigated their Pains.

Heracleopolites, Kings of *Sethrin*, called by the *Grecians* *Heracleopolis*, in the lower *Egypt*.

Heraclian, Governour of *Africa*, under *Honorius* Emp. of the East, who also made him Consul. He afterwards rebelled, but was soon subdued and killed.

Heraclide, the Posterity of *Hercules*, who lived in *Peloponnesus*. One of the most famous *Grecian Epochas*, is dated from their Return to that Country, after they had been driven from thence, 100 Years.

Heracledes, a Ep. of *Ephesus*, who was deposed for *Origenism*, An. 404. He wrote the *Lives of the Holy Fathers*.

Heracledes, a learned Philosopher, who is said to have wrote the *Allegories on Homer*, and many other Looks.

Heraclitus, a Philosopher, called the *Obscure*. He held that all things were made of Fire, and at last resolved into it; that every thing is full of Spirits; and that whatsoever happens, is brought about by di-

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vers Changes. He always wept at the Miseries of the World, and Follies of mortal Men: Asserting, *That the Pleasures which Men enjoy, are nothing but Grief, their Knowledge Ignorance, their Grandure Meanness, and their Strength Infirmary*. He lived about 500 Years before the Birth of *Christ*. There was also another *Heraclitus*, who wrote a Treatise of Stones.

Heraclius, Emp. of the East. He was crowned An. 610, having first routed, and put to death, the Tyrant *Phocas*. *Chosroes* II. K. of *Persia*, took from him *Cappadocia*, *Armenia*, *Palestine*, *Jerusalem*, the real Cross of *Christ*, and several *Christian* Captives. But he raising an Army by the help of the Church-Reverents, overthrew the *Persians* in several Battels, and at last forced them to a Peace; whereby among other things, the Cross was restored, which the Emp. himself carried into *Jerusalem*; and this was the occasion of the Feast of the *Exaltation of the Cross*. There was another *Heraclius*, who was Brother and Co-partner to the Emp. *Constantine* IV.

Heralds, are Officers belonging to the King, Queen or Sovereign State, whose Business is to marshal and order Coronations, Marriages, Christenings, Funerals, Interviews, Feasts of Kings and Princes, Cavalcades, Jests, Tournaments, Combats before the Constable, and Marshal. They also take care of the Coats of Arms, of the Genealogies of the Nobility, and Gentry, and whatsoever concerns Honour. For they are *Tanquam Sacrorum Custodes, & Templi Honoris Astitui*. They moreover proclaim War and Peace, and are perhaps named *Heralds*, from the *German Here*, and *Healt*; which is the Armies Champion, and is the same with the *Roman* *Feciales*. They were

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Henry II. of Savoy, Duke of Nemours, &c. He was designed for the Church, nominated Abp. of Rheims, and acknowledged Duke and Prince of France; but after his Brother's Death he married Mary of Orleans, yet died without Issue.

Henry, youngest Son to Charles I. was born An. 1640, and created Duke of Gloucester. He was a Prince of great Courage, and good Parts but was cut off by the Small-pox after the Restoration of Charles II.

Henry, Baron of Raleigh was hereditary Standard-bearer of England, but was deposed by Duke of Northumberland and of his Estate was divided at Coleshill between the lower Nobility, the Knights, Esqs; and the South-side of the River.

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himself in all sorts of Learning. He was made a Knight of the Bath by K. James I. who also sent him an Embassy to France: afterwards for his wife's faithful Services to K. James he was made a Baron of Cheshire. He wrote *De Errorum*, which was printed at Rome, and in 1600 the Life of Cardinal others of the same name. He was a Baron of Cheshire-Patents, 6. of Wil-
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Herbert, (Thomas) the present Earl of Pembroke, is descended from the Eldest Son of William, Earl of Pembroke, who died An. 1559, and is a Person of great Experience, Parts and Learning. He was by his late Majesty K. William III. made Lord Privy-Seal, then, President of the Privy-Council, one of the Knights of the Garter, at last Lord High Admiral of England.

Herbert, (William) the late Marquess of Powis, descended from Sir Edward Herbert, the second Son of William Earl of Pembroke, who died An. 1569. He was by K. Charles II. created an Earl; and by K. James II. a Marquiss here in England, and a Duke in France.

Herborn, a small T. in the County of Nassau, in Weteravia, or Westphalia, on the Upper Rhine, it belongs to the Counts of Nassau, and hath an University, founded by John Count Dillembourg, An. 1585.

Hercules, there have been many of this Name, but the most famous of all was the Son of Jupiter, and Alcmena, the Wife of Amphitryon; for being but in the Cradle he tore in Pieces two Serpents, which Ju-

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no out of Jealousie to his Mother, had sent to destroy him. And to him are ascribed not only the brave Actions of all the other Hercules's, but of many other ancient and illustrious Heroes. He, by the Command of Euristheus, K. of Mycenæ, who thereby designed his Destruction, slew first the Nemean Lion, whose Skin he ever afterwards wore; 2dly, he overcame the Monster Hydra, which had 7 Heads; 3dly, he slew the wild Boar of Erymanthus, which wasted Arcadia; 4thly, he destroyed the Centaures; 5thly, he took an Hind on Foot, after he had pursued her one whole Year; 6thly, he chased away the voracious Birds of Stymphalus's Lake; 7thly, he cleansed Augæus's Stables; 8thly, he caused Diomedes K. of Thrace to be eaten, by his own Man-eating Horses; 9thly, he destroyed the Cretan Bull, which vomited Fire; 10thly, he overcame the Spanish Geryon, and carried away his Cattel; 11thly, he took the Golden Apples from the Garden of the Hesperides, and slew the Dragon that guarded them; 12thly, he went to Hell, and brought from thence the Dog Cerberus; as also Theseus, who was gone thither to keep company with his Friend Pirithous. Many other Performances both of Courage and Justice, are said to have been done by him; as his crushing to Death Antæus, the Son of the Earth; his killing of Busiris, the Son of Neptune, and Cæus, the Son of Vulcan; his delivering Prometheus from Mount Caucasus, and killing the Eagle, which preyed upon his Liver; with divers other Achievements; in all which he made use of no other Weapon, but a Club made of an Olive-tree. This great Man, after all, became a Slave to Women; the chief of whom was Omphale, Queen of Lybia, who would
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make him spin, and beat him with the Distaff. He at last ended his Life on Mount *Oeta*: for having put on a poisoned Shirt through a Mistake of his Wife *Deianira*, he became so distracted, that he cast himself into a burning Pile of Wood, where he was consumed; after which he was taken into Heaven, and married to *Hebe*, the Goddess of Youth. The Fable of which was thus moralized. By *Hercules* was understood the Strength and Reason of Philosophy, which subdues and keeps under our unruly Passions; and by his Marriage with *Hebe*, was intimated that the Memory of Men of Courage, and Learning, was always fresh and fragrant.

Heredia, the 32^d great Master of *St. John of Jerusalem*, who being as well a Politician as a Soldier, was sent by Pope *Gregory XI.* to mediate betwixt *Edward III. R. of England*, and the *R. of France*, when they were about to begin the Bar-

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the *W.* it hath 11 Hundreds, 17⁸ Parishes, and 8 Market Towns; and contains in length 35 m. in breadth 20, it exceeds other Countries in plenty of Fruit, and fineness of Wool, particularly the Wool called *Lemster Ore*, which is the finest in *England*, and equals that of *Apulia* in *Italy*; it is moreover very healthy, which *Serjeant Harkins* made appear, when he entertained King *James I.* with 10 *Morrice-Dancers*, who made up 1000 Years. This County sends 6 Members to the Parliament, besides the two Knights of the Shire, who at present are, *Sir John Williams, Kt.* and *John Gorges, Esquire.*

Heren, or *Haran*, a C. in *Mesopotamia*, under the Dominion of the *Turks*; it is a Bp's See, and now called *Carra*, and only remarkable for the overthrow of *Crausus*.

Heri, a *Persian* Prov. famous for *Roses*. There is also in the Prov. a C. of the same Name, in which is

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Books, particularly against *Plato* and *Aristotle*; but they are all now lost.

Herman of Lorrain, Co. of *Solms*, was in opposition to the Emp *Henry IV.* and by the Instigation of the Pope, elected K. of the *Romans*, An. 1081. but was afterwards forsaken by his Party.

Herman of Meurs, Elector of *Cologne*, was for attempting to introduce the Doctrines of *Bucer*, and *Melancthon*, excommunicated by *Paul III.* and deposed by the Emperour *Charles V.* he died An. 1552.

Herman of Weringer, wrote a Chronicle of the World, to the Year 1654.

Herman, (*William*) a Dutchman, lived about the beginning of the XVIth Cent. and was a great Linguist, Historian, and Poet.

Hermanstadt, the Capital C. of *Transilvania*; it is seated in a Plain upon the R. *Cibin*, and is both great, well built, populous and strong; its Inhabitants are for the most Part *Saxons*.

Hermanstein, a strong Castle in the Bishoprick of *Trier* in *Germany*; it stands on the *Rhine* against *Coblentz*.

Hermaphroditus, the Son of *Mercury*, and *Venus*. He was very beautiful, and bathing in a Fountain; was observed by the Nymph *Salmacis*, who falling in love with him, embraced him so heartily, that both their Sexes became united.

Hermias, an ancient *Greek* Author, who wrote so divinely, that his Book, consisting of 3 Parts, called *Ecclesia*, *Pastor*, and the *Ten Similitudes*, was by *St. Irenaus*, *St. Clement* of *Alexandria*, *Origen* and *Tertullian*, quoted as one of the *Holy Scripture*, and by many of the Churches received as Canonical. But *St. Prosper* looked upon it as of no Authority, *St. Gelasius* as *Apocry-*

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phal, and several of the Churches had no other opinion of it, than as a good instructive Book. He lived about the Middle of the first Cent.

Hermenigilde, the Son of *Lewvigilde* a *Gothick* K. who refusing to embrace *Arianism*, was by his Father imprisoned, and put to death An. 586.

Hermes, a surname given to *Mercury*, from whence comes the *Hermes*, which were square Statues of *Mercury*, commonly made of Marble, but sometimes of Brass, and were by the *Greeks* and *Romans* set up in Cross-ways, and Porches of Houses and Temples. They were first set up by the *Athenians*, who inscribed on them Encomiums of their own Valour.

Hermes, a Philosopher of *Ægypt*, called *Trismegistus*, who is said to have lived near the time of *Moses*. He first divided the Day into Hours, and is thought also to have invented Hieroglyphicks, Writing and several Sciences: He is thought moreover to have first divided the *Zodiac* into 12 Signs.

Hermesianus, an ancient *Greek* Elegiack Poet, who was honoured with a Statue after his Death.

Hermias, the chief Minister and Favourite of *Antiochus* the Great K. of *Syria*; but he Tyrannizing over the Nobility, was with his Wife and Children murdered.

Hermias, the chief of an Heretical Sect, who lived An. 170, and taught that God was Corporeal.

Hermias, a Christian Philosopher, who wrote a Book called, *Trisio Philosophorum*. He lived in the 2d Cent.

Hermine, a *Neapolitan* Order of Knighthood, it was instituted by K. *Ferdinand*, An. 1463. There was also another of the same Name instituted in *Britaine*, An. 1365.

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Hermion, an ancient German K. who for his Courage and Bravery, was after his Death placed among the Gods.

Hermit, (*Peter*) a Frenchman born at *Amiens*; who betaking himself to a Religious Life, went on Pilgrimage to *Jerusalem*, where the miserable Condition of the Christians made so deep an Impression on him, that he resolved to stir up the Christian Princes to their Relief; he accordingly prevailed on the Pope, and several Princes to undertake the Holy War, particularly *Godfrey of Bouillon*, who finding *Peter*, although an *Anchorit*, to be courageous and wise, gave him the Command of a great Army against the Infidels. But he being unused to Arms, was overthrown by Sultan *Solyman*, near *Nicea*. He was afterwards put into a more proper Post; for *Godfrey* taking *Jerusalem*, made him *Vicar-General*.

Hermits, were at first such Christians as hid themselves in Desart

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was Co-eternal with God; and other denied the Resurrection the Dead.

Hermolans, a learned Italian, published *Pliny's* Natural History.

Hermis, the Son of *R. Creon*, forsook his Country for fear of *Athenians*, pretending that it to save his Country from trouble which occasioned the saying. *Herminium*.

Hermion, an high Mountain in *Lezine*, where the Tribe of *Mans* dwelt. There is a Cave in it which will hold 4000 Men.

Hermotimus, a Native of *Chamene*, who pretended to foretell what should come to pass.

Hermunduri, the ancient Inhabitants of one Part of *Austria*, of *Turingen* of the Upper *Francia*, and of *Voigtland* in *Germany*.

Hernandez, a Spanish Physician who published a Treatise of Medicinals, which *America* produced. He was Physician to *Philip II.*

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princes to his Government. He married *Marianne*, the Daughter of *Alexander*, and one of the most beautiful Ladies in the World. He was a Prince of most refined Parts and Politicks, yet so cruel withal, that he caused his beloved *Marianne*, and all her nearest Relations to be put to death; as also most of his best Friends, and several of his own Sons; which made *Augustus* say, That it was better to be Herod's *Hog*, than his Son. He slew moreover all that he could find of the *Asmonean* Race; but the most barbarous Act of his Reign, was his murdering all the Children under two Years old, when the Saviour of the World was born. He survived not long these innocent Babes; for in the first or third Year of *Christ*, he died of a most tormenting, raging and loathsome Distemper, in the seventy first Year of his Age. He erected several magnificent Buildings in honour to *Augustus*, particularly a Temple in *Trachonitis*, a huge *Colossus*, a Town called *Cesarea*, a Theatre, and Amphitheatre.

Herod, the Son of *Herod the Great*, succeeded his Father in the Government of *Galilee*, and was the same, to whom *Jesus Christ* was sent by *Pilate*, and that had before cut off the Head of *John the Baptist*. He rebelled against *Caligula*, and was therefore banished to *Lyons*, where he and his Wife *Herodias* died in a miserable Condition.

Herod, King of *Chalcis*, was made by *Claudius* the Emp. Superintendent of the Jewish Temple, and of their sacred Treasure, with the disposal of the Office of the High Priest.

Herodes, a famous *Athenian* Orator, who lived in the 2d Cent.

Herodian, a great Historian and Grammarian. He liv'd in the 3d

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Cent. and was for the most part at *Rome*, where he first brought up the Ceremonies of the *Apotheosis* of the *Roman* Emperors.

Herodians, a Jewish Sect, who held that *Herod the Great*, was the *Messias*, by reason the Scepter was then departed from *Judah*.

Herodium, the Name of a Magnificent strong and beautiful Castle, built by *Herod the Great*.

Herodorus, a Man of little Stature, yet of so prodigious an Appetite, that he would devour at one Meal, 20 pound Weight of Beef, 6 Ham-pers of Bread, and 2 Gallons of Wine.

Herodotus, the supposed Author of *Homer's* Life. However he was so great an Historian, as to be stiled by *Cicero* the Father of History, and the Prince of Historians. He lived about 450 Years before the Birth of *Christ*. There is a Translation of this Author's Works, now in the Press, done by the ingenious Doctor *Drake*, with Notes.

Heroe, a Name formerly given to Men, who had been famous for their great and virtuous Actions; and who were therefore after their Death honoured with Divine Adorations, being esteemed as Demigods.

Herophilus, a *Roman* Impostor, who pretended himself to be the Grandson of *Caius Marius*; but being discovered was banished the City. There was also a Physician of that Name, who lived in the 7th Cent. and grounded the Difference of Diseases, on the Rules of Music. He was said to have dissected 500 human Bodies.

Herrera, a famous Historian, whom *Philip II.* King of *Spain* made Historiographer to the *Indies*, and Secretary of State. He wrote the History of the *Indies*, in four large *Folio's*.

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Herfeld, a German Town on the River *Wefer* in *Westphalia*, remarkable for being once the Winter-quarters of *Charlemaigne*.

Herta, a German Goddess, worshipped formerly in the Middle of a thick Wood, in the Isle of *Rugen*; some are of Opinion, that it was the Earth, which the *Germans* adored under the Name *Hertha*, whence the word *Earth*, and that *Stonehenge* in *Salisbury Plain*, was a Temple dedicated to her, that the Sacrifices were commonly offered in the Night, and that from hence comes the *English* Custom of reckoning by the Night, as Seven-night, and Fortnight.

Heruli, some of the ancient barbarous *Germans*, who inhabited the Country of *Meckelbourg*, near the *Baltick*; part of whom, together with the *Goths*, entered *Italy* in the 5th Cent. Another part went towards the *Danube*, and were very serviceable to the Emperour *Justinian*.

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He was banished four times Opinions, and was Author of several Treatises, all to be seen at *Bayle*.

Hesiod, was born in *Baotia*, brought up a Shepherd, but afterward a famous *Greek Poet*, wrote several Poems. The manner of his living is very uncertain; say, that he was contemporary with *Homer*, some before, and so he lived after him.

Hesper, or *Hesperus*, the younger Son of *Atlas*, and *Jupiter's* Son, his Daughters called the *Hesperides*, an Orchard guarded by a Dragon, which bore golden Apples; which were robbed by *Heracles* after he had slain the Dragon. He was changed into a Star, which in the Evening is called *Lucifer*, and in the Morning *Vesper* in the Evening; what we now call *Venus*.

Hesperia, an ancient Name for *Italy*, so called from *Hesper*, said to have lived there. The

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Hestians, a Tyrant who governed at *Miletum*, which was at last taken by the *Greeks*, and himself killed.

Hesus, a God whom the ancient *Gauls* worshipped, and sacrificed to, that they might have success against their Enemies.

Hejychius, an *Egyptian* Bishop, who was at last martyred. Also a Patriarch of *Jerusalem*, who died in the beginning of the VIIth Cent. and was thought to have written an Exposition of *Exodus* in seven Books. Moreover, the Name of a famous *Greek* Grammarian.

Heterosians, are the Inhabitants of the temperate Zone, and are so called, for that their Meridian Shadows tend towards the Northern or Southern Pole, according as they dwell.

Hetruria, an old Name for *Tuscany*.

Hevelius, (*John*) a very great Astrologer. He was a Burgo-master of *Dantzick*, and had for fifty Years studied and made Observations on the Stars. He first found out, that there was a kind of Libration in the Motion of the Moon, and to him is owing the Discovery of several Stars, which he named *Sobieski's* Firmament, in honour to *John Sobieski*, King of *Poland*. He died at seventy six Years of Age, An. 1688.

Hearnus, (*John*) a very eminent Physician in the Low-Countries. He wrote several learned Treatises in Physick, and was Professor at *Leyden*. He lived about the latter End of the 16th Cent.

Hewit, (*John*) Doctor of Divinity, was beheaded by *Oliver Cromwell* for his Loyalty to King *Charles* the First.

Hexam, a Town in *Northumberland*; it stands upon the River *Tyne*,

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hath a good Market, and was formerly a Bishop's See, which last was by Act of Parliament transferred to *Durham*, in the Reign of *Henry VIII*.

Hexamili, the Name of the 1st *Stimus* of *Corinth*, so called from its being 6 m. over.

Hexapla, a Book wherein the *Hebrew* Text of the Old Testament is writ, in *Hebrew* and *Greek* Characters, with the several Translations of *Theodotion*, *Aquila*, *Symmachus*, and the Septuagint in six different Columns.

Heylin, (*Peter*) Doctor of Divinity, was a Man of great Understanding, Judgment and Learning, and that not only in Divinity, but in Geography, and History; witness his several Books on those Subjects. He was Sub-dean of *Westminster*, and died An. 1662.

Hhalis, a long Street in *Cairo*, which runs through the whole City to the Banks of the *Nile* in *Egypt*. The Citizens, as soon as the River begins to overflow, make a Wall at the End of that Street to keep it out, till it be about fifteen Foot high, which falling out in *August*, they then cut it with all the Ceremonies and Demonstrations of Joy imaginable.

Hhatib, a *Mahometan* Curate, who is in the Nature of our *Vicars* or *Rectors*.

Hiamuen, a fortified Town in *China*; it stands in the Province of *Fukien*, and is the Place from whence most of the *Chinese* Merchandizes, are sent to the *Indies*.

Hiarnus, a *Danish* King, who reigned about the Time of our Saviour's Birth. He was elected King for his Wit, but at last deposed and murdered.

Hicetas, an ancient Philosopher, who held that the Earth moved.

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Hierapolis, a City in the *Greater Phrygia*, formerly the See of an Archbishop. Also the Name of a City which was an Archbishop's See in *Syria*, and famous for the Syrian Goddess therein worshipped.

Hierarchy, a Book which divides the Angels into three *Hierarchies*, and every Hierarchy into three Orders.

Hierax, an *Aegyptian* Heretick, who by a pretended Sanctity deluded many. He lived about the End of the III^d Cent.

Hiero, the Name of two *Syracusan* Kings.

Hiero-Cæsarea, a Town in the Lesser *Asia*, so called, in honour to *Cæsar*.

Hierocles, a Disciple of *Libanius*, that was accused and tortured under the Empire of *Valens*, and at last led to Execution; but through the Intercession of the People was

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ket, and sends one Member to the Parliament, who is at present *Thos. Pemberton*, Esq;

Highlake, a Sea-port Town on the North-side of the River *Dee*.

Hilaria, were *Roman* Feasts which were celebrated in honour of the Mother of their Gods, with extraordinary Rejoycings and Mirth.

Hilary, (*St.*) who opposed the *Arians*. He was born at *Poitiers*, in *France*, and died *Anno* 389. He wrote several Books, which are greatly esteemed by the *French*. There was also another *St. Hilary* who was born at *Sardinia*. He went Legate to the Second Council at *Ephesus*, to oppose the *Eutychians*, and was afterward, elected to the Popedom *Anno* 461. There was moreover a third *Hilary*, who was Deacon of the Church of *Rome*, about the Middle of the 4th Cent. He most vigorously resisted the *Arian* Heresie, but fell a Victim to it.

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Hildersheim, a great and strong town in the Lower Saxony in Germany; it is a Bishop's See, and lies upon the River *Innherste*, at seven Leagues from *Zell*. The top of it is the only Roman Catholic B. in all Saxony; his Diocesis is for the most part of the same religion.

Hill, (Sir Roger) Knight, lives at *Ham* in *Buckinghamshire*. He comes in a direct Line from Sir *John Hill*, Knight of *Hunston* in *Norfolk*, and is the 14th in descent from him.

Hillela, one of the 3 Arabian Families, who making up in all about 600 Men, settled in *Africa*, Anno 999.

Hillels, the Name of several Eminent Jews.

Hincmar, a very learned Divine, is made Archbishop of *Rheims* in France, An. 845. He highly defended the Rights of the Gallick Church against the Pope; even to the design, imprisoning, and putting out the Eyes of his own Nephew *Incmar*, who was Bishop of *Leon*.

Hingham, a Market Town in the County of *Norfolk*, called by its neighbourhood *Little London*.

Hingham, (Sir Oliver) was by *Edward III.* King of *England*, made Governour of *Aquitain*; where he showed himself with that Courage and Bravery, that he was by the said King made a Knight of the Order: He lies buried at *Hingham*. There was also an Eminent English Lawyer of the same Name, who lived about the latter End of the 14th Cent. and wrote several books.

Hinghoa, a Chinese City, which stands in the Province of *Fokien*; is large, and full of Noble Buildings.

Hipathia, or *Hypathia*, a Woman who lived in the 5th Cent. and

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went beyond all the great Men of her Time, in Virtue and Learning.

Hipatus, or *Hypatius*, one of the best Soldiers of his Time; but put to death by the Emperour *Justinian*, for aspiring to the Empire.

Hiperius, (*Andrew Gerard*) a famous Protestant Minister, who died in 1564. He was Author of divers Books, part of which were published after his Death by his Son.

Hipparchia, a very learned Woman, and the Wife of *Crates* the Philosopher.

Hipparchus, lived in the Reign of *Ptolemy* King of *Ægypt*, and was one of the learnedest Mathematicians of his Time. Also the Name of the Son of *Pisistratus* an Athenian Tyrant, who was likewise very learned.

Hipparus, a Bactrian, Prince of *Orchomene*, that was devoured by his Mother *Lencippe*; who, together with the other Women of that Province, are said to have been seized with such a Fury, and insatiable Desire of humane Flesh, that they could not be satisfied. To put a stop to which, Plays were instituted to the Honour of *Bacchus*, in which they might pursue and kill them with Swords.

Hippa, a Town in the Kingdom of *Algiers* in *Africa*, of which *St. Austin* was Bishop.

Hippocrates, a most Eminent Physician, born about the 29th Year of *Rome*, in the Island of *Cos*, in the *Archipelago*. He grounded his Precepts upon *Æsculapius*; was by some styled the Prince of Physicians, by others honoured as a God, and his Works are greatly esteemed in most Parts of *Europe*. There was another of the same Name, who was a famous Mathematician.

Hippocrène, a Fountain of *Bœotia*, near *Hellœn*, dedicated to the nine Muses,

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Muses, which is said to owe its original to a Stroke of the Hoof of *Pegasus*.

Hippodamia, a most beautiful Princess, and Daughter to *Oenomaus* King of *Pisa*. Her Father understanding by the Oracle, that his Son-in-Law should cause his death, decreed that whoever desired his Daughter in Marriage, should first overcome him in a Chariot-race, or be killed. So beautiful was this young Princess, that slighting the Danger, thirteen Suitors had already enter'd the Lists, and given their Life a Sacrifice to their Love. But at last *Pelops* Son of *Tantalus*, perceiving the invincible Swiftneſs of the Kings Horses, (for they were said to be born of the Winds) prevail'd with *Myrtilus* his Coach-man, not to put a Lock to the Axle-tree, whereby the Wheel broke, and the King falling was mortally wounded, having only time enough to curse

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of that Sort of *Iambick* Verses led *Scanzons*. He is said to have been so keen a Satyr against *Thermus* and *Bupalus*, two Fools for drawing his Picture in an Antick-manner, and exposing it to publick View, that they both hang'd themselves.

Hippodes, a swift Sort of people towards the *Scythian* Sea.

Hiram, a King of *Tyre*, in the time of King *David*, and King *Salomon*. Also the Name of an ancient Architect, and Carver.

Hirpians, certain *Italian* Tribes, exempted by the ancient Romans, from the Wars and Taxes.

Hirpini, the ancient Inhabitants of that *Neapolitan* Province; in *Benevento* is situated.

Hirtius, (*Anlus*) a Roman Consul, who was the supposed Author of the eighth Book of *Julius Caesar's* Commentaries.

Hissam, a most prodigal &

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Hijlvia or *Islria*, an Italian Country, which has *Friuli* on the N. and the *Adriatick* Sea on the E. W. and S. Its air is unwholsom, and its Country barren, unless in some Materials for Shipping and Building, with which it furnisheth the *Venetians*, who have been Masters of most part of it, ever since the Year 1150. The most Northern Part of it is under the Emp.

Hithe or *Hythe*, a Borough, one of the Cinque-Ports. and a T. Corporate in *Kent*; It hath a Market, and sends 2 Members to the Parliament, who are at present *Sr. Ph. Boteler*, Bar. and *J. Boteler*, Esq.

Hinworth, or *Highworth*, a m. T. in the County of *Wilts*.

Hoangt, a Chinese Emp. who reign'd 100. Years.

Hobbes (*Thomas*) a Man of great Wit, Parts and Learning. He became one of the most eminent of our Modern Philosophers, but inconsistent in his Doctrine; for he would sometimes be an *Aristotelian*, as well as a good Disciple of *Epicurus*. He affected odd Opinions both in Religion, and Politicks; concerning which, He put forth several Treatises; but the most remarkable was His *Leviathan* whereby He became as well Famous abroad as at home. He was born at *Malmesbury* in *Wiltshire*, and bred at *Magdalen-Hall* in *Oxford*. *Charles II. K. of England*, was so Pleased with his facetious conversation, that he allow'd him 100*l.* per Annum, during his Life, which ended An. 1679, in the 91st Year of his Age.

Hocen, the eldest Son of *Mahomet's* Nephew *Ali*, and, together with his Brother *Hussein*, believed by the *Persians* to be the true successor of *Mahomet*; and not *Abubekir*, as is affirm'd by the *Turks*.

Hoch-Strat (*James*) He was Inquisitor in 3 Cath. Electorates, however was like to have lost his Office and Life by his violent Proceedings. He was one of the first that wrote against *Luther* and *Erasmus*. He was Author

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of divers Books. He had a bloody Epitaph made upon him.

Hockeria a large Prov. in *Prussia*, under the Elector of *Brandenburgh*.

Hocot, a most victorious Cham of *Tartary*; for, having Passed the *Caspian Streights*, he Conquered all the Countries about Mount *Taurus*; and afterwards went to the *E. Indies*, where he built *Cambalu*, and made it his usual Residence.

Hocsemius (*John*) a learned Canon of *Liege*, who wrote several Books: he liv'd in the XIVth Cen.

Hoden a T. in the Deserts of *Libya*, convenient for the refreshment of Merchants.

Hoe (*Matthias*) a famous Lutheran Minister of *Vienna*; he wrote a great many Books both in *Latine* and *High-Dutch*.

Haelglin (*Jeremy*) Greek Professor at *Leiden*. He translated *Apollonius Rhodius* &c. He died in 1641.

Hocencourt, a Bishop's See in the Low Countries, remarkable for the overthrow of the *French*, Anno 1642.

Hoenwiel, a Fortrefs in *Schwaben*, in *Germany*. It belongs to the D. of *Wurtemberg*, and is very Strong, as it appears by its holding out 7 or 8 Sieges against the *Imperialists*; who in the Siege, in 1641. Spent a whole Summer, without taking it.

Hoeschelius (*David*) of *Ausbourg*, to whom the Publick is indebted, for the Editions of many ancient Greek Authors.

Hoffman (*Daniel*) Head of a Faction against the Ubiquity of our Saviour. He wrote against *Beza*, and was Author of divers other works. He lived in the XVII. Cen.

Hoffman (*James*) Author of the Universal Histor. Geogr. Chron. Port. Lexicon, to which Mr. *Moren* has been not a little beholding.

Hogmagog-Hills, a Ridge of Hills, near *Cambridge*, on the top of which was thought to have been a Danish Camp.

Hogue, or (*la Hogue*) a Seaport in *Normandy*, remarkable for the English burning

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ing the *French* Admiral, and several of their First Rate Men of War *An.* 1692. and this in Sight of their Army, after their Fleet had been defeated by Admiral *Ruffel*.

Holius, (*Andrew*) a Learned *Flander*-*kin* who liv'd in the *XVIth* Cent. He wrote an History of the World to the Birth of *Jesus Christ*, besides many other Books.

Holben a most famous Painter about the middle of the *XVIth* Cent. He acquired his chiefest Reputation by that incomparable Piece of *De. th's* *Dance*, in the Town-Hall of *Basil* in *Switzerland*, the Place of his Nativity. He afterwards came to *England*, where he was mightily esteem'd; especially by *Henry VIII.* whose Picture, together with his Queen, he drew in *White-Hall*; and it was counted a very extraordinary Piece. He Painted with his left Hand.

Hildenby, a Castle in the County of *Northampton*, where *R. Charles I.* Suffer'd 4 Months Imprisonment, *A.* 1647.

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They are very Powerful abroad, especially in the *E. Indies*, where they are Possessed of the Isle of *Java*, wherein is *Batavia*, and of several other large I. and territories; as *Cassimandel*, *Amboyna*, from whence come great Quantities of Cloves; *Banda* Island, where Nutmegs grow; *Ternate*, a *Molucca* Island; *Ceylon*, *Molacca* and *Columbia* with many others. Their Taxes are very heavy; and it is computed, that not a Dish of Meat comes to their Table, but Pays the Excise 20 times over. The Governor or Stadtholder of *Holland* is General of the Army, Lord High-Admiral, and chief Justice. He disposeth of all Military Places, and has Right to chuse most of the chief Magistrates in *Holland*, *Zeland*, and *Overyssel*. His allowance from the State is 10000 Livres a Month; and 20000 more when with the Army, besides 100000 for secret Services. This Prov. was formerly call'd, *Batavia*; and was *An.* 863. given by *Charles the Bald* to *Thierry*, with the Title of

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Daughters of the late D. of *Newcastle*, and is descended from Sir *William Holles*, Lord Mayor of London, Anno 1540.

Holles, (*Denzil*) second Son to *John Holles*, the first Earl of *Clare*, and Brother to *Gilbert*, the Father of the D. of *Newcastle*. He was a great Instrument in the Restoration of *K. Charles II.* by whom he was made a Baron of *England*, and employed in several Weighty Affairs, both at home and abroad. He left one Son, who Dying without Issue, his Estate came to the present D. of *Newcastle*.

Holobulus, a *Greek* Divine; who when but a Student was imprisoned, and had his lips ber'd for declaiming against the Emp. *Michael Paleologus*, but was afterwards rest'r'd to the Emp. *Favur*, and made his Chaplain.

Holstein, a Country of great extent in the Lower Saxony in *Germany*, which is bounded on the N. by the D. of *Sleswick*. On the W. with the *German* Ocean, on the S. with the R. *Elbe*, which divides it from the D. of *Bremen* and *Lunenburg*, and on the E. with the *Baltick* Sea. It is divided into 4 Parts, viz. *Holstein*, especially s'd *l'd*, *Sturmaren*, *Ditmarsen* and *Waghen*; all which partly belongs to the K. of *Denmark*, and partly to the D. of *Holstein*. The Principal Towns in it are *Lubeck*, and *Hamborough*, which are Imperial and Free; besides which, there are *Kiel*, *Rensburg*, *Lunden*, *Kremsend* and *Gluckstadt*; and its Chief Trade is in Hops and Fish. There are several Branches of the *Holstein* Fam. but the chief is that of *Holstein Sleswick*, or *Gottorp*. The first D. of *Holstein*, was *Adolph* born An. 1526. and Brother to *Kristiern III.* K. of *Denmark*.

Holstinus (*Lucas*) a learned *Italian*, and a great Linguist. He was the Popes Library-keeper at *Rome*, where he Died An. 1601.

Holy Cross, a T. in *Ireland* so called from a Piece of the Cross pretended to be there, which was heretofore resorted to by Pilgrims.

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Holy Ghost, a *French* Order of Knighthood, instituted by *K. Henry III.* An. 1578. in memory of his Election to the Crown of *Poland*, his coming to the Crown of *France*, and his Nativity; all which happen'd on the same Day; viz. *Whitsunday*. The Knights wear a Collar made of golden Flower de *Luce's*, corner'd with Flames, of Fire, and interwoven with the Letter *H*, and several other Letters, and from the Collar, hangs a Dove in the midst of a Cross, like that of *Malta*, beset with Rays, and Flower de *Luce's*. Their number is Limited to 100, of which the K. is always chief.

Holy Head, a Sea-Port in the Isle of *Anglesey*, and the usual Station for the *Irish* Packer.

Holy Island, is a Place near the Coast of *Northumberland*, which is an Island, at highwater. It was formerly called *Lindesfarne*, and had a B. see, which was An. 990. translated to *Durham*: And it obtained the name of *Holy*, from the Religious and Vertuous lives of its B. Clergy, and other Inhabitants.

Holyok (*Francis*) a learned Divine, who was Author of a very good *Latine* Dictionary, which his Son enlarged. He died An. 1652.

Humar or *Omar*, a Relation of *Mahomet's*; whose Exposition of the *Alcoran* is followed by the *Turks*, who wear white Turbans, in opposition to the *Persians*, who believe *Ali's* Interpretation, and wear Red.

Homburg, a T. of *Hesse*, remarkable for a Dispute, An. 1525. between the Sec of the Reformed Religion, and the *Roman* Catholics; wherein the Latter being overcome, were abolish'd.

Homedes (*John*) The Great Master of St. *John* of *Jerusalem*, when *K. Henry VIII.* suppress'd the Order in *England*.

Homer so call'd from his Blindness; was the most famous of all the *Greek* Poets, but Poor to the Extremity of begging; However his *Iliads* and *Odisses* got him to deserved a Reputation.

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tion, that 7 Cities contended for his birth.

Hommes d' intelligence (Men of understanding) the Name of an Heretical Sect in *Picardy*, in *France*, A. 1412. They held that Carnal Pleasures, being natural Actions, were no sin, but some Forerastles of Heaven.

Hommius, (Pestus) a learned Divine, and Secretary to the *Dort-Synod*, An. 1618.

Honan, a *Chinese* Prov. thought by its Inhabitants to be the Center of the World.

Honestis (Peter) a Divine of great Piety and understanding; who lived about the latter end of the 11th Cent. and put forth several learned Treatises. He was made a Cardinal, and B. of *Ostia*.

Honeton, a Borough and m. T. in *Devonshire*. It sends 2 Members to the Parliament who now are Sir *William Drake*, Knt. and Bar. and Sir *Walter Young* Bar.

Honoratus. a learned A. of *Arles*.

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Honor, a *Roman* Divinity, commonly joyn'd with *Virtue*, neither could any man get into the Temple of the former, but by Passing first through that of the Latter.

Hood (Robin) a famous Highwayman in the time of K. *Richard I.* His chief Haunts were in *Sherwood-Forest*, in the County of *Nottingham*; and in a Bay commonly called by his name in the N. Riding of *Yorkshire*. He had 100 Fellows in his Gang, and usually robb'd the Rich only.

Hooker (Richard) Author of the Ecclesiastical Policy, a learned Book which fully clears the *English* Liturgy from the Objections of the Nonconformists. He was Master of the Temple, and died An. 1599.

Hooper (John) was born in *Somersetshire*, and bred in *Oxford*. He embraced the Reform'd Religion, and was by K. *Edward VI.* made B. of *Gloucester*. But Queen *Mary* coming to the Crown, he was burnt for refusing to abjure the Protestant Faith. He was

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man Captain ; who alone resisting the whole Army of *Porcienna* at the *Tyber*, till the bridge was broken down behind him, at length flung himself into the R. and escaped into the C. where a Statue was erected for him.

Horace (*Quintus Flaccus*) an admirable Lyrick Poet ; who for his great Wit and Learning was most deservedly esteemed by the Emp. *Augustus*, and his Favourite *Mæcenas*.

Horatij, three Roman Brothers, who in the Reign of *Tullus Hostilius*, encounter'd the Three *Curiatij* ; the two first of the former being slain, the last alone kill'd the three *Curiatij*.

Hordales, feasts among the Romans, which might be celebrated on an unlucky Day.

Horeb, a Mountain in *Arabia Petraea*. Near This, *Moses* received the Command from the Angel in the Burning Bush ; and here *Elijah* heard the Still Small voice. There are upon it several Chapels, Cells and fruitful Gardens, Possessed by Latin and Greek Monks.

Horizon, is a Circle comprehending all that Space of Earth which is visible, and distinguishing it from that which lieth under, and is invisible. And it is either Sensible or Rational. The first divides the Terrestrial Globe into a equal Parts. The last is what bounds our Sight in an open Country.

Hormisdas, an Italian, was chosen Pope An. 514. He condemn'd the *Eutichian* Heresie, banish'd the *Manichees*, and burnt their Books.

Hormisdas, the Son of *Chosroes* the Great, K. of *Persia*, but deposed by *Varanes* his General, and beat to Death by his Son *Chosroes* II. who was crown'd in his Stead.

Hornbeck (*John*) Divinity Professor at *Utrecht*, wrote abundance of Books and died in 1666.

Hornby a m. T. in *Lancashire*. Its Castle was the Seat of the Lord *Mortley*, and *Mounteagle* for some time.

Horne, a strong, but small C. in N.

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Holland. It stands upon the *Zuyder-Sea* about 6. L. from *Amsterdam*, and was once Imperial and Free.

Horologion, a Book wherein the services of the Greek are written, and is to them instead of a Common Prayer Book.

Horrearius, an Eminent Mathematician, who foretold a Position of the Planet *Venus*, of which he wrote a Book call'd, *Venus*, in *Sole visa*.

Horsbam, a m. T. in *Sussex*, which sends two Members to the Parliament, who are at present *Hen. Comper* Esq. and *John Wicker*, Gent.

Horta, a Roman Divinity who is said to have inclined Men to Virtuous Actions.

Hortensius, (*Quintus*) an eminent Orator at Rome, Contemporary with *Cicero*, and like him endued with a very graceful and Perswasive way of speaking. His daughter *Hortensia* also, was fam'd for her Eloquence, Particularly in the Roman Matrons cause which she Pleaded so well, that half of their Tax was remitted.

Hortensius (*Quintus*) Son of the former, and Proconsul of *Macedon* after *Cæsar's* Death. He was taken at the Batel of *Philippi*, and Massacred by *Mark Anthony* on his Father's Tomb.

Hortensius (*John*) or *des Jardins*, was Philician to *Francis I.* of France. Tho' he printed nothing himself, yet he has been greatly commended by many Authors in Print.

Hortensius (*Lambert*) a learned Divine of *Utrecht*. He was a great Linguist, and has turned *Aristophanes's Plutus* into Latin verse. He was Author of divers other Books.

Hortensius (*Martin*) a Dutch Mathematician and Astronomer ; a great Crony of *Gassendus*, and Author of divers Tracts in those Sciences.

Hosanna, a word used by the Jews in all their Prayers, and is by interpretation, *Save now*, or *Save I Pray*.

Hosea, the first of the Minor Prophets. He lived in the Days of *Vzziah*, *Joatham*, *Ahaz*, and *Hezekiah* *Hosb: 1*

nian, Moldavian and Walachian Princes.
Hospitalers, See *Malta*.

Hofstafius, a most valiant Italian, who was the first that entered *Pavia*, when taken by the *French* *An.* 1527. He was rewarded with a Crown of massy Gold, which he Hanged in the Church of *Ravenna*, the Place of his Birth.

Hutman (*Francis*) an eminent Lawyer in *France*. He wrote several Books, and died *An.* 1551.

Hottinger (*John Henry*) Professor of the Oriental Languages at *Leyden*. He published several learned Treatises, and his Conversation was very much coveted by all the great men of his time. He was drown'd *An.* 1667.

Houames, a *Mahometan* Sect who wander about in Tents in *Arabia*. They Perform their Devotions in a Dark Place, and coup'e afterwards with the first Woman they meet.

H. veden, (*Roger*) an ancient *English* Historian, who wrote the History of *England*, from the end of *Bede's* History, to the 4th of *K. John*.

Hour the 24th Part of the Civil Day, according to the Division of the *Equinoxi..l* Circle.

Stafford; *Francis Howard*, Lord *Howard* of *Effingham*, the *Charles Howard*, the *Howard* of *Eserick*. So the ancient Name to which signifies the a Castle or Trust; several of them have been in defending their Co Sea and land: Partic *Howard* Earl of *Surrey*, Reign of *K. Henry VII* Scots in *Floddon* Field *James IV.* Prisoner; Lord *Howard*, of *Effingham* Lord High-Admiral *Al* threw and destroyed the *do*, which had been there out. There have been Noble Family of great P ing; viz *Henry* and *F* the first was by *K. James* Seal, Lord Warden of *Peris*, and Earl of *N* wrote a B. Book, called *against the poison of Sapp* The other was Earl of *Surrey*, and a most learned Antiquary. There moreover a Queen of *E*

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(*Peter*) a *Frenchman*, f'm'd great Memory. He studied so and hardly ever forgot any thing. *An.* 1660.

(*St*) son of *Bertrand D.* of was so great a Lover of that he would often neglect Service for the Sake of that; But a Stag, with a Crucifix his Horns, appearing to him, coaching him for his wicked became a most Pious Convert,

in a little Time made B. of *H.*; from whence he removed to the then small T. of *Leige*, one of the most considerations in the *Lower Germany*. He *. 725.* and was removed 100 yer his Death to *St. Benedict's* y, in the Forest of *Ardenne*.

de Burgo, a Lord chief Justice and, and remarkable for his valence of *Dover-Castle* against *Philip* of *France*, in the Reign of

V's Bay an Arm of the Sea in *f America*; discovered by one *Adson*, an *Englishman*, *An.* 1912. *a T.* in *Aragon*, famed for il held there *An.* 598. *de Bulst'm*, Founder of *Peter-college* in *Cambridge*, which was built College in *England*, he of *Ely* 28 Years, and died 6.

Capet, The head of the Third the *Ks* of *France*. He was Son the great, and was by the Male-scended from *Pepin the Great*, the Female from *Clouis*. He 997 and was for his Piety called *ader of the Church*. His Father s D. of *France*, *Burgundy* and; He was called the *Abber*, the and the Great; And was a f Great Courage, Power and

K. of *Ailes* and *Italy*, Earl *irquis* of *Provence*. He was l of his *K.* for il. Government, d *An.* 940. There was also

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Hugh, A. of *Lyons*, who was the most Illustrious Prelate of his Time. He died *An.* 1106. and had been President of 8 Councils in different Places. There was likewise *Hugh*, a Regular Canon of *St. Austin*; who for his Learning and Parts was stild a 2d. *Austin*. He wrote several Treatises, and died *An.* 1139.

Huguenots, a Name given to *French* Protestants, either fr m *H-go's-Gate*, in the C. of *Tours*, where they used to meet, or from *K. Hugo's* Ghost which was believed to appear every Night in that T. by reason of their Nocturnal Meetings.

Hugues (*William*) a Learned *French* Divine, who was employed by *Henry IV.* K. of *France* in several Embassies; Particularly to *James I.* K. of *England*, about the March between Prince *Charles* and the Princess *Hemietta*. He was A. of *Ambrun*, and died 1648. There was *Hugues de St. Cler*, a Cardinal, who lived in the XIIIth Cen; and was in great Repute for his Bible, Concordance and Exposition.

Hull is a Corporation, Borough and m. T. in the E. Riding of *Yorkshire*; and is so call'd from the R. *Hull* on which it is situated. It is also called *Kingston upon Hull*, from *K. Edward I.* who built it. The T. is large, strong and flourishing; it sends 2 Members to the Parliament, who now are *Sir William St. Quintin*, Bar. and *William Maister* Esq; It gives the Title of an Earl to the Present Right Honourable *Evelyn Pierpont*.

Hulst, a strong T. in the *Low-Countries*, under the *Dutch*.

Humber, a great R. which divides *Yorkshire* from *Lincolnshire*.

Humbert I. Dauphin of *Viennois*, a Prov. of *France*. He was a Prince of great Courage, and died *An.* 1307.

Humbert II. Dauphin of *Viennois*, gave his Country *An.* 1349. to *Philip of Valois*, on Condition that the eldest Sons of the K. of *France* should for ever after be called *Dauphins*. This *Humbert*

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bert afterwards turned Priest and became Patriarch of *Alexandria*, and Prior of the Dominicans at *Paris*.

Humbert I. Son of *Bernold* of *Saxony*, was about the Year 1025, by the Emp. *Conrade II.* made Earl of *Maurienne* in *Savoy*, and first laid the Foundation of that D. *Humbert II.* Succeeded An. 1095. And *Humbert III.* who was the 2d. Earl of *Savoy*, Succeeded his Father *Amedeus II* An 1134.

Humbert a learned Cardinal, who lived in the XIth Cen. and wrote several Books against the *Greek Church*.

Humbled a Religious Order; which being founded by some *Milaneze* Gentlemen An. 1162. was abolished afterwards by Pope *Pius V.* An. 1570.

Hume a strong Castle in *Scotland*, which gives the Surname and Title of an Earl, to an ancient and Noble Family of that K.

Honaim, the 2d. Sea-Port in the K. of *Tremesen*, in *Barbary*, and much frequented by the *Italians* for *Linen* and *Cotton*.

Hunderfeldt a T. of *Silasia* in *Ger-*

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Length about 300 Mi. and 190. Its Air is unhealthy, especially to strangers, but its Soil is extremely fertile, and able to supply the Soil almost with Corn, with Cattle, Venison. It likewise abounds with Fowls and Fish. It has Gold, Tin, Lead, Iron, and Copper Mines. Its Wines as good as those of *Cambray*. It has some Mortiferous Springs, which change wood into Iron and Iron into Mud. Here are a Bath and mineral Water. It has likewise some Pestiferous Waters, which suffocate the very Birds that live near them. The chief City of this Country is *Buda*. The Inhabitants descended from the *Scythians*, speak most Languages, and are good Warriors, but without excessive Reverence and Proud. They hate the *Gentiles*, but their Gentry court the *Turks* for Protection against the *Turks*. They are more inclined to War than Trade. Their Armies consist generally of Light-Horse (*Haffars*) and



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ungerford, a m. T. in *Barkshire*, remarkable only for its good Trouts and -Fish.

niades (*John Corvinus*) a most famous *Hungarian* General, and the eft of his time. He reliev'd *Buda*,

Seven Months Siege, and gain'd Victories over the *Turks*; but he Battel of *Verna*, his King *istius* was Kill'd, and he routed; which he was chosen Governor is K. but in 1418. was vanquish'd;

yet he rais'd the siege of *Bund* died at *Zemplen* in the same All Christendom lamented his, and even *Mahomet* himself was concerned at it, as thinking no now worth his Conquering.

mbaldus, an Author that Col'd the History of the *Franks* and from the Memoirs of the *ts*.

mmingen, a Village on the *Rhine*, a below *Basle*; where the *French* lately rais'd and fortified a strong which gives great Umbrage to *erland*.

mmius (*Ægidius*) a famous Di- of the Confession of *Ausburg*, was a great Opposer of the *Cal-*, and writ a Book against their der, call'd *Calvinus Judæizans*. as also Author of divers other s, whose Titles may be seen in

ngung, said to have been a K. of in 1444. and to have resisted the rs, till he was taken and Strang- *Pekin*.

ns, a People who came from the ies of *Motis* to inhabit *Pannonia*, when defeated by the *Rom. Ge-* *Ætus* returned thither, and ded themselves till they were outed e by the *Honges*. They were t continually on Horse-back, and d great Disturber of their Neigh- on all sides. They had not the knowledge of Letters.

ntcliffe a Place in *Yorkshire*, re- ble for the Humour of the *Sea-*

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Calce, which sunning themselves upon the Rocks, at the Approach of any Man, have notice given by one of them to retire unto the Water. They have been frequently taken by Men in *Womens* Cloaths, which Sex it seems they are not Afraid of: this Place is also noted for many Bituminous Stones and Marchasfires.

Huntington Cap. of the Shire of that Name. It lies on the *Ouse*, and was formerly much larger than at present. It has still a good Inland Trade. It is an Earldom, and has afforded divers K. and Princes to *Scotland*. The present Earl is the Lord *Geo. Hastings*, and its present Members of Parliament are the Hon. *Charles Boyle* Esq; and *Anthony Hamond* Esq;

Huntingtonshire, a County in *England* of small Extent, bounded on the N. by the *Avon*, on the W. by *Northamptonshire*, on the S. by *Bedfordshire*, and on the E. by *Cambridgeshire*. It is part of the Diocess of *Lincoln*, was formerly a Woody Flat Country, but was disforested by *Henry II.* It had its Name from *Hunting*, it is proper for. It is Marshy towards the N. E. It abounds with Corn and Grass. The Regular Clergy had near a 4th part of it. *Kimblton* Castle belongs to the Earl of *Manchester*, and *Hinching-Brook* to the Earl of *Sandwich*. It has 2 Springs near *Halewellon*, whereof the sweet one cures Dimness, and the Brackish one Leprosie. Its Knights of the Shire at present are *John Dryden* Esq; and *William Nailor* Esq;

Huntly-Nabb, a Place in *Yorkshire*, on the Sea, very Rocky, where are found round Stones like Canon-Balls; having within them Stones like Serpents, without Head, and enwrap'd with a Wreath.

Hu-quang, a Middle Prov. of *China* call'd the Granary of that Country, and abounding with Fish and Rice It has 15 large T. and 180 C.

Hurles, 17 great Stones in *Cornwall*, at some distance asunder, which

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are said to be Men so Metamorphos'd,
for *Hurling* (an Exercise peculiar to this
Country) on the *Sabbath-Day*.

Hurons, Natives of *New France* (part
of *Canada*) now Civilized, but still
mightily given to steal, and that with
their Feet as well as Hands. They
agree with the rest of *Canada* in their
other Customs.

Hurtado (*Thomas*) a *Spanish* *Minorite*,
and a Person well noted for his
Writings. He died in 1659.

Hus (*John*) so Named from a small
Borough in *Bohemia*. He was a great
Stickler for the Opinions of the *Waldenses*,
and of *Wickliff*, in 1407. He de-
fended his Doctrine before the Coun-
cil of *Constance*, and tho' he had a Pass-
port from the Emp. *Sigismund*, was
condemn'd by them, and Burnt in
1415. This *Moreri* indeavours to
vindicate, but without Reason. *Hus* was
Contemporary with *Jerome* of *Prague*,
who also suffered for his Faith. From
him sprung the Sect of the *Hussites*.

Hussien, a Shepherd, whom the *Tur-*

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sacrificed *pro bono Publico* in the
Hyacinthus, whence they had
Name.

Hyacinthus a Pr. in *Peloponnesus*
being beloved by *Apollo* and *Zethus*
and the former playing at *Colts*
him, the latter blew his *Colt*
Head and Kill'd him; where
Apollo turn'd his Blood into a
Flower of that Name. The
Ionians dedicated certain Nights
to him.

Hyades a Constellation of
in the head of *Taurus*.

Hybla, an *Italian* Mountain
for Honey.

Hybreas, a celebrated *Carian*
who greatly thwarted the Project
of the Tyrant *Euthydemus*.

Hyde (*Henry*) present Earl of
Gloucester, and eldest Son of the *Ed.*
Hyde who attended *R. Charles*
in his Exile. He was sur-
ferred by *R. Charles*, I. who took
from the *Middle Temple*, and
him *Chanc.* of the *Exchequer* and

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rd Treasurer to that Prince, who al-
lent him Embassador to *Poland*, and
de him Plenipotentiary at *Nimeguen*.
Hydra the many-headed Serpent
ich *Hercules* killed in the Fens of
the in *Peloponnesus*.

Hydrusa, or *Tenos*, a *Venetian* Island in
vece, which has a fountain whose
ater will not mix with Wine.

Hyems a *Rom.* Divinity, that had a
ck Sheep sacrific'd to her.

Hyginus a Philosopher of *Athens* and
of *Rome*. He first consecrated
urches, and Us'd God-fathers.

Hyginus a Noted *Grammatian*, whose
orks are all lost but his *Mythology*.

Hylas Favourite of *Hercules*, who
ving sent him to fetch some Water,
was ravish'd by the Nymphs of that
untain where he had it. *Hercules*
ik a T. after his Name.

Hyllus *Hercules's* Son by *Deianeira*.
married his Mother-in-law, for
ich being banish'd, he went to
ous where he was assisted by
ejens. Returning to *Peloponnesus*, and
ibenging those that oppos'd the
radia, he was slain.

Hylabians, *Indian* Philosophers, so Na-
ed by the *Greeks* from their great
ve for, and Practice of, *Obscure*
cesses.

Hymantes, *Christian* Penitents that
merly did Pennance at the Church
or in Hair Cloths.

Hymeneus, a Heretick, whom *St. Paul*
ommunicated for maintaining the
surrection was accomplish'd.

Hymeneus, Son of *Bacchus*, and the
ed of Marriage. The Ancients figur'd
n as a young Man with a Torch
his Hand.

Hymetto, a Mountain near *Athens*,
the N. of which there is a Convent
Coloyers (*Greek* Monks). Here they
ke excellent Honey, by reason of the
at quantity of Sweet Herbs there-
outs, which the Bees suck it from.
is Convent is priviledg'd from Taxes
ause the Abbot first presented
: Keys of *Athens* to *Mahomet* II.
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Hypata, Cap. of *Thessaly*, famous in
History for the General Meeting of the
Etolian States.

Hyperborean: Seas, Mountains and Peo-
ple were so Named by the Ancients
from their not being able to discover
their true Situation. By this Epithet
we now understand the N. Seas of
Europe and *Asia*, the N. Mountains of
Muscovy towards the Straights of
Weygats and the *Laplancers*, under the
Swedes *Danes* and *Muscovites*. The
word *Hyperboreus* is made up of
2 *Greek* words which signifie beyond
Boreas (the North Wind.)

Hyperides an *Athenian* Orator who
being rack'd by *Antipater* bit his
Tongue out, lest he should discover
his Intrigues.

Hyperion Father of *Apollis*, or that
God himself so nam'd from his Peram-
bulation over the Earth. *Diodorus*
says, he was *Saturn's* Brother, and first
made Observations upon the Heavens.

Hypermnestra one of *Danaus's* daugh-
ters, who would not kill her Husband
as her 49 Sisters had done; whereupon
she was imprison'd, but afterwards re-
stored to her Husband.

Hypostasis, a *Greek* word, much in
Use among the Councils. It signifies
first, the Existence of a thing consi-
dered by way of Abstraction; and 2.
the same thing, which Subsists by it self,
by a sort of particular Existence.

Hypsicratea, Wife to *K. Mithridates*
who had so entire a Love for her
Husband, that she habited her self like
a Man to accompany him in his Escape
from *Pompey*.

Hypsiceon, of *Miletum*, who having
married *Neara*, she was ravish'd from
him, and upon his Demanding her,
there follow'd a War between the
Milesiens, and the *Naxians*.

Hypsipile, Q. of *Lemnos*, who when
the Women had kill'd all the Men, sa-
ved her Father *Thoas*, for which she
was banished and was afterwards got
with child by *Jason*.

Hypsitarians, Maintainers of an He-
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High Priest of the *Jews*. His Brother-in-Law *Ptolemy*, having Kill'd his Father, he besieged; but would not force him, because he had his Mother and Brothers Prisoners. He after

falling into the Hands of *Antigonus*, he had his Ear was at length put to Death that had Married his G
Marianne.

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J *Abichites*, a certain Heterodox Sect of *Mahometans*.

Jabesh-Gilead, a T. in *Palesline* in the Prov. of *Gilead*, many of whose Inhabitants, were put to death for their Obstinacy; but at length being besiegd by the *Ammonites*, and offer'd hard Conditions to lose their Right Eyes, they were delivered by the *Israelites*.

Jabin E. of *Hazer*, defeated by *Joshua*.

Jabin K. of *Canaan*, whose General *Sisera* was routed by *Barack*.

Jabock a small R. which formerly divided the Tribes of *Manasseh* and *Gad*. It falls into the R. *Jordan* at *Salem*.

Jacatra, vide *Batavia*.

Jacaya, a supposed Son of Sultan *Mahomet* III. who underwent various Fortune. The Story told of him is this. His Mother *Lapara*, fearing he would be sacrificed according to the

where understanding the Father and Elder Brother, vered himself to some B. rebell'd against the new his Younger Brother, v fought his said Brother's C ing wounded, retired to C he went in a Persian I to *Constantinople*, where *Druis* he conspired again Life; wherein however printed, and escaped in the *Polish* Ambassador to there demanded by a he was refused, however self not safe, he retired *Matthias* at *Vienna*; w him, yet would not Af an Army. He theref. re D. of *Tuscany*, who a Pension, and endeavour

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bus one of the God *Bacchus's* son a famous *Egyptian* Physician n. 3300, who cur'd Diseases by s and Spells; and was said to ut a stop to the Plague; where- those People erected a Temple, in they sacrificed to him upon occasions.

son (*Thomas*) of *Wilton* in the *Durham An.* 1579. He was nt of *Corpus Christi* College in , Chaplain in Ordinary to I. Prebendary of *Winchester*, an of *Peterborough*. He was a ge- scholar and a good Linguist, and several Books, which were Prin- gether in 3 Vol. Fol. in the 1673.

ob (*The Patriarch*) said to be Vers'd in Astrology, which he his Children. The Birth right *Ejau* sold him is thought to have the Priesthood, which was at time exercised by the Eldest every Family.

ob, an *Hungarian* Sectary, who ed up a holy War for Recovery *lestine*, and the Revenging of *his* K. of *France*, This he affir- as most proper to be done by orer Sort, that God might the manifest his Power. Being on followed by a great num- f Shepherds and Husbandmen: encreased to 100000, he went h divers Provinces of *France*, x length coming to *Bourges*, nhabitants thereof, influenced e Orders from Queen *Blanche* terminate these Fanaticks, set them after they had divided e Shipping; and having kill'd Leader *Jacob*, put the rest to , where f several were after- Hang'd.

ob *Bardeus*, a *Syrian*. otherwise *Zanzalus*, Author of the Sect of *Jacobites*.

ob *Ben-ha-jim*, a famous Rabbi, who ed a *Maforah* or Critick on the

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Bible, printed at *Venice* in 1625. and much esteemed by the *Jews*. More may be seen in the Preface of that Work.

Jacob Ben-Naphtali, a Celebrated Rabbi, of the Vth Cen. who with *Ben Assir* is said to be Author of the *Hebrew* Points, usd for Vowels to make the reading of that Language easie. This is contradicted by some Learned Men.

Jacob Florent, an *Augustine* of the XVIth Cen. who for affirming the Pope to have a Right to the K. of *France's* Temporalities, was condemn'd with the President of the *Sorbonne*.

Jacob Jan, an *Armenian* and Head of the K. of *Persia's* Joyners. This Person having learnt the Art of Prin- ting in *Europe*, settled it for a while at *Isphahan*; but not knowing how to make good Ink, was at last fain to let it fall.

Jacob (Lewis) a *Carmelite* Frier Counsellor and Almoner to the pre- sent *French* K. He wrote several Books, and died at *Paris* in 1670.

Jacobins, vide *Dominicans*.

Jacobites Eastern Hereticks, se- duced by *Jacob Bardeus*. They spread extreamly in *Asia* and *Africa*, in the VIth and VIIth Cen. They de- nied the Trinity, Circumcised their Children, and Baptized, by marking them with a red hot Iron in their Fore- heads, which Opinion they founded on the Words of St. *John Baptist*, in the 3d. Chap. of St. *Mathew*. The Residence of their *African* Patriarch is at *Alexandria*, who has all *Egypt* and *Ethiopia* under him; and that of the *Asiatick* Patriarch, is at *Caramit* in *Mesopotamia*, who has the Title of *Antioch*, tho' a Schismatical *Græcian* pre- tends to it. Mr. *Simon* say's, that all the *Monophysites* or those that acknow- ledge but one Nature in *Christ*, of the E. are comprehended under the Name of *Jacobites*, and that at present they consist of not above 40 or 45000 Fam. which chiefly Inhabit *Syria* and *Meso- potamia*

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refie in the IVth Cen. made up of
Judasim and *Paganisin*.

Hycania a Prov. of *Persia* which
formerly contained 600 M. in Length
and 300 in Breadth, but is now parcell'd
into lesser Parts. This Country is ex-
ceeding fertile, and yields abundance of
Corn, Wine, Figgs, and Honey. The
first is raised by a Seed which falls from
its Husk, and the last Flows from the
Olive Trees.

Hycanur, a Nickname of *J*
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Jacqueline, Countess of *Hainault* &c. sole daughter of *William IV.* of *Bavaria*, Earl of *Hainault* &c. born in 1401. She having married her first Cousin, the D. of *Brabant*, by a Dispensation, her Uncle, the B. of *Liege*, upon the Emp. Instigations, excepted against it, and warr'd upon her, which made her to take Refuge in *England*; where tho' her said Husband was yet alive, she married the D. of *Gloucester*, *Henry Vth's* Brother; then going into *Holland*, she was taken Prisoner, and restored to her former Husband; but escaping soon after in mans Cloaths, and hearing of the D. of *Brabant's* Death she married one *Borselle*, Governor of *Zealand*, who was shortly after taken Prisoner by the D. of *Burgundy*; whereupon she resign'd her

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a good Harbour, and has been famous for several remarkable Things mentioned in the Scriptures. It was destroyed by *Judas Maccabæus*, by *Titus*, and next by the *Sassanians*; it was re fortified by *Godfrey of Lion*, and taken by *Saladin* in *Richard I.* of *England* repaired. *Lewis* of *France* rebuilt it, and the Sultan of *Egypt* retook it in 1268; when it has been in the hands of the *Turks*. It is now subject to the *Bassa* of *Gaza*, and has only some miserable Remains of its Grandeur.

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James (Saint) Surnamed *Minor*, and the Just, was Son of *Alpheus* Cousin to our Saviour, and Brother to St. *Jude*. As B. of *Jerusalem*, he was president of the Apostles Council held in 49 or 50. He was condemn'd and delivered to the People, who upon his resolute Defence of Christs Doctrine, knocked out his Brains with a *Fulgers Club* A. C. 62. We have an Epistle of his, A supposed Liturgy, tho' dubious, and a Gospel placed with

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casioned the Governor's youngest to Burn *Dumbarton*, where he killed K. Uncle, and afterwards escaped to *Ireland*. Not long after A and his Sons were beheaded at *ling*; whereupon several Places, had held out before for the R submitted. In 1426, Ambassadors were sent from *France* to negotiate a Match between *Charles VIII's* Son *James's* daughter, which was 1520. Two Y. after K. *James* of the thieving Clans, by repairing Castle of *Inverness*, committing 40 of the Ring-Leaders, and hanging up some of them. *Alexander* of *Illes*, the next Person to the K. much ado to procure his pardon, withstanding at his return home burnt *Inverness*, and besieged Castle; and having 10000 Men him resolved to fight the K. For but being deserted by Two of most considerable Clans, changed mind, and thought of flying to *Ed* yet not thinking he should be there at length. *Clans* and

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sent it to the K. Robbery being thus suppress'd, the Parliament made divers good Laws to adjust Weights and Measures. Next the K. reform'd the Clergy, founded Publick Schools, encourag'd Learned Men, and commanded the Universities, to present none but Persons of Merit to him for Preferment. Also reflecting on the decay of Trade in his Kdm. occasion'd by 150. Y. War, he sent for Artificers, and restored Commerce. He likewise reform'd the Expensive way of Living, by Reproof, his own Example, and wholesome Laws. After he had sent his Daughter to *France*, pursuant to the Agreement, and had overtook the Endeavours of the *English* to form a League with *France*, he be sieg'd the T. of *Roxburgh*, held out by the *English*; which when he had almost taken, he was frighten'd from the Siege by an Information brought by his Queen, that there was a Conspiracy against his Life. During this the Earl of *Athol*, chief of the Conspirators, coming, with the rest of the Assassines, to the Chamber where the K. lay, they forc'd open the Door, and barbarously Murdered him; which one they escaped, but were afterwards apprehended and deservedly punished with Death. This K. was thus slain on the 12th. of *February* 1437 in the 13th. Y. of his Reign, and, 44th. of his Age.

James II. succeeded his Father at Seven Y. old; during whose Minority, *Alexander Levingston* was made Regent, and *William Creighton* Chancellor. Scarce was this over, but Factions arise, when the latter remain'd with the K. in the Castle of *Edenborough*, and the former retired with the Queen Dowager to *Sterling*. It was not long before the Queen got her Son away by a Stratagem, which was this: Coming to visit her Son, She Amused the Chancellor with so many good words, that she procur'd an Opportunity to carry the K. off in a

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Trunk, and before he could be miss'd, Shipped him at *Leith* for *Sterling*. Hereupon it was agreed in Council, to besiege the Chancellor in the Castle, which he prevented, by surrendering. Now did the Islanders invade and ravage the Continent after a strange manner. Famine likewise and Pestilence raged exceedingly, and the Queen and her Second Husband were imprisoned, for plotting against the Regent, but were soon released, and great Crimes laid at the Regents door. A while after, the Chancellor seized the K. and brought him to *Edenborough*, which occasioned the Regent to comply. During this, Earl *Argyll* did a great deal of Mischief, but the Chancellor having deceiv'd the Earl to Court, had him beheaded. About this time, the K. took upon him the Government, when *William*, then Earl of *Douglas*, coming into Favour, he endeavour'd to revenge himself on the Regent, and Chancellor, now out of Office, by procuring them to give an Account of their late Administration. This they refused to do, and therefore *Creighton* was besieged in *Edenborough* Castle; yet at length comp'd, and was restored to his Office again. *Douglas* however got the Regent and one of his Sons imprisoned, and afterwards beheaded. The Truce between the *English* and *Scots* being now expired, it was renewed for Seven Years; however the bordering *English* broke it, and might have ruin'd the *Scots*, now exceedingly harass'd by Factions, had not they laboured under the like Calamities at home. The War being thus broke out, the Earl of *Northumberland* marched into *Scotland*, and encamped near the R. *Sark*. Him Earl *Douglas*, and *Wallace* of *Craig*, opposed; and coming to a close Fight, entirely routed him, and kill'd 3000 of his Men, when the *Scots* lost but 600, and gain'd great Booty. Next followed a Truce with *England* for Three Y.

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In 1441 the K. married into the Blood-Royal of *France*. *Douglas* occasioning new Disorders, and the K. suspecting him of a Plot, and League with the *English*, sent for him, and taking him aside, desired him to cease siding with the *English*, which he hesitating upon, the K. drew his Dagger, and Stabbed him, saying, *If thou wilt not break the League, I will.* To revenge this the Earl's Brother rose in open Rebellion; whereupon the K. had him and his Adherents proclaimed Rebels; but tho' there were many Skirmishes, yet there was no pitched Battel. At length *Douglas*, being disappointed of Succours in *England*, joined with *Donald* of the Isles; who, after the *English* had been beaten by the Earl of *Angus*, submitted and was Pardon'd. After this the K. marched to assist the Nobility of *England* against their K. but was prevented in his Designs by a Counterfeit Legate, who pretended to excommunicate him, if he proceeded. Being undeceived

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were the Queen's Friends. This was followed by a Truce with *England*, 15. Y. which the *English* however broke, by taking the D. of *Albany* Prisoner, yet were fain to surrender him, whereby they made their Peace. Next, *Donald* of the Isles having proclaim'd himself K. thereof, Invaded the Continent, and committed Sacrilege there; but his Fleet being Shipwreck'd in his return, and he thereupon grown distracted, the Booty was restored, and Expiation Offered. Now did E. *Kennedy* manage the State with great Prudence; but the *Boys* coming in Favour, they not only outed him, but affronted him in a gross Manner; soon after which he died, much Lamented. The Abp. of *York*'s Claim over the Church of *Scotland*, was about this time annull'd by the Pope, and moreover *Robert Boyd* was declared Regent, and his Son was married to the K's Sister. The K. was likewise Married to the K. of *Denmark*'s Daughter, on the 10th of July. An. 1470. Which

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was imprisoned, but Escaped. After this, the K. was about to marry his Son with the K. of *England's* Daughter; but a War breaking out between the two Nations, through the Instigations of Pr. *Alexander* and Earl *Douglas*, then both in *England*, that Match was set aside, and K. *James* marched with his Army to invade *Northumberland*. The Earl of *Angus*, and the rest of the Nobility, being extremely dissatisfied with the K's Conduct, resolved to drive his mean Favourites from him; and going with that Design towards his Majesty's Pavilion, they met with *Cockrain* and the rest by the way, whom they immediately delivered to the Marshal, and in a short time had them all hang'd. This done, the K. disbanded his Army, they neither putting Confidence in him, nor he in them. During these Dissentions, Pr. *Alexander* prevailed with the K. of *England*, once more to invade *Scotland*; which he did, and thereby procured his Daughter to be married to K. *James's* Son; and moreover got Pr. *Alexander* reconcil'd, however he was soon after forc'd to fly again. Next the Truce was renewed with *England* for 7 Y. when the K. slighting the Nobility, returned to his former Course. Now the chief Favourite was another Upstart, one *John Ramsay*, who was hated by the Nobility, and therefore the K. form'd a Plot to make a way with them as fast as he could. This he communicated to the Earl of *Angus*, who discovered it, and there upon K. *James* had recourse to Arms, as had likewise the Nobility; and a Battel ensuing, the K. lost both his Life and the Victory in the Y. 1488.

James IVth, succeeded his father *James III.* at 15 Y. old. Having caused several Castles to surrender which held out, and having beat the *English*, at sea, who had been sent to Ravage his Coasts, he called a Parliament, and gained the good Will of all Parties,

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tho' before never so disaffected to him, by his great Moderation in Government. *Perkin Warbeck* a pretended Pr. of *Wales* arriving in *Scotland* about this time, he managed Matters so cunningly, that he got the K. to give him his Kinswoman in Marriage, and moreover to furnish him with an Army to invade *Northumberland*; but the K. observing that the *English* did not join him as they had promised, desisted from any further Progress. Afterwards a Peace being entered upon, through the mediation of the *Spanish* Ambassador, the *English* demanded *Perkin Warbeck*; which being refused, the Treaty ended in a Short Truce; during which *Warbeck* was sent away. Not long after the K. married *Henry VIIIth's* daughter, whereupon a Strict Peace was concluded. The K. now applied himself to building of Ships, of which three were of a great Bulk. Herein the Ks. of *England* and *France* endeavouring to Outdo him, they each of them built one so great, that it was of no Use. The K. having hereby exhausted his Treasures, resumed the Wardship of *Minors*; but finding it to be too great a Grievance on his Subjects, he quitted it, and determined to go to *Jerusalem*, to atone for taking up Arms against his Father. But this Project was laid aside, on Account of a Private League he had engaged in with *France*, against the Emp. *England*, the *Venesians*, and the *Switzers*. However there was at length a perfect Rupture with *England*, by reason of the Murder of *Robert Carr*, Lord Warden of the middle Marches of *Scotland*, and the killing of *Andrew Barton*, a famous *Scottish* Sea-Captain. Hereupon the Earl of *Hume* Invaded *England*, and returned with great Booty, however lost many of his Men by an Ambush. Next, the K. having had his Proposals disdainfully rejected by *Henry VIIIth*. entered *England* in Person, notwithstanding the foreboding of two Spectres, and

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took several Castles ; but falling in love with a Lady, one of his Prisoners, he grew so negligent of his Affairs, that his Army deserted in great Numbers, for Want of Necessaries, and those that staid with him were not a little disgusted. Matters standing thus, the *English* provoked him to fight ; which notwithstanding he declined, yet would he not retreat, tho' advised thereto by his best Friends. At length he was prevailed upon, to encamp himself advantageously ; which the *English* perceiving, they made a feint of Marching towards *Scotland*, whereby they drew him from his Post, and then Attack'd him at *Flodden-Hill*. The fight lasted till Night, when both Parties withdrew, not knowing whether had the Victory. Next Morning the Lord *Dacres* found the *Scotch* Cannon left, and therefore immediately Published the Victory to be on the *English* Side. Some say the *K.* was kill'd in the

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the Matter to *Henry VIIIth*, returned back. *Home* after this rebell'd, and submitted ; but taking Arms again, both he and his Brother were Seized and Executed. The Regent going to *France*, constituted Deputies in his absence ; who disagreeing, there happened much Blood-shed. About 5 Y. after the Regent returned, and would have made War upon *England*, but was opposed by his Nobility, and obliged to a Truce. Then he went to *France* again ; when during his Absence, the Earl of *Surrey* over-ran the S. of *Scotland* with 10000 Men ; and upon the *Scots* plundering the N. of *England*, by way of Reprizal, Invaded them again, tho' with no great Success. At length the Regent returned with 50 Ships, 3000 Foot, and 100 Cuirassiers, and by Instigation of the *French* Faction, who persuaded him, that the *English* had now the same Designs upon *Scotland* with their *R. Edward 1st.* marched against

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Henry VIIIth's daughter *Mary*; but when the Time of the Interview was come, he was dissuaded by the *Hamiltons*, next Heirs to the Crown, from meeting, lest the *English* should detain him as they had done some of his Ancestors. This *Henry VIIIth.* was justly offended at, however K. *James* went to *France*, and Married *Magdalen*, daughter of *Francis I.* who dyed in the same Y. 1537. in *Scotland*, for whom all but some of the Clergy Mourn'd, being the first Time that Ceremony had been used in that *Edom*. Next, the K. married *Mary of Guise* in 1538. In the next Y. many *Lutherans* were burned, banished and imprisoned; among the last of which was the Poet *Buchanan*, who nevertheless escaped. Now *Henry VIIIth.* desiring another Interview, the Clergy being afraid of its Consequence, dissuaded the K. upon promising him 3000. Gold Ducats, Annually, advising him withal to prosecute the *Lutherans*, for which end *James Hamilton* was Appointed; but being accused of a Design upon the K's. Life, was soon after executed. After this the K. had many frightful Dreams, which were followed by the Death of the Two Sons he had by his Queen. At length *Henry VIIIth* was out of Patience at so many Affronts and Disappointments and therefore, without any more ado, invaded *Scotland*. At first he received a small Defeat, but thro' the Dissensions of the *Scottish* Army, and their falling together by the Ears, he at length gain'd an entire Victory over them; the new's whereof occasioned K. *James* to die Mad. A little before his Death, he had an account brought him of the Birth of his Daughter *Mary*, that succeeded him.

James Ith. of England and *VIth. of Scotland*, succeeded, his Mother when little above a Y. old, upon her forced Resignation on the 26th of *July An.* 1567. His natural Uncle, the Earl

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of *Murray* was chosen Regent, in Opposition to the Queen, who nevertheless got out of Prison, and raised an Army, which was routed by the Earl near *Glasgow*. Hereupon the Queen went to her kinswoman, Queen *Elizabeth*; who sending immediately to know the Reason of her hard Usage, an interview was appointed at *York*, where Plenipotentiaries on all sides being met, those of Queen *Mary*, accused the Regent so Home, that Queen *Elizabeth's* Plenipotentiaries could not but pronounce him an Usurper. Upon this *Murray* was sent for to *London*, where he accused the Queen further, and, as some think, of being privy to *Bothwell's* murdering of the K. However Queen *Elizabeth* took the middle way, and declared her self in Favour of neither. Not long after, the Regent returned to *Scotland*; where, in a short time, he was shot dead by one *Hamilton*, out of a private Grudge. Hereupon the Nobles would have chosen another Regent, but were prevented so doing by the Queens Friends; nevertheless at length, Queen *Elizabeth* sending an Army into *Scotland*, under the Protection of that the Earl of *Lenox*, the K's. Grandfather, was Elected. The Queen's Party solicited the *French* and *Spaniards* for Aid, and Garrisoned *Edinburgh*, to hinder the Parliament's Sitting, yet were nevertheless swingingly beaten afterwards near *Leith*. The *English* and *French* were very slow in Assisting those which they had espoused; the former, first demanding the K. as a Hostage, and the latter requiring the Castles of *Edinburgh* and *Dunbarton* to be surrendered to them; all which were refused. Next, tho' the Queen's Party had another Defeat at *Leith*, yet did they come unawares upon the Convention at *Sterling*, and kill'd the Regent, in whose Stead the Earl of *Murray* was chosen; who perform'd no great

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Fears, and dying, was succeeded by the Earl of *Morton*; who after some Time becoming Obnoxious, was forced to resign to the K. on the 12th of *March*, in 1578. Soon after which the first Declaration was made against Bps. In the Y. following the K. made his kinsman, Mr. *d'Aubigny*, newly sent from *France*, Earl of *Lenox*, and the Parliament soon after established the Confession of Faith. In 1580 the Earl of *Morton* was beheaded, for concealing a Conspiracy against the K's. Life, and the Earl, afterwards D. of *Lenox*, got the greatest Part of his Estate; who nevertheless, together with the Earl of *Arran*, was at length removed from Court, and banish'd for Male-Administration. Then the K. published a Proclamation, to justify, and to satisfy the World, that what he had done had not been by Compulsion, whereupon all was confirm'd by an ensuing Convention. Now arrived two Ambassadors from *France*, to pro-

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with them; upon which the E. of *Arran*, &c. fled. In 1588 an invitation by the E. of *Huntley* and others to the K. of *Spain*, and Pr. of *Parma*, to Invade *Scotland*, was detected by Queen *Elizabeth*, who gave the K. an account thereof; whereupon the E. fled, and Rebelled, but to little Purpose. In the Y. 1590, the K. brought his Queen from *Norway*, and had a Conspiracy against him discover'd, by the care of the Nobility and Ministers. In 1591 he was Assaulted in *Holyrood-House* by E. *Bothwell*, who upon the Cities rising was repulsed, and some of his Followers taken and hang'd. In 1592 the Parliament established Presbytery, and in *June* following *Bothwell*, made another attempt on the Palace of *Edinburgh*, but was repulsed, as before. In *December* a new Plot broke out of the Popish Nobility with *Spain*; whereupon Queen *Elizabeth* seeing that the Parties concern'd therein were not punished, sent to de-

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ing the K. of Spain to advance the *Infants's* Title to *England*; upon which Account K. *James* wrote likewise to the Pope, and sent his Letter by Sir *Edward Drummond*. *August* 5th. 1600. the E. of *Gowry*, and one of his Brothers were Slain in their Attempt to murder the K. which was afterwards severely revenged upon the *Ruthwens*. On the 31st of *March* in 1603. his Majesty, upon Queen *Elizabeth's* Death, was declared K. of *England*, &c. and on the 5th. of *April* following set out accordingly for that *Idom*, promising to return every Three Y. He was the first Monarch of great *Britain* and *Ireland*. His Title came by *Margaret Hemy* VIIIth's eldest Daughter; who marrying *James* the IVth of *Scotland*, had by him *James Vth*, who was succeeded by his Daughter *Mary* Mother to this K. *James*, by *Henry Lord Darnley*. He was appointed to be Crown'd on *St James's Day*; before which was come, a Design was discovered to have Seized him and *Pr. Henry*, for which several were Tried, and some Convicted. After there had been some Conferences about Religion, which were interpreted different Ways; the Powder Plot was discovered on the 5th of *November*, in 1604. which had been Maliciously carryed on by the Papists, tho' K. *James* had often delivered himself in their Favour. In 1606 the K. settled Bps. in *Scotland*, by a Parliament at *Perth*. Afterwards he made Peace with *Spain*, received two Visits from the K. of *Denmark*, 1st his Son *Prince Hemy*, Marry'd his Daughter to the Elestor *Palatine*, sent his Son *Pr. Charles* to *Spain* without Effect, Insulted *Earcons*, and sold the Cautionary Ts. in *Holland*, which had been secured by Queen *Elizabeth*. This K. died at *Theobalds*, having liv'd 59 Y. and reign'd 23. He was buried at *Westminster*. He was besotted with his beloved Motto *Beasi Pacifici*, so that

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he did little of Note. He was exceedingly well learned, and wrote several Books, all which are known.

James II. of *England*, and VIIIth. of *Scotland*, born the 14th of *October*, in 1633. of K. *Charles* I. and *Hemietra Maria*, daughter of *Henry* the IVth. of *France*, and soon after declared D. of *Tork*. In the time of the rebellion, tho' Young, he followed, his Father's Camp; and when *Oxford* was yielded, was carried to *St. James's*, whence he made a Shift to escape first to *Holland*, and thence into *France*, to his Mother. He afterwards waited on his Brother K. *Charles* II. from *Jersey* to *Breda*; Next he accepted of the Post of Lieutenant General under *Marschal Turcme*; and upon his being sick, was recommended to succeed him; but he was not only put by that, but likewise remov'd from his other Post, and ordered to quit *France*. Then he goes to his Brother at *Brussels*, and after engages in the *Spaniards* service; and at the Siege of *Dunkirk*, by *Cromwel* and the *French*, behaved himself so bravely at the head of some *English* Troops, that had it not been for the *Spaniards*, who could not be rallied when they had been once routed, he had turned the Fortune of the Day, and preserved the T. 12 Y. after, upon his Brother's Restoration, he returned with him, and was not long after, married to the Lady *Anne*, Daughter of the E. of *Clarendon*. In 1665 he began the *Dutch* War with 114 sail of Ships, and engaging his Enemies on the 3d. of *June*, after an obstinate Defence, entirely defeated them, and burnt and sunk several of their Ships. This being over, he left the Fleet under the E. of *Sandwich*, and returned to Court, where he was exceedingly Carels'd. In 1672 he went Admiral against the *Dutch* again, they having broken the Peace, and engaging them at *Southold Bay* a whole Day together, forced them to retire; and thence

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thinking to renew the Fight next Morning, was disappointed by a Mist. In 1673. he married the D. of *Modena's* Daughter, and some time after, upon the Heat of *Shaftsbury's* Faction, embarked with his Dutches for *Flanders*, where he was kindly entertained by the then Governor, and the Pr. of *Orange*, who had married his eldest Daughter in 1677. Upon his return to *England* he goes for *Scotland*, where he was likewise well received. Some time after his return to *Whitehal* he was sent High-Commissioner into *Scotland*, where he composed all Disorders, and returning to *England*, soon after went to his Trust again in the *Gloucester* frigate, which tho' lost, yet his Highness escaped, and came safe to *Scotland*. The May after he came back to *Whitehall*, where he lived in great Favour at Court, till the Death of his Brother K. *Charles II.* whom he succeeded on the 6th of Feb. in 1684 and was crown'd with his Queen, on the 23d. of April after. Tho' he began to reign well

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ly. He proved unfortunate again *Moors*, and the People of *Naxos*, occasioned him to get the Statute a firm Union between *Valencia* and *Catalonia*. He d. *Barcelona*, 66 Y. Old, having reigned 36, in 1327.

James (of *Lusignan*) K. of *Son* of *Pedro I.* and Pr. of *Tahuri* was taken Prisoner by the G. and confined till 1383. when his Nephew's Death, he was set liberty, on Condition that he give up *Famagusta* and its Ten. He succeeded *Lionel K. of Armes* died in 1410.

James, Base Son of *John III.* *Cyprus*, who upon his father's death, usurped that Kingdom from his sister *Isotta*, by Assistance of the *S. Melec Ella*. He died in 1473.

James K. of Majorca, cruelly possessed of his Dominions by *K. of Arragon*, in 1343 or 44. was therein opposed by Pope *Cli VI.* tho' without Effect. His *James* died of Grief, for being re-

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r of both Verse and Prose. He was chiefly concerned in the taking of *rages* in 1562. and afterwards Seized *una* in *Daupiny*, and reduced *Barons* &c. He partly secured *Charles* *th.* at *Meaux* from the Designs of *Huguenots*; which good service that K. acknowledged. He died 1585.

James, youngest Son of *Lewis*, D. of *Orleans*. He was a great Friend to *Charles* last D. of *Burgundy*, and served him against *Lewis* XIth, and was afterwards comprehended in the Peace in 1475. In Requital the D. of *Burgundy* assisted him against the *Swisses*, but routed in Two Battels in 1476. After this Friend's Death, *Edward* IV. in'd with *Maximilian* of *Austria*, and did him good Service. He was included in the Peace in 1482. and died afterwards in *Picardy*, Anno 1486.

James (*Paleologus*) a Gent. related to the *Byzantine* Emperors. After the fall of *Constantinople* in 1453. he was a *Dominican* at *Rome*; but being accus'd of Heresie, was put into the *custody*. Thence escaping, he pretended to be a *Protestant* in *Germany*, but after that, an *Arrian* in *Poland*; which coming to *Maximilian* II's Ear, recall'd him, and made him to abjure his Errors; but Relapsing, he was condemn'd, and Burnt in 1565. *Sophy* has written against him.

James Heraclides, or *Basilides*, a suppos'd Descendant from the ancient *Princes* and *Vaivods* of *Moldavia* and *Archieia*, who was settled in those Territories by the *Poles*, after they conquer'd Despot *Alexander* in 1561. Hereupon *James* got himself afterwards confirm'd in his said Station by an *Solyman* II. However he reign'd 3 Y's. for at the end thereof, the *Turks* suspecting the Truth of his Sent, attack'd and murder'd him in *Palace*.

St. James, or *San Jago*, (the chief *Spanish* Military Order of) founded on

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Account of 12 Gentlemen's offering to protect the Pilgrims, that went yearly to pay Devotion to the Relicks of *St. James* at *Compostella*. This was approv'd by *Pope Alexander* III. in 1175. and by *Pope Innocent* III. in 1198. The Knights at first observ'd the Vows of Religion, but have since been allow'd to marry. They at present wear a Cross, like a Sword, about their Necks, whose Pommel is a Heart, and on the Guards are Flower-de-luces; the latter suppos'd to denote, that the *French* often assisted the *Spaniards* against the *Moor*. The King is the Sovereign hereof, since *Ferdinand* and *Isabella* obtain'd that Right of the Pope.

James, or *Jacobus de Vitri*; a learned Person of the XIIIth Cen. He accompany'd the *Croissade*, and was made B. of *Ptolemais*, and after that, Cardinal and B. of *Frescati*. He wrote divers Treatises, and died at *Rome* in 1244.

James, or *Jacobus de Voragine*, AB. of *Genoa*, in the XIIIth Cen. He was exceedingly charitable, and gave the first Version of the Bible into *Italian*, which however was not printed. He died in 1298.

James-T. Cap. of *Virginia*, built by the *English* in 1607. and so nam'd from *James* I.

Janeiro, a R. and Prov. of *Brazil* in *America*, whose Cap. is *St. Sebastian*. It was first discover'd by a *Huguenot*, in 1515. from whom the *Portuguese* wrestled it in 1558.

Janiculum, a Mountain beyond the *Tiber*, where *Janus* settled himself, *Numa Pompilius* was buried, and where *Porcenna* encamp'd at his Besieging of *Rome*. It affords a pleasant Prospect; 'tis said *St. Peter* was here Murder'd. It is now call'd *Montorio* (the Golden Mountain) from its Colour.

Jannizaries, a Word made up of Two *Turkish* ones, which signifie New Soldiers. They are the Grand Signior's choicest Foot, having been formerly Christian Children, exacted in Lieu. of Tribute,

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represented double-fac'd, as reigning with him, and after his Death made a God of. His Temple at *Rome* denoted War and Peace, by being open in the former, and shut in the latter. This Temple was shut but twice to *Augustus's* Reign. The *Fabulists* will needs have this *Janus* to be *Nash*, whose Reasons for their Opinion I will pass over unquestion'd.

Faocheu, a large C. and Prov. of *Cbina*; in the latter of which the best *Porcelain* is made, at a Place call'd *Fuleang*.

Japan, a vast Empire in the *Eastern Ocean*, call'd by the Natives *Guepen*; whence comes the Name we give it by *Corruption*. It is made up of many Islands, whereof 3 are nam'd *Nippon*, which alone comprehend 53 Kdoms. The next is call'd *Ximo*, which has 9; and the third *Nicco*, has but 3. Some late Writers divide this Empire into 7 Parts, and say that *Nippon* only is 600 L. in Compass. On the W. it is distant from *China*, the Sea being between, at least 60 Ls. The Air of this Country is healthy, but commonly cold, and full of Snow; however the Mountains abound with hot Springs, but generally the Soil is not very fruitful. This Island abounds with Rivers, Lakes, and good Harbours, wherein Pearls are found. Here are most sort of Creatures, but horn'd Beasts, which are scarce. *Japan* has a great many good Mines, which enrich it. The Houses are generally of Wood. This Island was formerly, and is still, subject to one Pr. and now has 66 Kdoms in it, which breeds great Distractions, and frequent Wars. The Inhabitants are said to be our Antipodes in Manners; for they are always bareheaded, salute with their Slip-shoes; wear White for Mourning, and Black for Rejoicing; drink always hot Liquors, feed their Sick with salt Meats, never let Blood; receive Visitors sitting, and the like. They are Sprightly, Adroit and Strong, Tall and Stately, and shave their Heads,

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some but half, yet the Nobles shave all, except a hind Lock. Their Beauty chiefly consists in Black Teeth. Their Habits are short Gowns, with large embroider'd Sleeves, silk Doublets and Breeches, down to their Ankles. They have generally for Arms 2 Scimeters, a sort of Carabine, Bows and Arrows, and a Spear. They have likewise longer Pikes than we, which they manage dexterously. Nothing is richer and gawdier than their Womens Habits. They suffer none but the *Dutch* to trade with them, who outed the *Portuguezes* thence in 1622. and occasion'd a most terrible Persecution. One good Quality in these People is, that they never cheat in Trade, and therefore their Words may be safely relied upon, which all that Trade here are forc'd to acquiesce in. Their Language is exceeding Copious, Emphatical and Expressive, and has peculiar Dialects for the great Men, and the People. They write with a brush Pencil, and with Black or Red thick Ink. They only use one Side of their Paper, the other being colour'd and spotted with Silver. Their usual manner of Writing is in Columns, after the *Chinese* Way, and, like them, they begin on the Right Side. Great Numbers of both Sexes are assign'd for a Religious Life, and the Worship of their Idols. They have the Name of *Bonzes*, and are of 2 sorts, the *Grey* and *White*. Above 800 Houses of these *Bonzes* were in one Prov. in *Xavier's* time. There are 9 Sects in this Religion, and the *Bonzes* perswade the People that the Commandments of the Law can only be kept by them, so that the Laity are at Liberty to live as they please. The Government here is despotick, and every Lord has Power of Life and Death over his Subjects. The *Portuguezes* discover'd this Isl. in 1542. and in 1549. *Fran. Xavier* preach'd there, and converted a World of People; but in the Year following, upon the base Accusations of a cursed

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Flanderkin, the next Emp. utterly extirpated and destroy'd all that profest Christianity within his Dominions. The short Succession of the Emps. of *Japan*, I have omitted for Brevities sake. The Emps. Arms are 3 *Trefoils* *Argent* in a Field *Sables*.

Japhet Eldest Son of *Noah*, though *St. Austin* puts *Shem* before him. He had 7 Sons, 2 of which only had Issue. From *Japhet*, the Poets have borrow'd their *Japerus*, Uncle to *Jupiter*, who threw him Headlong into Hell.

Jarchas, a learned *Indian* Philosopher and Astronomer, whom *St. Jerome* says, *Apollonius Tyanæus*, went to visit in the *E. Indies*.

Jarchi, (*Solomon*) a learned Rabbi of the XIIIth Cen. who commented on the Bible, and the *Talmud*.

Jared, Father of *Enoch*, who lived 562 Years.

Jarnac, a small T. of *Angoumois* in *France*, Famous for the Battel gain'd by *Henry D. of Anjou* (afterwards *Henry III.*) on the *Huguenots*, commanded by

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annexed to the County of *Hampshire*. It extends in length 10 Miles, and in breadth 6; and has 12 Parishes, and 2 Castles. The Inhabitants speak *Norman-French*: The Soil is good and fertile, and the Seas about it afford great plenty of Fish, especially Lobsters, and Conger-Eels. The Manufacture here is chiefly Stockings, for making of which they have extream fine Wool; most of the Sheep have 4 Horns each. This Isle is famous for its latest Defection from *Charles II.* who rewarded its Loyalty with a Silver Mace upon his Restoration. The Dignity of Earl of this Place is at present enjoy'd, by the Lord *Edward Villers*.

Jarsige, (*Peter*) a famous French Protestant Convert, Antagonist of the Jesuits in the XVIth Cen. who upon their getting him Condemn'd by the Judge of *Rochele* to be Hang'd and Burnt, wrote a Book against them, call'd, *The Jesuits put upon the Scaffold*, wherein, and in another Treatise written afterwards, he handled them

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however he was forc'd to fly, and wanting a Place of Refuge, died Miserably at *Sparta*, and was never buried.

Jafon, a *Cyrenian* Historian of the 150th *Olymp.* who writ 5 Books of the *Macchabees*, which are abridg'd in the Bible.

Jafque, a *Persian* Principality whose Prince refusing Tribute, *Shaw Abbas II.* endeavouring to force him to it, was beaten by him; yet he afterwards going to *Mecca*, was surpriz'd and taken, and carried to *Ormus*, where in a little time he was deliver'd by his Wife, who came to his Rescue, and kill'd the *Man* that had the Custody of him. After this the Prince, by the help of some Allies routed another of the *Shaw's* Armies, with only the loss of his Lieutenant General, who having been taken, was tormented after a Barbarous Manner, till such time as the *Dutch East India Company* obtain'd, that he should be beheaded to end his Misery.

Jassi, a T. of *Moldavia*, not far from the Frontiers of *Poland*, remarkable only for being sometimes the Residence of the Records of that Country.

Jatre, or *Jatreus*, (*Mattbew*) a *Greek Monk* of the XIIIth Cen. who wrote two Poems in *Greek Verse*, printed at *Paris* in 1648. with a *Latin Version* and Notes.

Java, a large Isle in the *East-Indian Sea*, 200 Ls. long, and about 50 broad. It has the Isl. *Sumatra* on the W. the Isles of *Sund* on the E. the Ocean on the S. and the Isl. *Boerne* on the N. lics S. Lar. is between 5 and 10, and L. n. between 130 and 140 deg. It had formerly 9 Kms, and several Princes; but now has but 2 Princes, viz. of *Bantam*, and *Materan*, which last has the Title of Emp. of *Java*. The Metropolis is *Materan*, the Religion for the most part *Mahometan*, and the Soil exceeding fruitful, especially in Spicery. It has Mines of Gold, Silver, and Copper, with the 2 former of which the Ks. Palace was pay'd. The *Dutch* have the chief of the Trade here having seiz'd *Jacatra*

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in 1617. which they call'd *Batavia*. In 1684. they promoted a Rebellion against the K. of *Bantam* by his Son, and depriv'd the *English* of their Effects, without the least pretence of Justice.

Javan, Son of *Japhet*, from whom the *Ionians* descended.

Javarin, vide *Raab*.

Jawer, a *German*, T. and Dutchy in *Silesia*, not above 2 Miles from *Lignitz* to the S. and 9 from *Breslaw* to the W. both Dutchy, and T. are indifferently Populous.

Jayck, or *Rhymsus*, a large R. of *Asian Tartary*, which empties it self into the *Caspian Sea*, between *Rha* and *Jaxartes*; the *Huns* formerly Inhabited its Coasts, and the *Hungarian Language* is still retain'd there.

Jaycia, Cap. of *Bisnia*, recover'd from the *Turks* in 1453. but at length retaken by them, and made the Residence of a *Sangiac*.

Jaziges, formerly Inhabitants of *European Sarmatia*, being drove thence by 2 Kings of *Poland*, went for the most part, and liv'd in *Upper Hungary*.

Ibas, a great Favourer of *Nestorius*, was Bp. of *Edeffa* in the IVth and Vth Gen. Councils. Being restor'd to the Church, he was accus'd of Crimes by some of his Clergy whom he had excommunicated, but was never the less absolv'd by 2 Synods at *Tyre* and *Berytus*. Afterwards he was depos'd by a tham Synod, and extremely ill us'd; but was however restor'd by the Council of *Chalcedon*.

Ibrahim, the *Turkish Sultan*, succeeded *Amurath IVth* in 1640. upon the Death of his said Brother, he had been a close Prisoner for 4 Years, and could hardly be made to believe that he was declar'd Emp. Having overcome his Fears he was Crown'd, and in 1644. took *Canea* in *Candia*. For his Unsufferable Cruelties, and Male-Administration, he was depos'd in 1649. and at the same time strangled for his Contumacy, making way for his Son, *Mahomet* who succeeded him.

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Ibrahim, Grand Visier, and Favourite to *Solyman* the Magnificent. He was a *Genese Renegado*, and a great Favourer of the Christians; but being envied, *Roxana* inclin'd the Emperor to take him off, which, by reason he had sworn not to do it while he liv'd, he order'd to be done when he was asleep, that being a kind of Death.

Ilycus a *Grecian*, famous in the LXth *Olymp.* for Lyrick Poetry. He was Author of several Books. Being murder'd by Thieves, whilst they were assailing him, he call'd out to some Cranes to bear witness, which afterwards prov'd to be the Discoverers of the Murderers, who were taken and hang'd.

Icaria, a Mountain in *Attica*, whose Inhabitants were the first Tragedians and Comedians.

Icarus, Son of *Dædalus*, who escaping by Sea with his Father from the Fury of *Minos* King of *Crete*, that Ship wherein he was sunk; which gave ground for the Fable which is well known.

Icen, Ancient Inhabitants of *Suffolk*, *Norfolk*, *Cambridgeshire*. and *Huntington*.

Iconoclastes, a Name given in the VIIIth Cent. to Image-breakers, which in *Greek* it implies. The Chief of these were *Exile* of *Arabia*, the Emperors *Philip*, *Leo Isaurus*, and his Son *Constantine* and *Leo IV*. In the Emperess *Irene's* time in 787, Image-worship was re-establish'd by the Second Council of *Nice*.

Ictineus, a celebrated *Athenian* Architect, who built the famous Temple of *Minerva* and *Apollo* in the LXXXIVth *Olympiad*.

Ida, a very high Mountain of *Perga* in *Lesser-Asia*, famous for the Judgment of *Paris*, and for 2 Rivers springing out of it. Another Mountain of this Name was in *Crete*, where the *Corybantes* and *Idei Dædili* liv'd, and first invented Forging of Iron.

Idacius or *Hidathus* a *Spanish* Bishop, of the IVth Century, who writ a Chronicle from the Emp. *Theodosius* to *Leo*, in 454.

Idacius Clarus, another *Spanish* Bishop of the IVth Century, who wrote against the *Abollinarians*. and exposed

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ars. Likewise Men that had been very serviceable to their Country, such as *Hercules, &c.* The first Human Statue that was ador'd was made by a Father, to represent his dead Son, whom he greatly lov'd, and was therefore unwilling to forget, and to whose honour he instituted Sacrifices to divert his Grief. Also *Ninus* out of an imoderate Love to his Father *Belus*, used his Statue to be worshipp'd after his Death. Before this polish'd Pillars had been ador'd, which were afterwards improv'd to Human Shapes, ever and above the great Idols in Temples, the Ancient Pagans had little Idols in Niches, each of which had somewhat peculiar to distinguish him. All different Countries had different Gods, and those which were Universal had the Title of *Aznan*. Besides the Deities in Niches, there were others of a smaller Sort or Account, for which the oldsmith *Demetrius* had difference with *St. Paul* at *Ephesus*, because he injured his Trade by his Preaching. The better Sort in all Ages, have not hid their Devotion to the Reality, but in the Representation, though the Multitude ever had implicit Faith, which was sighted by the Answers of the Oracles. *Pythagoras* knew Man was not capable of conceiving a God, and therefore prohibited the representing of Deities. *Numa* confirm'd this Doctrine, which was maintain'd in *Rome* for 170 years, where there was no Statue of any Deity in all that time, tho' succeeding Ages admitted that stupid Vanity, and Men were punish'd for making use of their Reason. *Numa* severely revent an Irreligion offer'd to his Statue at *Antich*. Upon our Saviour's Birth, idolatry began a little to cease, for the Emperor *Claudius* forbid the Worship of false Gods. *Alex. Severus* slighted their Temples; and *Maximin* melted down their Statues, and confiscated their Ornaments. At length *Constantine* the Great totally demolish'd their Temples and overthrew their Images; his

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Son *Constantinus* publish'd very severe Edicts against them; and tho' *Julian* the Apostate sought all he could to restore them, yet *Theodosius*, who began his Reign *An. 392.* obtain'd of the *Romans*, that all Idols should be pull'd down, except some few reserv'd only for Ornament to the City. He also had the famous Temple of *Serapis* at *Alexandria*, destroy'd together with its Idol, which was made of the Dust of pounded precious Stones, mixt with the richest Metals. This Work so well begun, was afterwards compleated by the Edicts of *Arcadius* and *Honorius*; however, some Temples were left standing for Ornaments, and were converted into Christian Churches. In 409 when the *Goths* had besieged *Rome* under their K. *Alaric*, some Pagan Priests that yet remain'd there, pretended to raise the Siege by sacrificing to their Gods, but which proving of no effect, the *Goths* at length compell'd the *Romans* to purchase their Peace at a great rate. At the second coming of *Alaric*, the Pagans and their Idols were wholly extirpated, as we may read from *Orosius*. In 420 *Vishu* the Tribune levell'd all the Idol Temples in *Africa*, and appointed the Ground where they stood for Burials. About 3 Years after *Theodosius Junior*, to put a final end to Idolatry, ordered that whatever related in the least thereunto should be entirely abolished.

Idomeneus, a Greek Captain, who happening to be in a Storm in his return home from the Siege of *Troy*, vowed to sacrifice, in case of his Escape, the first Person he met with; which proving to be his Son, he would have perform'd his Vow, but was prevented by his Subjects, banishing him for his intended Barbarity.

Idria, a Town in the Prov. of *Gorizia* in *Friuli*, famous for Quicksilver Mines.

Idris, a Great Person of *Arabia*, descended from *Ali*, who was the first Introducer of *Mahometanism* into Western *Barbary*. His Son *Idris* became one of the

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the most potent Califfs, and built *Pex* in 793.

Idfarcus (Gravins) a Priest of *West-Friezland*, who continued the History of his Country from 763 to 1514 wherein he liv'd.

Idumea, a Prov. of the *Holy Land* called in the Scripture *Edom*, whose Inhabitants were conquered by *David*, and upon their Revolt, reduced by *Jebosaphat* and afterwards by *Joram*. Upon *Nebuchadnezzar's* besieging *Jerusalem*, they join'd with him against the *Jews*, but were some time after conquered by *Hircanus*, who obliged them to become *Jews*. By this Profeliteship they were only excluded the *Sanhedrim*.

Jebus, Founder of the *Jebusites*, and Godfather to *Jerusalem*, if we may believe *St. Jerom*; whence they were excluded in *David's* time.

Jehonias or *Jehoiachim*, King of *Judea*. He reigned with his Father *Joachim*, till *An. Mundi* 3435. when he had the sole Administration of Affairs. The Year after, he was carried to *Babylon* by

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Idol Amida is mostly worshipped here. Its Figure is a Human Body with a Dog's Head, mounted on a Horse with 7 Heads, and placed on an Altar, plated with Silver half an Inch thick, the whole adorn'd with many Diamonds and Pearls. The Temple of this Idol is by much the finest in the City. There is another Temple which none but the Emp. the *Archi-Bonze*, and those of the Royal Family, can enter. The Streets of this City are very long, and one is near 4 Leagues in length. The Inhabitants have Publick Stone Ware-houses to secure their Goods, in case of a Fire. The great Houses are generally built on the highest Eminences.

Jehova, the Hebrew Name of God, called also *Tetragrammaton*, from the 4 Letters it has, only in that Language. The *Jews* are forbid to mention this Name, and formerly the High Priests only were allowed to utter it, and that but once a Year.

Jebu Xeth King of *Israel*, who was appointed by God to extirpate the *Idols*.

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Alexander the Great was born. *upar*, a City and Kingdom of the *Mogul's* Dominions.

Jephtha, IXth Judge of *Israel*, who vowed, that in case he defeated *Ammonites*, he would sacrifice the first he met; and his only Daughter first to congratulate his Victory, formed his Vow upon her by her name. He afterwards slew 42000 *Ephraimites* that had rebelled. *Jephtha's* Daughter, the young Women used to meet by, and mourn her forty Days. *Agamemnon* liv'd about this and sacrificed *Iphigenia* in imitation of *Jephtha*. This last died A. M. having govern'd 6 Years.

Hierapolis, rather *Hierapolis*, a Bishop's *Phrygia*, now call'd by the *Turks* *Jebeber*.

Jeremiah the Prophet, who began to live in the 13th of King *Josiah*, which was not fulfilled in that King's time. His Successor *Jachin* cur and this Prophecy; however, the Lord renewed it, and by God's Command made great Additions to it. He incensed the *Jews*, who thereupon imprison'd him in a Cave; but escaping, he was thrown into a Cistern, where he would have been had he not been relieved by an Angel belonging to King *Zedekiah's*.

According to his Prophecy *Babylonians* took *Jerusalem*, A. M. when the Prophet was excused for his privacy; but the *Jews* rebelling against the new Governour, and killing all his Men, they fled into *Eden* and forced this Prophet and *Balaam* with them, where they are now stoned to death, for he had given his Threats and Reproaches against them.

Jeremiah, 1st Patriarch of *Constantinople*, who going to visit our Saviour's grave at *Jerusalem*, his Followers by the Way; whereupon putting him back, one *Franciscus* got *Jerusalem* Office; however, at his return

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he had him expell'd. He was with much ado prevail'd on to pay the same Tribute, and afterwards delivered his People from Oppression, by means of the Grand *Visier*, who was his Friend. His death happened in 1545.

Jeremiah II. was preferr'd to the same Patriarchship at 33 Years of Age, in 1572. He was imprison'd by the Grand *Signior*, for being suspected to have corresponded with the Pope, and was afterwards banished on the same Account.

Jericho, a celebrated City, of the Holy Land, built by the *Jesuites* in a large Plain, whilst the *Israelites* were in Bondage in *Egypt*. Being destroyed by *Joshua*, it was 531 Years after rebuilt by *Ahab*. 336 Years afterwards it was ruin'd again by *Nebuchadnezzar*. Being recovered, our Saviour honoured it with his Presence and divers Miracles. On the N. side lies the Mountain where he fasted 40 Days in a Cave. There is a Grot painted with several Figures, where the Angels brought him Sustenance. About 68 Years after Christ, *Titus* took this City. It afterwards became a Bishop's See, but at length fell into the Hands of the *Sarazens*. It was recover'd in the Holy War, but being taken a second time by the Infidels, they entirely ruin'd it, so that it has not now above 30 or 40 Houses, in which *Arabs* live. It is said to have formerly a Hippodrome, an Amphitheatre, and a noble Palace wherein *Herod the Great* lived. The Plains of *Jericho* had formerly Balm-Trees, but now there is only the Fruit *Zacon*, a sort of wild Pumb, which produces Oil of a Sinative Quality.

Jermy, (*Henry*) Son of Sir *Thomas* of that Name, of *Rushbroke* in *Suffolk*, attended *Charles I's* Queen into *England*, and convey'd her safe to *Oxford*, to his Majesty, through no common Dangers; for which and other good Services, the King made him by Letters Patent Baron *Jermy* of *St. Edmondsbury*. After which going out of *England* again with

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the Queen, he lived with her 16 Years; during which he was of K. *Charles II's* Privy Council, and often employed by him in Embassies. At length that King for many eminent Services, created him Earl of *St. Albans*; and upon his Restoration made him Lord Chamberlain of his Household. The present Possessor of this Dignity is.

Jeroboam I. King of *Israel* was first raised by *Solomon*, who when he knew he was in some likelihood to succeed him, endeavoured all he could to destroy him, and obliged him to fly into *Egypt*. After *Solomon's* death, *Jeroboam* petitioned *Rehoboam* for redress of Grievances, whereto he giving no satisfactory Answer, 10 of the Tribes were seduced by *Jeroboam*. Now began the Kingdoms of *Judah* and *Israel*. *Jeroboam* falling into Idolatry, to prevent his Subjects going to *Jerusalem*, a Prophet prophesy'd, that there should one *Josias* come of the Race of *David*, who would introduce the True Worship, and kill all the false Priests upon an Altar, which was accordingly verified 250

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he became so knowing, that Pope *Damasus* often advised with him. Being ordained Priest, tho' a Monk, he went to *Constantinople* to hear *St. Greg. Nazianzen* preach. Next Year he was made Secretary to Pope *Damasus*; but at length being envied by the *Origenists*, he was forced to return to his beloved Retirement at *Bethlem*, where he had a Grov. In a Book he wrote in praise of *Virginity*, he seemed to speak against *Marriage*; whereupon he was advised to write an Apology, which he did, he intermixt with Satyr. He was a great Opposer of *Pelagius*, yet was however afterward reconciled to him. He died near 80 Years old, or as *Cave* says, 91. He is greatly commended by *Erasmus*, and preferred to *Cicero* for Eloquence. He was however not a little to be blamed for his Satyrical Way, which he vented on every slight occasion, and spared not even *St. Paul*. The best Edition of his Works was printed at *Paris* in 9 Tomes, in 1623.

Jerom of *Prague*, was Disciple of *Wicliff* and *Hus*, whose Doctrine he pro-

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Jebus a Fort built by the *Jebusites*, who took it. *Joshua* recovered it, and after his Death the *Jebusites* retook it; however the *Israelites* quickly took it from them all but the Fort *Jebus*, which they kept till *David's* time, who made himself Master both of that and the City, and called it after his own Name. *Solomon* built herein several noble Structures, as his Temple, Palace, &c. After his death *Sesostris* King of *Egypt* took and plundered it; from whom *Joash* recovered it. The *Assyrians* took it from *Manasseh*, and *Nebuchadnezzar* from *Jebusachim*. This last made *Zedekiah* King, but who displeasing him, he returned after 10 Years, and getting Possession of the City burnt it; and having put out *Zedekiah's* Eyes, carried him and his People Captives. 70 Years after, the *Jews* were sent home by *Cyrus*, when they rebuilt their City and Temple. After this *Alexander* the Great had *Jerusalem* yielded up peaceably. Next *Ptolemy* *Lagus* took it by Surprise; and it was afterwards taken and sacked by *Antiochus* *Epiphanes*; yet a little after recovered by *Judas* *Maccabeus*. *Pompey* and *Herod* being offended at the *Jews*, suffered their Soldiers to plunder it; yet the latter repaired and beautified it. Next *Titus* became Master of it A. 70, and committed it to the Flames, which scarce left the least Remains of it. Then *Adrian* rebuilt it, and named it *Elia* *Capitolina*, after he had driven the *Jews* from all Parts, and forbidden them so much as to look back upon their City. Nay, to punish them farther, he had the Figure of a Hog placed over *Bethlem-Gate*. This Emperor likewise built there divers Pagan Temples, which continued to the time of *Constantine* the Great, who demolished them, and built Christian Churches in their Room. In the Reign of *Heraclius*, *Chosroes* King of *Persia* took *Jerusalem*. In the VIIth and VIIIth Cent. this City and Country became a Prey to the *Sarazens*, who kept them till the time of *Charlemagne*, who had a Present

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made of *Jerusalem* to him by *Aaron* R. of *Persia*. After *Charlemagne* was dead, the Infidels recovered it, till *Godfrey* of *Bouillon* took it, and gave beginning to the Kingdom of *Jerusalem*. His Successors were continually molested by the *Sarazens*, and under King *Guy*, *Saladine* conquered *Jerusalem* and its Kingdom, except some few Places. Several others had it after him; but at length it fell to the Grand Signior, who now enjoys it. *Jerusalem* has now but few Inhabitants, whereof most are either Soldiers, Priests, or belonging to Justice. Over and above the *Turks*, here are *Arabians*, *Armenians*, *Abyssinians*, *Nestorians*, *Maronites*, *Greeks*, *Jews*, and some *Roman* Catholic Monks. These last have a Monastery, besides a Cell in the *Holy Sepulchre*. The City is situate on a rocky Mountain, of easie access every where, but towards the N. On the E. it has Mount *Oliver*, the Vale of *Jehosaphat* lying between. On the N. the Brook *Kidron*. On the S. the Mountain of *Scandal* and Vale of *Gehinnom*. On the W. it was formerly fenced with the Mountain and Vale of *Gihon*, and Mount *Sion* then lay within the City, and had on the E. the famous Temple, between which and the City stood the Royal Palace. Mount *Calvary*, which was formerly without the Walls to the N. W. is now in the middle of the City, which is distant about 40 Miles from *Joppa*, 150 from *Damascus*, to the S. 300 from Grand *Cairo* to the N. E. and 400 from *Alexandria*. Long. 69, 00. Lat. 32, 44. The Church of the *Holy Sepulchre*, tho' formerly subject to that of *Cæsarea*, yet by the 5th Gen. Coun. and 2d of *Constantinople* was preferred. In the *Nicaean* Coun. it obtained the Patriarchate, but that without Saffragans, which were however allowed it afterwards. This Church has had divers Bishops, and undergone great Persecutions. Over and above those of the Apostles, &c. there was a Gen. Coun. held there by Bishop *Narcissus* in 197. Afterwards *Constantine* the Great caused

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an Assembly of Bishops to meet there, to consecrate his Temple, which was performed with great Solemnity. *Maximus* of *Jerusalem* convened a *Synod* in 350, and Bishop *Juvenal* another in 554. In the beginning of *Justin's* reign a Council was held in 581, and another by Bishop *Peter* in 526. Another was held here in 533, wherein the 5th *Gen. Coun.* was approv'd. In 633 a Council was assembled by Patriarch *Sophronius*, and another was convened in 762. *Godfrey* of *Bruillon*, upon taking this City, called one in 1099, and another was assembled afterwards in 1107. Another in 1111, against the Emperor *Henry IV.* Another in 1115. Another in 1126 or 1142.

Jessenius, (*John*) a learned *Bohemian*, who foretold the death of the Emperor *Matthias*, and lost his own Life for so doing.

Jessy, (*Tora de*) a large Country beyond *Japan*, divided from it by the *Streights of Sunkar*. It was discovered by the *Dutch* in 1643. and has been found to be separated from *Tartary* by

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They wrought for their Livings, and intermeddled with neither Church nor State.

Jesuites, a Religious Order founded by *Ignatius Loyala* in 1534. and confirmed first by *Paul III.* and afterwards by the several Popes *Julius III.* *Pius V.* and *Gregory XIII.* who all granted them great Privileges. They make besides 3 Vows, a 4th to the Pope, concerning Missions. Their General is perpetual, has 4 Assistants, and resides always at *Rome*. The Members of this Society are either Professors, Spiritual Coadjutors, or Priests, Temporal Coadjutors, or Lay-Brothers, Regents or Students, who have the name of Masters, or lastly Novices. This Order differs in two Things, with other Popish Sects; First in their Opinion concerning Predestination and Grace: And, Secondly, in Morals, which they are accused to have vitiated. Several Books have been written on both sides, all which may be found in the *Provincial Epistles*. They are now a powerful Society, but had they kept to the Rules they agreed to

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of *Dionysius Exiguus*, who first began to reckon from our Saviour's Birth in 527. which however was not received in the *W.* till 870. and never in the *E.* where they still count from the Creation. This Monk placed this Birth *A.M.* 3950. notwithstanding which the *Vulgar Era*, did not begin till 4 Years after. The time of his death has been no less disputed, than his Birth; but Mr. *Dodwel*, in his *Disertations* sufficiently proves, that he was 38 Years old when he was crucified. Our Saviour's Name has dignified a Military Order of *Portugal*, and another instituted at *Avignon* by Pope *John XXII.* in 1320. whose Knights differ somewhat in Habit from the former.

Jesus of *Jerusalem*, Son of *Sirach*, who writ the Book of *Ecclesiasticus* from *Solomon's Proverbs*, which a Grandson of his has since translated out of *Hebrew*.

Jethran, a Mountain of *Arabia Petraea*, only remarkable for its Semicircular Form, which reverberates the Wind with that violence, that many Ships in the *Red-Sea* have been thereby wrecked.

Jethro, or *Raguel* a Priest, a supposed King of *Arabia*, and *Moses's* Father-in-Law. He visited his said Son upon his great Fame, and advised him to divide and subdivide the People, that he might the better introduce Civil Government among them.

Jezebel, Wife of King *Ahab*, who as an impious Woman persuaded her Husband to adore *Baal*, and kill the Lord's Prophets. *Elijah* escaping, procured the death of 450 of *Baal's* Priests by his Prayers; which incensing *Jezebel*, she threatened him, and thereupon he fled farther. At length the Murderer of innocent *Naboth*, provoking God, *Ahab* was slain, and Queen *Jezebel* thrown out of the Window by *Jehu*, and devoured by Dogs.

Ferdinand, King of *Persia*, who being killed by a Prince of the *Sarazens*, his Name became an *Era* among the

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Arabian Astrologers, and *Persians*, beginning with his death in 632. but it was reformed in 1079 by a King of *Corasan*.

Jezid I. 5th Successor of *Mahomet* in the *Caliphship*: Having spent his time in writing Love-Verses, he provoked the *Arabians* to chuse another *Caliph*; whereupon *Jezid* raised an Army, and gave the Command of it to his Brother *Abdala*, who killed the new *Caliph* treacherously. After this *Jezid* made himself yet more hated, and reigned but 3 Years; and his Successor *Muata* but 6 Months.

Jezid II. 11th *Caliph*, who began to reign in 723. He sent his General *Marwan* against another *Jezid*, who pretended to *Persia*, and was marching to besiege *Damascus*; but meeting with *Marwan*, he was defeated and killed. He commanded all the Images to be taken out of the Christian Churches in 724. but died in 727. before his Commands were executed.

Jezid or *Gelid*, 13th *Caliph*, succeeded his Father *Gualid*. He subdued *Cyprus*, and transported the Inhabitants to *Syria*. He cut out the Tongue of the Patriarch of *Damascus*, for preaching against the *Manichees* and *Arabians*, and then finishing him, he was murdered. This Prince was insiduously killed by the *Sarazens*.

Jezides, a Sect who had their Name from *Jezid* I. who slew the Sons of *Ali Mahomet's* Father-in-Law. There are about 200000 of these in *Turkey* and *Persia*. They are both black and white. The latter are dressed in all respects like *Turks*, except their Shirts, where they have only a Hole to put their Heads through, thereby commemorating a Glory that descended on the Neck of their *Cheik* or Prince, after he had fasted 40 Days. The former are Monks of this Sect, yet may marry; and though they have the Title of *Fakirs* (*Poor*) yet love Riches inordinately. The *Turks* hate them both, for their Religion and their Founders, having killed their

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Prophet's Relations. You cannot affront a *Turk*, more than to call him a *Jezid*. This Sect is loaded with very heavy Taxes by the *Turks*, whom they hate, but they love the Christians, inclining rather to the *Messiah* than the *Mahomet*. They eat Pork, love Drinking, and shun Circumcision as much as they can. They are ignorant, and believe implicitly in the Bible, Gospel and Alcoran, which they say came all three from Heaven. They have no Temples to pray in, but they would make use of our Churches, were it not for fear of the *Turks*. They have no Feasts, and all their Worship consists in Spiritual Hymns. They pray towards the *East*, and never curse the Devil, lest he should come in Favour again with God, and revenge it on them. They commonly bury in unconsecrated Ground, tho' the Rich have Places assigned them. They sing and play at their Funerals, and must never lament. The black *Jezides*, though but simple Shepherds, are so much respected by

Persecution, having maintained the Faith before *Trajan*, *An. 107.* he was condemned, and torn to pieces by wild Beasts in the Amphitheatre at *Rome*. Whilst he was carrying thither in Chains, he wrote his Epistles, which some will have to be 7, others more, but others but 6, which last Opinion is the best received. The best Edition of these was published at *Amsterdam* in 1697.

Ignatius 3. Son of *Michael* the first *Curopolates*, and Patriarch of *Constantinople*, whom *Leo Armenus* made an Eunuch, upon dechroneing his Father. Hereupon he changed his Name of *Nicetas* to *Ignatius*, and retired to a Monastery. Some time after being chosen Patriarch, and approved by the Empress Regent *Theodora*, her Brother-in-Law *Bardas*, proving his Enemy, got him turned out and banished; but in the ensuing Reign, he was restored, and his Rival *Photius* removed to a Monastery.

Ignatius Loyola, a Gentleman of *Bay*, born in 1491. who turning Soldier

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revived with Vigour; but 7 of them being surprized by the Inquisitor General, were burnt, which enclined the rest to abjure.

Illyria and *Illyricum*, which anciently contained a large Country between *Pannonia* and the *Adriatick Sea*. It was divided into *Liburnia* and *Dalmatia*, the former conquered by the *Romans*, near the 2d *Punick War*, but the latter not before *Augustus* subdued it. The Inhabitants were great Pirates.

* *Illythia*, a Pagan Divinity formerly invoked by Women in Labour.

* *Illyricus*, (*Mathew Flavius*) a celebrated Divine of the Confession of *Ausbourgh*, born in *Illyria* in 1520. who was Author of many Books, yet through the Turbulency of his Temper, he introduced so many Disorders into the Church, that after his Death, some did not stick to say of him, *That the best thing he ever did, was to die*. *Bale* blames *Moreri* for placing him under *Francovitz*.

Ilus IV. K. of Troy, Son of *Tros* and Brother of *Ganimed*. He reigned 54 Years, and was succeeded by *Laomedon*.

Iman, a Name given by the *Mahometans* to their Priests.

Imaus, a large Mountain of *Asia*, which begins near the *Caspian Sea*, and running through the whole Continent, Southward, ends at the Mouth of *Ganges*, where it spreads again to the East and West, and becomes a Northern Boundary to the Great *Mogul's* Empire. It receives various Names from the Countries it passes through.

Imbrael, 21st Caliph after *Mahomet*. He had great Wars with *Theophilus*, Emperor of *Constantinople*, from whom having taken many considerable Prisoners, he refused a Ransom for em of 2500 0 Double Gold Ducats, which occasioned the Emperor to die of Grief, after which *Imbrael* reigned to 849, when he died likewise.

Imerece, or *Imirece*, a Kingdom of *Asia Major*, bounded on the S. by the Principality of *Gurriel* and *Georgia*, and

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on the N. by the *Black-Circassians* or *Huns*, who anciently over-ran the *Roman Empire*. This Country abounds with Mines, woody Hills, and fruitful and pleasant Vallies and Plains. The Inhabitants are much of the Nature of the *Mingrelians* their Neighbours. The King has 3 good Fortresses, and having refused Obedience to the Emperors of *Constantinople* and *Trebitz*, for a long time lorded it over his Neighbours; but at length the Grand Signior forced them all to pay him Tribute. This King pretends to descend from King *David*.

Imola, a fine and populous City and Bishoprick in the *Papacy*, supposed to have been built by the *Romans*, destroyed by *Narves*, and revived by the *Lombards*.

Imperial Cities, are those that have a Title to send Deputies to the *Diets* of the Empire of *Germany*.

Imperiale, a City and Bishoprick of *S. America*, built by the *Spaniards*, but after some time taken and destroyed by the *Indians*.

Imperioli, (*John Vincent*) a valiant and learned *Genoese* Duke, of the XVIIth Cent. who was banished his Country out of Envy. He wrote divers Pieces of Poetry, as well in *Latin* as *Italian*, which were well received.

Imperiali, (*John Baptista*) a learned Physician of *Vicenza* in the XVIth Cent. He was Author of divers Treatises, and had a Son named *John Imperiali*, who penned several others.

† *Impudence*, a Goddess of the *Athenians*, who likewise adored *Shame* in another Temple.

Ina, a *West-Saxon* King in 690. He performed many warlike Exploits, and ended his Days at *Rome*. He first granted *Peter-Pence* to the Pope, and made some wholesome Laws, which continue to this Day.

Inachius, Founder of the Kingdom of the *Azigers* in *Poloponessus*. The Poets make him Father of *Io*, bestowed by *Jupiter*.

Inca, the former Name of the *Peruvian* Emperors, and the present of the Nobility of that Country. *Inci-*

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Incitatus, the Name of *Caligula's* Horse, that he would have made *Consul*. This brutish Emperor conversed with him, had him treated in State, fed him with guilt Barley in an Ivory Manger, and a Marble Stable. He often had him to dine with him, gave him drink himself in a Gold Cup, and clothed him after a sumptuous manner.

Inchofer, (*Melchior*) a learned German Jesuite, who wrote a Book, which though he was accused for, yet was he only obliged to change the Title. He died at *Milan*, in 1648. and was the supposed Author of a Satyr upon the *Jesuites*.

Incorruptible, *Alexandrian* Hereticks in the Emperor *Justinian's* Reign, who were so called, from their maintaining the Incorruptibility of *Christ's* Body.

Incubus, a General Name among the Pagans for the *Fauns* and *Satyrs*, because they were supposed to lye with Women. It is also a Disease vulgarly called the *Nightmare*, and in Greek *Epibialtes*, which occasions a sort of Suffocation, by a Stoppage of the Vital Spi-

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who have settled on some of the Coasts. Its Long. is from 105 to 159, and Lat. from 10 of Southern Latitude to 44 of Northern. This large Country's Bounds are *Persia* to the W. *China* on the E. The Gulph of *Bengala* and *Indian Sea* as far as *Calecut*, on the S. and *Asiatick-Tartary* on the N. Its two principal Rivers are *Indus* and *Ganges*. Its Division is into the Continent and Islands. The Continent may be subdivided into, 1. The Empire of the Great *Mogul*, or Northern *India*, particularly called *Indostan*, wherein are 35 Kingdoms. 2. The Peninsula of *Malabar*, containing the Dominions of *Golconda* and *Visapour*, which comprehend the Kingdoms of *Samorin*, *Cochin*, *Decan*, *Calecut*, *Coulan*, *Nezapatan*, *Bijnagor*, *Narsingua*, &c. 3. The Peninsula, of *India* extra *Gangem*, which lies more Easterly, and has in the N. the Kingdoms of *Ave*, *Pegu*, *Arracan*, &c. in the S. the Kingdom of *Siam*, and in the E. *Cochinchina* and *Tunquin*. The principal Islands belonging to *India*, are *Borneo*, *Ceylan*, *Java*,

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subdued a Part. *Alexander* the Great was the first of the *Greeks* that made any Conquest here, but which he could not keep. About the end of the XVth Cent. the *Portuguese* began a Settlement here, which they have since improved, but have nevertheless been outwitted in many Places by the *Hollanders*: However, *Goa*, &c. are very rich, and belong to the former. The *Indians* are generally Tawny and Robust, but exceeding Incontinent and Slothful. They eat lying, use abundance of Sallet named *Bette*, and drink Palm and Rice Wines. They understand Physick, Astrology, and a little Mathematicks; but have no taste of any other Learning. The *Pagans* burn the Dead, and the Wives perish in the Flames with them, as a Token of their Constancy. The Religions here, are either *Pagan*, *Mahmetan*, *Jewish* or *Christian*. The latter is said to have been brought hither by *St. Thomas*, and his Body pretended to have been found here, which was thereupon transported to *Goa*, and a fine Church built over it. Others have preached the Gospel here, but none have gained so many Profelytes as the *Portuguese*, who have converted abundance, and still continue them in the Faith. The Idolaters chiefly inhabit the Southern Parts, who some of them hold a Transmigration of Souls, and therefore will kill nothing that has Life. The *Penitents* are wonderful, who keep themselves in an unnatural Posture for Years together, which is scarce credible, though affirmed by *Tavernier*. The *Pagans* far exceed the *Mahmetans* in Number, and are either *Bramins*, (Priests and Descendants from the *Indian* Philosophers) *Ketris*, (Merchants that feed upon Living Creatures) *Raspoutes*, (Troopers who hold that Souls go into Birds, and therefore are great Observers of them) *Banians*, (Bankers and Brokers, who eat no living Thing, but twice a Day, and are much respected) *Jogues*, (Pilgrims that subsist upon Alms, and expose themselves to Austerities; yet are nevertheless great

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Impostors. They have a Superior, whom they chuse annually.) *Charades*, (Foot Soldiers.) *Verteas*, (a kind of white Monks, who live upon Scraps, sweep their Way before them, for fear of killing any thing, and make a Vow to live single.) Lastly, *Paquirs* (another sort of Monks, who sleep astride upon thick Ropes, and often fast 8 or 9 Days together. These are the *Penitents* before-mentioned.) The *Mahmetans* are either *Sounis* or *Chiais*, the one following *Abubeker*, and the other *Ali*. The Great *Mogol* is of the latter Sect, being the same with that of the *Turks*. The Trade of these Countries consists, chiefly in the *Mogol's* Country, in all sorts of Spices, Aloes, Musk, Rhubarb, Worm-Seed, Civets, Indigo, Lacker, Borax, Opium, Amber, Myrcbolans, Sal-Armoniack, Silk, Cottons, Callicoes, Satins, Taffaties, Velvets, Carpets, Metals, Precious Stones, Porcelain, &c. In the Peninsula of *India* intra *Gangem*, the chief Commodities are Metals, Cottons, Pearls, Drugs, Dates, Coco-nuts, Rice, Ginger, Cinna-mon, Pepper, Cassia, &c. Those of *India* extra *Gangem* are Gold, Silver, precious Stones, Silks, Porcelain, Aloes, Musk, Rhubarb, Alabafter, &c. The Coin current here are *Roupies*, *Larins*, and *Pagods*. The *Indians* at present understand the Use of Fire-Arms, tho' they formerly had nothing but Bows and Arrows. They use Elephants with Castles in their Wars. The *Mogol* abounds most with them. All these large Countries were about 200 Years ago, under one Prince, but now under several, the Chief whereof are the Great *Mogol*, and the Kings of *Visapour* and *Golconda*.

Indiction, a Revolution of 15 Years, a Computation, which some will have instituted by *Julius Caesar*, others by *Augustus*, but the best approved Writers say it was first begun by *Constantine the Great*, in 312. upon his Victory over *Maxentius* near *Rome*. It must be observed that Historians speak of 2 sorts of these Indictions, 1. *Constantinopolitan*,
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that began on the 1st of *Sept.* in the vulgar *Æra* of the *Greeks*. 2dly, *Imperial*, on account of the mentioned *Victory*; this began on the 24th of *Sept.* 3dly, *Roman*, or *Pontifical*, us'd in the *Popes Bulls*, &c. this Commences the 1st of *Jan.* of the *Julian Year*. All these three must be carefully and diligently distinguish'd, by those that would be exact in the Knowledge of *Grecian Antiquity*. A *Scheme* or *Table* for the better finding out of this, may be seen in *Colliers Geogr. Histor. and Poet. Dictionary*; to which, for Brevities sake, I refer the Reader.

Indigites, Demi-Gods list'd among the Pagan Divinities for their Heroick Actions. Likewise anciently the Name of a People of *Spain*.

Indostan, the Great *Mogol's Empire*, which has *Asiatick Tartary*, and the *Rdom. of Thibet* on the N. the Empire of *Persia* on the W. the R. *Cosmin* or *Cosmire*, on the E. and the *Bengala-Bay*, and *Malabar-Promontory* on the S. Besides these, the *Mogol* has some Domi-

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tholicks, Mr. *Morery*, confesses it is oftentimes abus'd, whereof he gives divers Examples. *Hoffman* and *Spanheim* say, that the too rigid Penances of the Primitive Church, occasion'd this sort of Mitigation, which afterwards degenerated, and became what it is at present.

Indus, a celebrated River, which gives Name to the *Indians*. †

Ingelheim, a small T. belonging to the *Electo Palatine*, famous for being the Birth-place of the Emperor *Charlemain*, and for having had two General Councils held in it, the former in 788, and the latter in 948.

Ingelrain, Bp. of *Merz*, was Almoner and Chaplain to *Charles the Great*, and may be remembred here, for having brought the Collection of *Canons* from *Pope Adrian*. He had afterwards the Title of *Archbp.* and died in 791.

Ingeneers, a word at first only applicable to the Managers of Fortifications, but has since been given to other Officers. They had the name from their

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Ingulphus, Abbot of *Croyland*, in 1076. He was a *Londoner* Born, and in great Favour with *William the Conqueror*, whose Secretary he was. He was Author of the History of his Monastery, the best Edition of which was printed at *Oxford* in 1684.

Inverlichti, a T. famous for having been formerly the Place of Residence of the Kings of *Scotland*, on account of the pleasant Country that lies about it. It is remarkable at present for a Fort that curbs the *Highlanders*.

Inverness, an Ancient Scotch T. Situate on the *R. Ness*, and Cap. of a County of its own Name, of which the *D. of Gordon* is Hereditary Sheriff. The River instead of freezing, dissolves Ice, and has extraordinary good Salmon-Fishery.

Innocent I. (Pope) Successor of *Anastasi* I. in 402. He defended *St. Chrysostom*, and reprov'd *John of Jerusalem*, for siding with *Pelagius* against *St. Jerome*. He condemn'd the *Catharist* Heresy, as also that of *Pelagius* and *Celestine*. He was sent by the Emp. *Honorius* to *Alaric*, K. of the *Goths*, to prevent his coming against *Rome*, but which had no Effect. He died in 417, and was said to have been the Author of 34 Epistles, some of which nevertheless are suspected to be spurious.

Innocent II. (Pope) succeeded *Honorius* II. in 1130. having had many considerable Employments before he had that Office. At the same time an Anti-Pope was chosen, and espoused by the *Romans*, which occasion'd *Innocent* to fly to *France*, where he held several Councils, in one of which he was pronounced true Pope. He Crowned an Emperor at *Liege*, and a King of *France* at *Rheims*. Upon his return to *Italy*, he enter'd *Rome* with the Emp. *Lotharius*. After he had held the 2d Gen. Council of *Literan*, he was made Prisoner by Roger K. of *Sicily*, who released him upon his giving him the Investiture of that Kdom. Having endeavour'd to persuade *Henry* King of

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England, to engage in the *Croisade*, he died in 1143, or as *Platina* says in 1144.

Innocent III. (Pope) elected in 1198. He persecuted the *Albigenses*, caused *Transubstantiation* to be declar'd an Article of Faith in another *Lateran* Council, and ordain'd Heretick Princes to be depos'd. He confirm'd the Monastic Rules of *St. Dominick* and *St. Francis*; establish'd the Emp. *Orto* IV. and excommunicated *Orto* V. To him K. *John* of *England* resign'd his Crown, that he might have his Assistance against the K. of *France*. He condemn'd the Heretic of *Almericus*, and died in 1216. He has written several Divine Treatises; yet *Matthew Paris* gives him but an indifferent Character.

Innocent IV. (Pope) elected in 1243. He was so well vers'd in the Civil Law, that he had the title of the Father of that Faculty. He was ill us'd by the Emp. *Frederick* II. for which he had him excommunicated in a Gen. Council at *Lyons* in 1245. He first gave the Cardinals red Hats, that they might be mindful of spending even their Blood in the Churches Defence. Upon the Death of *Frederick* II. he left *Lyons*, and return'd to *Italy*, but came not to *Rome* till 1252. Upon endeavouring to recover *Naples* from the *Ulfarper Manfred*, he was defeated by him, which occasion'd his Death in 1254. He wrote several Books on divers Subjects.

Innocent V. (Pope) elected at *Arezzo* in 1275. He immediately endeavour'd a Reconciliation between the *Tuscans* and the *Pisans*, as also betwixt the *Genoeses* and the *Venetians*. In the former he succeeded, but could not Effect the latter, their Animosities running higher. He died 6 Months after his Election, and had been Author of divers Divine Tracts.

Innocent VI. (Pope) Ep. of *Clermont*, succeeded Pope *Clement* VI. in 1352, at *Avignon*, where the Papal See then was. He attempted to reform the Pa-

pal Court, and to reconcile the Kings of *England* and *France*, but without Success. He had a *Franciscan* burnt for styling the Popes *Anti-Christ*s, suspended former Indulgencies, and order'd all the Clergy to repair to their Benefices. He made War upon such as intrench'd on the Church, and differ'd with the *Romans* about the Magistracy. He was a good Liver, and took great Care of bestowing Church Preferments. Having been disappointed in his endeavours to reconcile some Christian Princes, 'tis thought it caus'd his Death.

Innocent VII. (Pope) succeeded *Boniface IXth* in 1404, in Opposition to *Peter de Luna*, who was stil'd *Benedict XIII.* He falsified his Oath to Resign in Case *Benedict* would, which occasioned him some trouble. Upon his disoblighing the *Romans*, they invited *Uladislaus*, K. of *Naples* among them, which made *Innocent* go to *Viterbo*. At his return to *Rome*, he excommunicated *Uladislaus*, and died soon after.

on, which they obtain'd thro' Card. *Mazarine's* means, on Condition they should purchase in that Kingdom, to secure their Fidelity. The Pope being made acquainted with this by a Letter from the *Fr. King*, was exceedingly nettled, and therefore immediately calls the *Barberini's*, to an account for what Publick Monys they had been intrusted with in the late *Papacy*; which tho' they comply'd with, and clear'd themselves in, yet did *Innocent* Sequester their Estates. Hereupon they withdrew into *France*, and King *Lewis* not being able to obtain any favour for them from the Pope, he attack'd *Orbitello*, and seiz'd *St. Stephen*, which not a little alarm'd the City of *Rome*. This made the Pope a little more flexible; but *Orbitello* being reliev'd, he renew'd his hatred to that Family, and would hearken to no Proposals in their Favour. This caus'd the *Fr. King* to send a Fleet against *Italy*; where having taken two Places, his Holiness began to be more sen-

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Innocent XI. (Pope) Of the Noble Family of *Odescalchi*, in the *Milanese*, was made Card. Legate of *Bononia*, AB. of *Naurra*, by his Predecessor, and chosen Pope by the Cardinal-Zealots after great Heats. His first Action was regulating the Abuses of *Nepotism*, when to calm his Nephew *Don Livio's* Resentments, he gave him his Estate of 30000 *l. per An.* He next shortned his Domestick Expences, and Ambassadors Priviledges. He promoted a general Reformation of Manners, banished Strumpets, suppressed Gaming, and took care of Creditors. He allow'd Q. *Christina* of *Sweden* 12000 Crowns *per An.* in lieu of what she had lost by the Wars. He did all he could to procure a Peace between the Empire and *Fr.* and a War with the *Turk*. He had some difference with the *Spanish* Ambassador, which was at length amicably adjusted. He next differ'd with the K. of *France*, about the disposing of Church Benefices and Laws, which the latter claim'd and put in Practice, which was afterwards confirm'd by a *Fr.* Council, who call'd the Popes Brief, publish'd upon this Occasion, an Invasion made on the *Gallican* Church. This ended in a Victory on neither side, both proving obstinate. Another Difference follow'd about the *French* Ambassadors Priviledges, which likewise was never adjusted. He had 26 Cardinals died in his time, whereof the Vacancies of 10 be fill'd up, and kept the rest unsupplied. He suppress'd a world of Indulgencies, granted by his Predecessors for 80000 Years. He likewise condemn'd several Propositi- ons concerning Morality, which were really scandalous, and supported by the subtle *Jesuits*. Before his Death, he obtain'd a League between the *Emp. Poles*, and *Venetians*, against the *Turks*. He died in 1689.

Innocent XII. (Pope) Of the Noble Family of *Pignatelli*, who after being made AB. of *Naples*, succeeded *Alexander VIII.* in the *Popedome*, in 1692. and died in 1700.

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Inns of Court, certain Colleges in *London*, assign'd for the Study of the Municipal Laws of *England*. Hereof there are, 4, the *Inner-Temple*, *Middle-Temple*, *Lincolns-Inn* and *Grays-Inn*; which together with the 2 *Serjeants-Inns*, and the 8 *Inns of Chancery*, are as the learn'd Cook says, a large University for the Professors of the Law. According to *Sir W. Dugdale*, Lawyers were anciently Clergy-men, which continued from the *Saxon* Reigns to *Henry III.* when they were discourag'd in that Study; yet did they still retain the Honour of the Bench for some time after. To return to the *Inns of Court*; the *Inner-Temple* being granted to the Order of *St. John of Jerusalem*, by *Edward III.* upon suppression of the *Templars*, that Order convey'd it to the Common Lawyers who came from *Thames-Inn*. These continued Tenants till *Henry VIII's* time, when the aforesaid Order was dissolv'd; whereupon they held of the Crown till *James I.* granted both the *Temples* to the Members of those Societies. There was formerly the *Outer-Temple* (*Essex-Street*) so named because situate without *Temple-Bar*. Next for *Lincolns-Inn*, the Benchers having had a Lease of their Ground from the Bp. of *Chichester*, in the Reign of *Henry VII.* got a Grant of the Inheritance in the ensuing Reign, and had it confirm'd by the Chapter of that Bp. This *Inn* anciently belong'd to the Earls of *Lincoln*, whence it had its Name. Lastly, *Grays-Inn* which had its Name from the Noble Family of the *Grays* of *Wilton*, whose Seat it anciently was, and from whom it was purchased in *Henry VII's* Reign, by *Hugh Denis Esq;* under the Name of the Mannor of *Portpole*, who selling it to the Monks of *Shene*, they Leas'd it in the following Reign to the Lawyers, who from the time of the Dissolution of that Monastery, have held it of the Crown. Formerly none were admitted of those Societies but Gentlemen. The 2 *Serjeants-Inns* are Colleges

Calling will be too long to insert, and therefore I shall only observe, that out of these the Judges are chosen, and that the King has a select Number of them, which have the Title of his Serjeants, with several Privileges. The *Inns of Chancery* are 8 in Number, and were heretofore Preparatory Colleges for young Students, before they were admitted of the *Inns of Court*. Now they belong wholly to Attorneys, Solicitors, and Clerks, who here live in common. They are each subject to some of the *Inns of Court*, who have a Power to make Laws which they are bound to observe. All these Societies are no Corporations, nor have any judicial Power over their Members, but have certain Orders among themselves, which by Consent have obtain'd the Force of Laws. As for the admittance into the *Inns of Court*, the Charge of the *General* is 5 Marks, and of the *Special* 5 Pounds. The Privilege of the latter, is that the Student so admitted, is not bound to be in Commons, till he is call'd to the Bar. The Students are oblig'd to perform certain Exercises, before they are qualified for the Bar-Gown; the manner of obtaining which, and the Readers Lectures I omit for Brevities sake, and

fers of it. The Law is not used in their Persons and the Practise till a certain Time when the Western Law has a Power to Summe up a Prisoner, but banish him from this Authority contrary to the Statute of 12 Years. But in the Year 1534. there was so much encrease of the Law, that they were fain to tolerate that they could not pretend to Preach Conversion. Here IX. thinking the Law established the In which was soon Cruelties. Tis embraced it; but Son Philip, endeavoured it in the Low Countries of those Pro ways refus'd to accept the Kingdom is in the hands of takes Cognizance of Mahometanism, &c. are imprison'd in never see the Light themselves, for the fronted with Witne is no positive Pro-f

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Inquisitor General of *Goa* has it paid him than either the *Roy*. Here those convi-
zick, have besides the be-
id Habits, Paper-Caps like s, painted with Devils and e Inquisition extends even l, who if convicted, have dug up and burnt. Be-
iminals are brought out to tence, they go in Proce-
ertain Church barefooted, and with lighted Tapers nds. The least Guilty go ose that are to die bring . The Inquisitors are no-
the King, and confirm'd . The *Venetian* Inquisition, near so cruel as the *Spanish* eze. It tolerates *Greeks*, nd *Jews*, which last must t Caps. It also admits all ake Degrees in the Univer-
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a fine rich City, Cap. of suate in a Valley below is a noble Castle, formerly f Residence of the ADukes of *Austria*, and a stately where they were buried. ky is the Castle of *Amras*, eschal *Villeroy* was lately There is a fine Library.

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Institutor, (*Johannes*) a *Carthusian* of the XVth Cen. who An. 1400. writ of the Cavils against the Bible.

Intaphernes, a *Persian* Rebel, whom *Darius* having condemned with divers others, his Wife implor'd Mercy for them all, but being put to her Choice to save one, she chose her Brother, saying, *She could have another Husband and Sons, but never a Brother*; where-upon she let her Husband be execu-
ted.

Interdict, a Papal Censure, whereby Kdms. Provinces, Towns, &c. are forbid Preaching and Communion. It is said to have begun in the Reign of *Charlemain*, tho' some will have it to be in the IVth and Vth Cent. *Pope Gregory VIII* made greatest Use of it. And *Alexander III.* Interdicted *England*: but for good Reasons, the Popes have since much declin'd the Practise of it.

Interim, a Confession of Faith imposed on the Protestants by *Charles V.* after *Luther's* Death, which had that Name, because it was to last only, till a General Council should determine the Differences in Religion, then on Foot. For further Information, I refer the Reader to the History of *Germany*, where this matter may be seen more at large.

Intermedia, or *Interludes* in Tragedy and Comedy, were anciently either Dances and dumb Gestures of the *Mimi*, between the Acts; or the Songs, Tunes, and Jests of the *Embolares*.

Invention of the *Holy Cross*, a Festival among the *Rom. Catholics*, in Memory of the finding of our Saviour's Cross by the Emp. *Helena*, who being at *Jerusalem*, and upon Information making quest after it, found it. Part of it she left behind, and built a stately Church for it; the remainder with the Nails, she carry'd with her to *Constantinople*.

Investiture, is the manner of giving Possession of any Dignity, Revenue, &c. of which are many different kinds.

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Invocation of Saints, the Praeface whereof commenced in the Vth Cen. but nothing like what is now practised in the Church of Rome.

Io, Daughter of *Inachus*, debauch'd by *Jupiter*, and then turn'd into a White Cow; which jealous *Juno* perceiving, she begs the Cow, and had her kept by *Argos*, who had 100 Eyes; but whom *Mercury* killing by *Jupiter's* Order, *Juno* made *Io* mad, whereupon she ran and cast herself in the Sea, which from her was call'd the *Ionian* Sea. She swam to *Egypt*, where she was ador'd by the Name of *Isis*, having first resumed her shape and married *K. Osiris*.

Joachim, a *Calabrian-Cistercian* Monk, was in great repute about the end of the XIth Cen. He has since been look'd on as an Enthusiast, and his Prophecies but as Conjectures. He wrote several Commentaries on the Prophets, and a *Concordance* to both Testaments, with other Books, whereof one was condemned in the *Lateran* Council in 1215. as Heretical. which

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pernicus, and diligently publish'd his Works after his Death.

Joan I. Daughter and Heiress of *Henry I. K. of Navarre*. She married *Philip the Fair*, and founded the College of *Navarre* at *Paris*. She died in 1304.

Joan II. of *France*, Queen to *Philip Vth.* who being suspected of Incontinency, was imprison'd almost a Year, till at length proving her Innocency, she was restor'd; she founded the College of *Burgundy* at *Paris*, and died in 1325.

Joan III. of *France*, Qu. to *Louis XII.* who having had her in a manner forc'd upon him, got divorc'd from her; when she retir'd to *Beaune*, where she founded the Order of the *Annunciation*. The Rule was form'd on the 10 Virtues of the *Virgin Mary*. The Habit is a black Vail, white Cloak, red *Scapular*, grey Robes, and a Cord for a Girdle.

Joan, (*d'Albret*) Q. of *Navarre*, was married to *Anthony K. of Navarre* in 1545. She was Mother to *Henry IV.*

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and having taken it, had her beheaded. It was she that sold *Avignon* to the Pope; she had a great deal of wit, and loved Learning and learned Men.

Joan II. Daughter to the before-mention'd *Charles*, came to the Kdom of *Naples*, after the Death of her Brother *Ladislaws* in 1414. She was twice married, and forsaken by her last Husband on account of Jealousie, which she gave him reason for. She adopt-ed *Alphonfus V. K. of Arragon*; but he disobliging her, she conferr'd that fa-vour on the aforesaid *D. of Anjou*; and he dying, she made *Renatus of Anjou*, her Heir by Will. She died soon after, 65 Years old, having reign-ed 20.

Joan, Regent of *Portugal*, left such by her Father *Alphonso V.* while he went against the *Moors* in 1470. At her Father's return, tho' she had acquitted her self well in her Trust, she went into a Monastery, and would not accept of any of the great Matches were offer'd her.

Joan, Countess of *Montfort*; after her Husband Count *John IVth's* Death, she retook several Towns from the Count of *Blois*, and defended others against him. She rais'd the Siege of *Hennebont* by a courageous Sally she made, by which means she regain'd the Dutchy of *Bretagne*, which for some time continued in her Family. She liv'd in the XIVth Cen.

Joan of Valois, Daughter of the *Fr.* King, was considerable for her Piety and Virtue, and after her Husband *Co. William I. of Hainault's* Death, retir'd into an Abbey. She by her Prudence had effected an Accomodation between *England* and *France*, when both were ready for Battel.

Joan (Pope) *vid. John VIII.*

Joan of Ark, call'd also *Pucelle de Orleans* was a Sheperdess, who at the Age of 18 or 20 Years, pretending to a Divine Commission, relieved *Orleans*, having after routed the *English* at the Battel of *Patai*. This done, she had

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Charles VIIth Crown'd at *Rheims*; but unfortunately making a Sally at *Campiegne*, she was taken by the *English*, and some time after was burnt at *Roan* for a Witch in 1430, *Charles VIIth* got the Judgment revers'd by Pope *Calixtus III.* to redeem her from Infamy.

Job, whose Virtues, especially Pa-tience, are the subject of one of the Canonical Books of the old Testa-ment. He was Native of *Uz*, between *Edom* and *Arabia*. Some say, he was the *Jobab* mention'd in *Genesis*.

Job, one of the Impostor *Mahomer's* Companions, who was killed at the Siege of *Constantinople*, by the Caliph *Fezid*. He has a sumptuous Monu-ment still to be seen in that City.

Jocasta, Mother of *Oedipus*, whom she ignorantly married, and had two Sons by him, who killing each other, she died of Grief.

Jocundus, (*John*) a *Veroneze* Domini-can of the XVIth Cen. who was a good Philosopher, Antiquary and Archi-tect. Besides his Writings, he contriv'd the building of *Nostredame Bridge* at *Paris*, where I have seen an In-scription to his Memory.

Jodelle, (*Stephen*) a *Fr.* and *Lat.* Poet of the XVIth Cen, who first imi-tated the Ancients Tragedies and Co-medies in *French*. He was also a good Orator, Architect, Painter and Carver, but was nevertheless a Soldier by Pro-fession. He was Author of several Works, which were published in 1574. the Year after he died.

Jael, one of the XII. Minor Pro-phets, who lived A. M. 3300.

John Baptist, (St.) our Saviour's *Pre-cursor* or Fore-runner of whom Pro-fane Authors give this farther Account, than what is to be found in the *Gospel*. They say, *Herodias* pierc'd his Tongue with her Bodkin for having spoken a-against her. That his Body was buried in a T. of *Samaria* by his Discip'es; and That his Head and other Parts, have several Churches which lay Claim to a share of them. Some think the Lo-

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cuffs mention'd in the *Scriptures* for his Food, were living Creatures; but others say, they were Herbs. The Greek word implies both. Authors differ also about the time he Baptiz'd our Saviour.

John, (St.) the *Evangelist* and *Apostle*, was Son of *Zebedee*, and was Brother of *St. James Major*. The Bps of *Ephesus* call themselves his Successors. He propagated the Faith among the *Parthians*, to whom, some say, he wrote his first *Epistle*. *Domitian* had him thrown into boiling Oil, whence coming out unhurt, he was banished to *Pathmos*, where he penn'd his *Revelations*. Upon *Domitian's* Death he wrote his Gospel at *Ephesus*, A. C. 96. *St. Jerom* makes him of noble Extraction, and says, that he had great Intimacy with the High Priest on Account of having Sold his Estate to him. He was the belov'd Disciple, and upon the Apostles dividing the World into Provinces, had *Asia* allotted him to preach in. He enter'd not upon that Charge till after the *Miracles*

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John of Malta (St.), Founder of the Order of the *Holy Trinity*, and of the Redemption of Captives, which was confirm'd by Pope *Innocent III.* in 1209. He travelled amongst *Barbarians* to Ransom Slaves.

The following XXIII. of this Name were Popes, viz.

John I. came to the Papacy in 522. He being forc'd by *Theodoric K. of Italy*, to go to *Constantinople*, to get the Emp. *Justin*, to recall his Edicts against the *Arrians*, was upon his return, *re Infeſta*, imprison'd at *Ravenna*, where he died for want, in 526. *John II.* was chosen in 532. He had the Sect of the *Acemites* condemned in a Synod, at the Request of the Emp. *Justinian*. *John III.* elected in 559. He found'd the Churches of the Apostles, *St. James* and *St. Philip* at *Rome*. *John IV.* was chosen in 639. He wrote to the *Scotch* Prelates about celebrating *Easter* after the Eastern way. He died in 641. *John V.* elected in 685, was continually Sick, and never left his Bed till he died, in 702.

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they satisfy themselves of the Candidate's Sex before they chuse him, Some have endeavour'd to destroy the Story of this Pope, but who have been considerably confuted by *Spanheim*. The Person they put in her Place, was *John VIII.* a *Roman*, Successor of *Adrian II.* He Crown'd the Emp. *Carolus Calvus*, which disoblighing the *Italians*, they conspir'd against him, and threatned *Rome*. Hereupon he sought Aid of the Emperor, who tho' he came into *Italy*, was poison'd upon his Return. At this time the Pope was Prisoner, but escaping soon after, he got to *Troyes* in *Champagne*, where he crown'd *Lewis* the *Stammerer*, not Emp. but King. Some say he was at last obliged to pay the *Sarazens* Tribute. After this, he Crown'd *Charles* the *Fat*, Emp. in *Rome*, and died in 882. His Epitaph is to be seen in the *Vatican*.

John IX. succeeded *Theodore II.* in 901. in which Year he held a Council of 74 Bishops at *Ravenna*, where he confirm'd the Acts of Pope *Formosus*, and condemn'd and burnt those of *Stephen VII.* He confirm'd *Lambert K.* of *Italy*, and died in 905. *John X.* was elected in 913. He with the Assistance of the Marquess of *Tuscany's* Son, routed the *Sarazens* several times, which made some say, he was fitter for a Soldier than a Priest. In his time, the Union of the *Greek* and *Latin* Churches was endeavour'd, but prevented by the *Bulgari* in War. This Pope was imprison'd by *Guy D.* of *Tuscany*, at the Intercession of his Wife, a lewd Woman, who thinking to prefer her Son by *Sergius III.* had *John* strangled by her Guards in 929. *John XI.* The aforesaid Son of the Dutches of *Tuscany*, who was not made Pope till after *Stephen VIII.* This Dutches upon her Husband's Death, propos'd to Marry his Brother *Hugh K.* of *Italy*, which so incens'd *Hugh's* Son, that he had her, and her Son the Pope confin'd, whereupon the latter died in 936.

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John XII. succeeded *Agapet II.* at 18 Years old. He was the first that changed his Name, which was before *Ottavien*. He was very wicked, for tho' he call'd the Emp. *Otho I.* into *Italy*, and crown'd and swore Allegiance to him; yet he sided with the Tyrant *Berengarius* against him, which occasion'd his being depos'd; but upon the Emp's. return Home, he resumed the *Papacy*, and had the former Proceedings against him burnt, and murder'd some of his Enemies with various Tortures. Notwithstanding his re-establishment, continuing his ill Course of Life, he was at last stabb'd by the Husband of a Woman he was found in Bed with. He was the most profligate Prelate of any before him.

John XIII. Successor of *Benedict V.* in 965. He us'd the *Romans* ill, for disliking his being chosen by the Emperor's Authority; but they made him withdraw to *Capua*, whence he was afterwards brought and restor'd by the Emp. who came into *Italy* on purpose. He call'd a Council at *Ravenna*, and first us'd to Consecrate Bells. He died in 972. *John XIV.* succeeded *Benedict VII.* in 984. He was outed by the Anti-Pope *Boniface VII.* and strangled by his Orders in 985. *John XV.* came after the said *Boniface* in 985. He was forc'd to fly for fear of *Crescentius*, then in great Power at *Rome*; but upon his soliciting the Emperor's Protection, he was recall'd by the *Romans*. He was both Coverous and Proud, and died whilst the Emperor was besieging *Crescentius* in *Castell St. Angelo*. *John XVI.* succeeding the foregoing Pope, *Crescentius* also forc'd him away; but being recall'd, he died soon after in 996. *John XVII.* Anti-Pope. *Crescentius* had him chosen in Opposition to *Gregory V.* This Pope had a great many Friends, but coming into the Emp's. Power at the same time with *Crescentius*, he had his Hands and Ears cut off, and his Eyes pluck'd out, *An.* 998. He was

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afterwards set backwards upon an Ass, and led ignominiously about the Streets. *John XVIII.* elected by the *Tuscan* Faction after *Silvester II.* in 1003. 'Tis said, that now began the first Election of the Popes by the Clergy. *John XIX.* elected in 1003. He is said to have reconciled the *Greek* and *Latin* Churches, and to have been pray'd for at *Constantinople*. *John XX.* succeeded his Brother *Benedict VIII.* in 1024. He Crown'd the Emp. *Conrade II.* and died in 1033. *John XXI.* came after *Adrian V.* in 1276. He had been a *Portuguese* Physician, and was made Cardinal by *Gregory X.* He exhorted the Emperor *Michael Palæologus*, to observe what had been transacted in the Council of *Lyons*. He died in 1277. by the fall of a Room he himself had built, tho' he Prophecy'd he should live long. He was commendable for preferring poor Scholars, and furnishing them with Money. He was Author of several Books, but thro' his Ignorance of Business and unequal Conversation, he

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gainst him, and put *Nicholas V.* in his place; who nevertheless afterwards being taken and carry'd to *Avignon*, was glad to ask Pope *John's* Pardon with a Rope about his Neck. This Pope protected the *Guelphs* against the Emperor, was extremely addicted to Novelties, and severely punish'd a Conspiracy against him. He built a Palace at *Avignon*, and died exceeding rich in 1334.

John XXIII. a *Neapolitan*, made Cardinal by *Boniface IX.* and chosen Pope after *Alexander V.* on Condition he should quit the Papacy, in Case his Antagonists did; which however he never would, till he was forc'd to it by the Council of *Constance*, in its 12th Session in 1415. After this, he was committed Prisoner under Guard of the Count Palatine, and got not out till 1410. Hereupon he went to *Florence*, and so ingratiated himself with Pope *Martin V.* that he got to be Dean of the Cardinals, and Ep. of *Prescati*. He died not long after, and

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Charity, succeeded *Theodorus* in 610. He eradicated Heresie and *Simony*, Reform'd the Clergy's Morals, founded Churches and Hospitals, and gave away all that he had remaining to the Poor. He died at *Cyprus* in 620. whither he had fled from the fury of the *Barbarians*.

John I. Patriarch of *Antioch*, became such in 427. He was suspected for a *Nestorian*, wherefore Pope *Celestine* wrote to him to oppose that Heresie, which he seem'd to comply with, however kept strict Correspondence with that Heresiarch afterwards. In favour of him, he would not appear for a good while at the Council of *Ephesus*, and when he did, 'twas after *Nestorius* was condemn'd, upon which he and 30 more Heretical Bps, met and re-establish'd the *Palagian* Bps, and condemn'd and excommunicated those of the Council for Hereticks. Hereupon *John* was summon'd to give Account of his Proceedings, and not appearing was Anathematiz'd. After this, *John* gave great Disturbance to the Church, by the difference he had with *St. Cyril*. However he at last recanted, and being reconciled to the Church of *Rome*, detested *Nestorius* and his Opinions for ever after. Another of this Name, *John* II. came to be Patriarch of *Antioch* in 1090, but he did nothing remarkable.

The following XIII. of this Name were Patriarchs of *Constantinople*, viz.

John I. (St.) *Chrysostom*, liv'd four Years in rigorous Solitude in the Mountains near *Antioch*, at the end of which, he return'd to the City, and was first made Deacon, and afterwards Priest; during which Stations, he penned most of his Works. In 369. he succeeded *Nestarius* in the Patriarchship of *Constantinople*; but tho' he had done a great many good things in his Office, yet by disobliging the great Men with taxing them of Vices, by opposing the Usurpers of the Empire, and by not appearing at the Synod of *Quercum*, whither he had been sum-

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mon'd to Answer some Accusations, he was depos'd and banish'd by the Emperor. Being recall'd, his Enemies continued their hatred to him, and so set the Empress *Eudoxia* against him, for refusing her a Statue, that she vow'd his Ruin. For this purpose, she first got him banish'd, and then had him confin'd to a wild Place in *Armenia*, where he was like to starve for Want. Thence she had him convey'd to *Arabissa*, in the same Province; but afterwards thinking to carry him to a place upon the *Euxine* Sea, the Soldiers us'd him so ill, that he died by the Way in 407. The best Edition of his Works, is either that publish'd by Sir *Hen. Savil*, in VIII. Tomes in 1613. that of *Commelin* in IV Volumes in 1603, or the *Paris* Edition, publish'd by *P. Fronto Duceus* in 1613. in VI. Tomes.

John II. chosen Patriarch in 517. He enter'd not immediately upon his Office; yet during the Interval, condemn'd several Hereticks, and embraced the Council of *Chalcedon*. After his Consecration, he got what he had done confirm'd by a Synod, which also approv'd the IV. Gen. Councils, and recall'd divers banish'd Bishops.

John III. surnam'd *Scholasticus*, was by favour of some Hereticks prefer'd to the Patriarchship, after *Eutychius* in 564. which he enjoy'd till 578. He was Author of a Collection of Canons, he also made the first *Nomocanon*. *John* IV. surnam'd the *Fastid*, succeeded another *Eutychius* in 583. He had a difference with Pope *Pelagius*, about the Title of *Oecumenical* or Universal Bp. which however he would not quit, tho' he was threatned with Excommunication by that Pope, and his Successor *Gregory the Great*. He died in 569. and is said to have been exceeding Charitable and Abstemious.

John V. succeeded *Thomas* II. in 658. He sided with the *Monothelites*, yet has been esteem'd *Orthodox*. He died in 664.

John VI. likewise of that Sect, was an Apostate from the Church of *Rome*, and

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and chosen Patriarch in 712. but 2 Years after he was depos'd by the Emperor. *John VII.* He sided with the Iconoclasts, and obtain'd the Patriarchship in 835. In 842. he was oured by the Regent *Theodora*, Mother of *Michael III.* He was afterwards like to have had his Eyes pluck'd out, for defacing of Images, but which he escaped, and was only Whipp'd. *John VIII.* elected in 1019. *John IX.* succeeded *Greg. Xiphilinus* in 1198. *John X.* He approv'd the design'd Union of the Greek and Latin Churches in 1274. however was afterwards condemn'd in a Synod, held at *Constantinople* in 1283. *John XI.* succeeded *Anastasius* in 1294. He was much esteem'd for his Virtue, and held this Charge till 1301. *John XII.* came after *Nipho* in 1315. He took great Pains to refine the Greek Tongue, and died in 1320. *John XIII.* succeeded *Isaiab* in 1331. or 41. and was depos'd in 1343.

John Michael a Venetian, was Patriarch for the Latins of *Constantinople* in 1484.

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Error, he condemn'd and Anathematiz'd these Hereticks. He died in 524. *John IV.* was Successor of *Eustachius*. He govern'd till 595. when he

The following VIII. were Emperors of the East, of this Name, viz. *I. (Zimisces)* who obtain'd eternity by joining with *Theophila*. Murder her Husband the Emperor *Phocas*, which he effected, and reigned him in 969. upon certain Conditions, whereof one was to banish the Empress *Theophania*. This Emperor drove the Saracens from *Antioch*, defeated the *Turks*, *Russians* and *Bulgarians*. Hereby he brought *Asia* to a Province, and chang'd the Name of its Cap. City. He was possessor of *Damascus* by one of his Domesticks, but died at *Constantinople*, where much-ado he reach'd, An. 571. *Comnenus* succeeded his Father *Alexis Comnenus* in 1118. He obtain'd many Victories, and his reign was Fortunate till 1143. when he was killed by a poison'd Arrow at *Hungrina* in *Sicilia*. His Phœnix

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and *Emmanuel* in 1341. The Elder *John* was Crown'd at the same time at *Constantinople*, and prov'd no small *Remora* to the Progress of this Usurper, and tho' he had made several Conquests, yet at length by the Assistance of the *Genese*, absolutely defeated his Fleet in 1351. After this *Cantacuzenus* was always unfortunate, infomuch that in 1355 or 57, he found himself compell'd to quit the Throne; which he did, and retir'd to a Monastery, where he turn'd Friar, and Author, and compos'd several Books in *Greek*, which we have Extant under his Name, especially a History of his own, and the preceding Reign. *John VI.* whom the Usurper had put by. He rewarded the Service of the *Genese*, but could not have the like Success against the *Bulgarians*, with whom he had a sharp War. He was also Unfortunate against the *Savoyards*, who took him Prisoner; but he was soon ransom'd. He had a League with the *Turks*, which they did not observe, and took several Places from him. His Son rebelling against him, was discover'd, and blinded with Scalding Vinegar; whereupon flying to the *Turks*, he was restor'd by their Means, and put his Father and Brethren in Prison. After few Years the Emperor getting his Liberty, reign'd for some time after in Peace; and at last he died, and left his Dominions to his 2d Son *Emmanuel* in 1391. *John VII.* Upon his Father *Emmanuel's* Abdication, succeeded him in 1419. Some think this Prince died in 1425, and that he was succeeded by his Brother *John VIII.* However it is certain, there was but one of this Name. This Prince lost much to the *Turks*, which made him to conclude a Union with the *Latins*, at the Councils of *Ferrara* and *Florence*, whither he went in Person for that Purpose. Soon after his return, he died in 1448. or as others say in 1445.

John K. of England, Son of *Henry II.* Succeeded his Brother *Richard I.* in

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1199. His Nephew *Arthur* disputed the Crown with him in *France*; but being taken Prisoner, he had him murder'd. Hereupon *John* was summon'd by *K. Philip*, to answer for this Murder, and not appearing, had all his Lands in *France* Confiscated: this was not all; *K. John* was afterwards excommunicated by the Pope, for his ill usage of the Clergy, and his Subjects; but after some fruitless Opposition, he submitted and consented to pay an Annual Tribute to the *See of Rome*, whereupon he receiv'd his Crown again, which he had resign'd to the Legate. This made him yet more hated by his Subjects, who for retrieving of their Liberties, made War upon him, and invird over the *Dauphin of France*, whom they Crown'd *K. at London*, but at length attended the *Dauphin's* retiring, upon a Consideration of the Expence he had been at. This King died in 1216. having Surfeited upon Peaches, tho' others will have him poison'd by a Monk.

John K. of France, succeeded *Philip of Valois* in 1350. He is said to have founded or reviv'd the Order of the *Star*. The *English* invading *Normandy*, under *K. Edward the III.* in 1355. *K. John* beat them resolutely back; but in the following Year, the *Black Prince* returned with 12000 Men, and tho' *K. John* surrounded him with 100000 Men, and brought him to dishonourable Offers; yet they being refus'd, the Prince not only extricated himself, but likewise gain'd the Victory, and took *K. John* Prisoner, who after having been honourably us'd, was sent to *Beaumont*, and thence to *London*, where he was kept till the Peace of *Bretigni* in 1360. Soon after his Release, he visited the Pope at *Avignon*, who perswading him to make an Expedition to the *Holy-Land*, he would not promise it, till he had consulted *K. Edward of England*; whom visiting upon that Occasion, before he could bring about his Design, he was taken

... more in the success of his Brother *Charles V.* against the *English*. He defeated the *Tuchins* of *Arvergne* and *Poitou* in 1348. After which, he had the Administration of Publick Affairs, but was turn'd out, yet was restor'd again. He was remov'd from his Government of *Languedoc*, but likewise re-establish'd in 1410. He died in 1415.

The following Kings of this Name, were of *Nauarre* and *Arragon*, viz. *John I.* K. of *Arragon* only, succeeded *Peter I.* in 1384. He was dispis'd for his weak Capacity, and therefore his Reign was very much molested. He died in 1395. *John II.* K. of *Arragon*, was also K. of *Nauarre* in right of his Wife *Blanche*; by whom he had *Charles* Prince of *Vienne*. After the Death of *Blanche*, K. *John* having married again, Prince *Charles* could not see that Queen have any share in the Government, and therefore engag'd the House of *Beaumont* to oppose that of *Grammont*, which sided with the King. At length the Prince was Crown'd, and being defeated, was reconciled to his Father. K. *John* coming to *Arragon* by the Death of his Brother, he had a sharp War with *Henry IV.* of *Castile*.

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ther in 1406. He was committed to the Charge of the Bp. of *Cartagena*, formerly a *Jew*. He was scarce able to bear Arms, before he was oblig'd to go against the Kings of *Navarre* and *Arragon*, whom he soon made to ask Peace. Next he went against the Ungrateful K. of *Granada*, whom he had establish'd in his Throne, and having routed him, kill'd 12000 of his Men, and plunder'd his Country. This K. died in 1454.

The following III. of this Name, were King's of *Denmark* and *Sweden*, viz. *John I.* King of *Sweden*, succeeded *Eric X.* in 1218. He was a good Prince, but reign'd not above 3 or 4 Years, dying in 1222. *John II.* K. of *Denmark* succeeded his Father *Christiern I.* in 1482. He was also K. of *Sweden* in 1483. but deposed for not keeping his Word, and could never get himself restor'd, tho' he endeavour'd it with great Force. He died in 1523. *John III.* who having been imprison'd 6 or 7 Years, by *Eric XIV.* procur'd him to be deposed, and succeeded him in 1568. He reign'd peaceably, but towards his latter end he would have introduc'd Popery, and had privately made Abjuration of *Lutheranism*, and sent to the Pope for his Assistance; yet tho' that was sent to him, and great endeavours were us'd to effect what had been intended, K. *John*, return'd to his former Religion, and left the Legate *Possavin* to return Home as he came.

John, *Vaivod* of *Transylvania*, was Crown'd K. of *Hungary* in 1526, after the Death of *Lewis*, at the Battel of *Mobatz*. *Ferdinand* of *Austria* was also Crown'd by another Party, between whom, and his Rival *John* were long Wars, but which at length ended in Peace. The *Turks* besieged *Vienna*, on behalf of the latter in 1529. but without Success. K. *John* died in 1540.

John de Brienne, K. of *Jerusalem*, engaged in the *Croisade* with the *French*, who took *Constantinople* in 1204. Ha-

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ving, got much Reputation in these Wars, the Barons of *Jerusalem* after the Death of the King, sent to profer him their Kingdom, which he accepted, and arrived in *Palestine* in 1210. He first reliev'd *Ptolemais*, and then took *Damietta*, after a Year and half's Siege, but could not keep it. This Prince marry'd his only Daughter *Jolande* to the Emp. *Frederick II.* and in 1229. the *French* Barons of the *East*, chose him Regent of *Constantinople*, and Guardian of *Baldwin II.* when he was Crown'd by the Patriarch as was Customary. He defeated *John Uataze* several times, but at last grew Covetous, and died in 1237.

The following III. of this Name, were Kings of *Poland*, viz. *John Albert*, who succeeded *Casimir IV.* in 1492. He was Ambitious but Unfortunate. He pick'd a Quarrel with the *Vayvod* of *Valachia*, who joining with the *Turks*, did great dammage to *Poland*. After having made Peace with those, *John* going to compel the D. of *Saxony* to pay Tribute, dy'd suddenly at *Thorn*, before he could accomplish his Intention. This happen'd in 1501. *John Casimir*, vide, *Casimir V.* *John III.* (*Sebietzki*) obtain'd the Throne by his Valour: Before his attaining it, he was Grand Marshal of the Crown, Grand General, and Grand Master of the Kings Household; during which, he regain'd 60 Towns from the *Cossacks*, defended *Podhais* against the *Tartars*, and took a Palatinate from them, and the *Cossacks*. He defeated the *Turks* in 1671. and in 73, won the famous Battel of *Choczim*, which lasted 3 days, wherein the *Turks* lost 8000 *Fanizaries* and 20000 *Spahis*. This Battel being gain'd, the day preceding the Death of K. *Michael Koribut*, Marshal *Sebietzki* was chosen to succeed him in 1674. Having gain'd several other Victories upon the *Turks*, he at last forc'd them to a Peace at *Zurovna*. He was much esteem'd by the K. of *France*, who sent him the Order of the *Holy Ghost*

The following IV. of this Name, *John I.* succeeded his Brother *Ferdinand* in 1383. in prejudice of *Beatrice*, sole Daughter of the late King, marry'd to *John I.* King of *Castile*, who endeavoured to rescue her Right, but in vain. King *John* warr'd in *Africa*, and took *Ceuta* from the *Moor*s. Next having obtain'd a Dispensation from his Oath of turning Monk, he marry'd *Phillippa*, the Great D. of *Lancaster's* Daughter. He died in 1433. *John II.* succeeded his Father *Alphonso V.* in 1481. In the beginning of his Reign, he suppress'd a Rebellion of his Nobles, and beheaded several of them. Next he settled Plantations in the *E. Indies*, and *Africa*, and built Forts on the Coast of *Guinea*. He was at the taking of *Tangier* in 1471. and at the Battel of *Tro* against the *Castilians* in 1476. For his many glorious Actions, he obtain'd the Title of *Great*, and for his strict Justice, that of *Severe*. He died in 1495. *John III.* succeeded his Father *Emmanuel* in 1521. His Accession to the Throne was congratulated by the K. of *Ethiopia*. His chief Exploit was the Conversion of Pagans in the

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Houses of *Orleans* and *Burgundy*. He then assisted the Ep. of *Liege* against his Subjects. He afterwards seiz'd upon the Government in *Paris*, and did great Damage to the Kingdom. He at length was kill'd by a Servant of the late D. of *Orleans*, whom he had got Assassinated at *Paris*. This happen'd in 1383. *John I. D. of Alençon* was in *Charles VIth's* Service in 1404. when he declar'd for the House of *Orleans* against *Burgundy*. On his Account *Alençon* was rais'd to a Ddom and Peerage. He commanded in Chief at *Agincourt*, and was killed there in 1415. *John II. D. of Alençon*. He began to signalize himself first at *Verneuill* in 1424. where he was taken by the *English*, and not ransom'd till 1427. He was one of the Heads of the Faction called *la Praguerie*. He occasion'd a Misunderstanding between the *Dauphin* and his Father, and afterwards was accused of Corresponding with the *English*, and upon being condemn'd, *Charles VII.* pardon'd his Life, but sequester'd his Lands, and continued him in Prison. *Lewis XI.* set him at Liberty, but being accused of the same Crime again, he was Condemn'd again, yet he was pardon'd once more, and died 2 Years after. *John I. D. of Bretagne*, had Wars with his Subjects, and reduc'd some of them. He had Difference with his Clergy, and going to *Rome*, referr'd the Matter to the Pope. He follow'd *St. Lewis* into *Africa* in 1270. He died in 1286. *John IV. D. of Bretagne*, usurp'd upon his Nephew *John III.* This occasion'd the long Quarrels between the 2 Houses of *Montfort* and *Blois*, which did great Damage to *Bretagne*. This *John* was taken Prisoner, and promis'd not to pretend any more to the Dutchy, he falsified his Word, and went to *England* for Assistance; but not being able to obtain any, died of Grief in 1345. *John V. D. of Bretagne*, came off Victorious at last, having gain'd 7 Battels, and slain his

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Antagonist, *Charles of Blois*. He had *Bretagne* by a Treaty at *Gerrande*, and after having paid Hommage to *Charles V.* at *Paris*, died at *Nantes* in 1399. *John I. D. of Lorrain*: he was wounded and taken at the Battel of *Piediers*, and being releas'd went into *Prussia*, and was at the Battel of *Hazeland*. He assisted *Charles of Blois* at the Battel of *Avrai*: Being summon'd to Answer, for endeavouring to seduce the Inhabitants of *Neuschafel* on the *Meuse*, he was poison'd in 1382. *John of Orleans*, Natural Son of *Lewis of Orleans*, 2d Son of *K. Charles V.* This Prince was said to have restor'd the French Monarchy, after having been long Eclips'd by the *English* Conquests. He gave early Proofs of Valour in his Youth. He reliev'd *Gergeau* and *Montargis* in 1427. and drove the *E's.* of *Suffolk* and *Warwick* as far as *Paris*. He was dangerously wounded in the *Herring-Battel* at *Rouvray* in 1428. He defended *Orleans* courageously, but was thinking to Surrender or Fire it, when *Joan of Arc* prevented his doing it. He was in the Battel of *Patay* in 1429. He manag'd the Expedition against *Chartres* in 1431. or 35. and next Year help'd to reduce *Paris*. In 1438. he took from the *English* *Dreux* and *Montargis*. After divers other Actions, he was sent to the Council of *Basle*, to reconcile them with Pope *Eugenius IV.* which he effected. He perform'd divers more great Actions after this; and *Charles VII.* to shew his Gratitude, gave him the Title of Restorer of his Country, and made him Great Chamberlain of France. *Lewis XI.* also conferr'd Honours upon him, and in 1470. he died, 67 Years old.

John, (Don) of Austria, Natural Son of the Emp. *Charles V.* whose Mother is disputed. The Emperor's Great Steward's Wife was intrusted with the Nursing of him, having a Charge that she should never let him know who he was. This Order was obey'd, till

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after the Emperor's Death, when *Philip II.* had him brought before him, and told him, he had the same Father with him, bidding him to follow him, from which time he was bred at Court. In 1570. he was sent against the *Moors* in *Granada*, which War he ended happily. Next Year he was made Admiral of the Confederate Fleet against the *Turks*, upon whom he gain'd the famous Battel of *Lepanto*, in the Gulph of that Name, in 1571. In 1573. he took *Tunis* and *Biserte* in *Africa*, which was retaken the following Year. In 1575. he was made Governor of the *Low-Countries*. Before his arrival, the Pacification of *Gunt* was concluded, which he was fain to Confirm. Upon his seizing of *Namur*, *Charlemont*, and *Marienburg*, the States rose and drove him to *Luxemburg*, when they chose in his stead, Archduke *Matthias*, and nam'd the Prince of *Orange*, his Lieutenant General. Don *John*, as soon as he had recruits sent him, won the

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with which, tho' he came and gave some Disturbance, yet he lost the day, and was made Prisoner.

John Basilvitz, Czar of *Moscovy*, succeeded his Father very Young in 1540. He went often to the Church, but was nevertheless extream Cruel and Bloody. He plunder'd the City of *Novogrode* in 1565. and kill'd his Eldest Son with a Cane. After many unparallell'd Cruelties, he died in 1584.

The following Persons were famous Men of this Name. *John K.* of *Armenia*, having resign'd his Ddom, turn'd Friar, in which Habie he was killed by the *Turks* in 1304. *John Aventinus*, a learn'd *Bovarian*, writ the Annals of his Country in VII. Tomes, which he brought down to 1533. He died the Year after. He also writ other Books. *John Bp.* of *Arranches*, and *ABp.* of *Rom*, an eminent Prelate of the XIth. Cen. He was killed by Monks for too strict Regulations, and was Author of the *Clergyman's Duty*.

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ed above 433 distinct Treatises, whereof 3 were Chronicles. He died in 1475. He is not the same with the Person of his Name, who wrote of Chiromancy and Judicial Astrology in 1522. *John*, surnam'd *Mark*, Cousin of *St. Barnabas*. 'Tis thought the Passover was eat at his House by our Saviour, and that the Holy Ghost descended there upon the Apostles. *John* a Spanish Cardinal, who was Author of the V. Vol. of Commentaries upon *Gracian's* Decrees, &c. He died in 1468. *John Maron*, a Syriack Commentator on the *Liturgy*, &c. whose Writings are very much questioned. *John de Montreal*, in *Francia*, was well vers'd in all Learning, particularly *Mathematicks*, which he read publickly at *Vienna*. He made an *Ephemeris* for 30 Years, which is much esteem'd. He also first thought of the *Primum Mobile*. He died of the Plague at *Rome* in 1476. *John O Neal*, a Gent. of the N. of *Ireland*, who in *Qu. Elizabeth's* time, assum'd the Title of K. of *Ireland*. He did great Mischief, but at length the *Ld. Lieutenant* coming against him by the *Queen's* Order, easily routed him, when flying towards the *Western Isles* of *Scotland*, he was Slain. *John of Paris*, a *Dominican* Divine of the XIII. and XIV. Cent. He wrote some Controversial Tracts, but at length was accused of Heretical Notions, and forbid to Preach. He disown'd *Transubstantiation* in a Piece of his; he died in 1310. *John*, An Author of *Parma* in the XII. Cent. He had a Book burnt by *Pope Alexander VI.* in 1258. *John (de Temporibus)* a Gent. of *Charlemain's* Court, who liv'd 361 Years. *John*, a *Dalmatian* Monk, who was a great stickler against the *Hussites* in the XVth Cent. *John Bp. of Chartres*, a learn'd Englishman of the XIIth Cen. He wrote abundance of Books, whereof none but the Life of *Thos. a Becket* is remaining. *John of Leyden*, vid. *Buckbold*. *John*, a celebrated Painter of *Udina* in *Friuli*,

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of the XVth Cent. He was the first that reviv'd the Art of making *Stucco*, a sort of Composition among the Ancients for Imagery. He died at *Rome* in 1564. *John*, surnam'd *Avigena* from his Birth-Place, was a Scotch great Philosopher and Divine, who was banish'd *Paris* for tending towards the same Opinion we *Protestants* hold now. His Book was condemn'd in 3 Councils. Going to *England*, and teaching School here, he was stabb'd by one of his Scholars with a Pen-knife in 883 or 4.

Johnson, (Ben.) Native of *Westminster*, and whose Father-in-Law was a Bricklayer. He was Scholar to *Mr. Camden* in *Westminster* School, and afterwards admitted of *St. John's* in *Cambridge*, but for want of Money was fain to return to his Fathers Trade, and assisted in building part of *Lincolns-Inn*. Being observ'd to have always a Book in his Pocket, some Gentlemen sent him to Study again, where he improv'd extremely. In learn'd Company he spoke little. He was smart in Repartees, wonderful in Dramatick Poetry, and reputed the best Poet of his time, and has not been a little admir'd since. His Works are well known. He died in 1638. and was buried in *Westminster* Abbey, with this Epitaph, *O Rare Bnn. Johnson*.

Joa, (*Elizabeth*) a Spanish Female Divine who preached wonderfully at *Barcelona*, and converted a great many *Jews* at *Rome*. She also explain'd the Intricacies of *John Dun Scotus*.

Joinville, (John Lord of) wrote the Life of *St. Lewis*, and was employ'd by that Prince to do Justice at his Gate.

Jolaut, who fear'd the Necks of the *Hydra*, as fast as *Hercules* cut off the Heads, for which Service he was by *Hebe* restor'd to Youth. *Jolaut* Son of *Antipater*, left Governor of *Macedonia* by *Alexander* in his Absence. *Antipater* having offended *Olympias*, and fearing that Prince would revenge his

Sea.

Jolcos, now *Jaco*, an Ancient Sea-Port of *Thessaly*, only famous for the Birth of *Jason*, and the Expedition of the *Argonautes*.

Jole, Daughter of *Eurytus* King of *Oechalia*, with whom *Hercules* being in Love, bargain'd with her Father to have her in Case he beat him; which tho' he perform'd, *Jole* being retain'd, he slew the Old King, and seiz'd upon her. *Deianeria* being Jealous of her, sent her Husband *Hercules* a poison'd Shirt, which was the Death of him.

Jollyvet (*Event*) a French Advocate, Native of *Orleans*, Born in 1601. He was both a great Protestant, Divine Lawyer, Philosopher, Poet, and Physiologist. He wrote a Poem on King *Gustavus Adolphus*, in *Latin* and in *French*, and a large History of *Sweden*, which is still kept in MS. in the Royal Library at *Upsal*. There are other Manuscripts of his now in the Hands of his Son, a Gentleman now belonging to her Majesties *Mede*.

Jon the Son of a K. of *Thessaly*, who gave the name of *Jonia* to a Country of *Greece*.

Jonadab, Son of *Rechab*. He liv'd an austere Life, and recommended such Rules to his Posterity the *Re-*

him by the King. He wrote divers Books, most part were either Apologies for his Country to 90 Years of Age before his Death a Woman. *Jonas*, a Prophet of *Germany*, of the XVIth one of the first that taught the Doctrine of *Luther*. other Books, a Treatise of Priests marrying.

Jonathian, K. of *Samaria*, Friend contrary to that of himself or Family with his Father in a *Philistinus*. *Jonathon*, *das Maccabees*, after *Jews* pitch'd upon his side. He forc'd the *Bacchides* to a Peace, then Syrian Command was taken Prisoner by *lemas*, and kill'd, the Ransom was offer'd but were also two High Priests of this Name.

Jonia, (now *Sarchia*) *Eolia* and *Caria*. It was anciently were *Ephesus*, *Miletum*, &c. also *Caria* and *Lydia*.

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trum; some others will have it, it has a Subterranean Communion with the *Red-Sea*, or *Mediæmean*. Its Courſe is about 100 *is*. It has been obſerv'd not to with the *Dead-Sea*; and Travelſay, that the Filth that come into *Sea* die.

ernandes, firſt Secretary to the *Goths* *Italy*, and Bp. of *Ravenna*. He re divers Books in the VI. Cen. icularly *de Rebus Gothicis* in 552.

Joſeph I. Second K. of *Morocco*, of Race of *Almoravides*. Some ſay, built *Morocco*, and others, he only h'd it. He Conquer'd the Kdom *Fez*, and made *Algiers* and *Tunis* ſutary. After having warr'd with

Arabians in *Biledulgerid*, he was ted into *Spain*, and received for craign over the *Mooriſh* Kings there.

Upon he laid Siege to *Toledo*, quitted it upon News of K. *Alſus*'s Approach, however he had cia deliver'd to him. Having ſub- ted moſt of the *Mooriſh* Kdoms, he Home, but return'd not long af- and landing at *Malaga*, beſieg'd

do again; but quitted it again for of K. *Alphonſo*. Next he took *antia*, and beheaded its King. Af- this, *Joſeph* won the Battel of 7

nts, which cauſ'd K. *Alphonſo* to of Grief. *Joſeph* returning to *Ma*,

died the following Year 1110. *ph* II. King of *Morocco* ſucceeded Father *Abdumumen* in 1156. Ha;

maintain'd ſome Tributaries at ne in their Dominions, he went o- to *Spain* with a prodigious Army,

in which he ſubdued all the *Mooriſh* ces he came to relieve. However had great Loſſes by the Chriſtians, ſome Advantages, but at length

ing *Santaren*, he was kill'd by an ow from the Walls, which occa- d the raiſing of the Siege. *Joſeph* I. ſucceeded *Enthyimus* in the iarchſhip of *Conſtantinople* in 1419. 1424. He died ſuddenly at the ncil of *Florence*. *Joſeph* II. was

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choſen Patriarch of the ſame in 1460. He was Affronted, and depoſ'd by a Chriſtian Officer under the *Turk*, for having refus'd him the Liberty of putting away his Wife, to Marry another.

Joſeph, Brother of *Herod the Great*, and Licutenant General of part of that Princes Forces. He held out the Fortreſs of *Maſſada* againſt *Antigonuſ*, but was nevertheleſs afterwards kill'd by him in a Battel near *Jericho*. *Joſeph*, *Albo*, a *Jewiſh* writer of *Spain*, who in a Book of his, proves it impoſſible that the Scriptures ſhould have been corrupted during the Caprivity in *Ba- bylon*. *Joſeph* of *Arimatea*, who would not content to our Saviour's Condemnation, and after his Death, begg'd his Body and buried it. Some ſay, he preach'd the Goſpel in this Iſland, and lies buried at *Glaſtenbury*.

Joſephus, the *Jewiſh* Hiſtorian, of noble Extraſt, both by Father and Mother. He was born under *Caligula*, turn'd *Phariſee*, and at 26 Years of Age went to *Rome*, to procure a Pardon for ſome Priſoners that had been ſent thither by *Felix*. By the help of a *Jewiſh* Comedian, he obtain'd his Deſire. At his return Home, he got the Command in Chief over the *Gali- lazans*, which he kept till *Joſtapha* was taken, when he retir'd to a Pit with 40 of his Men, where he ſuffer'd ex- tremely. He foretold *Vepaſian*'s being Emperor, after he had taken him, and was with *Titus* at the Siege of *Jeru- ſalem*. He writ the Wars of the *Jews* in *Greek*, which *Titus* valu'd exceed- ingly. At his return to *Rome*, he was allow'd a Penſion, and made a *Roman* Citizen, when he finiſh'd his XX. Books of the Antiquities of the *Jews*. He wrote other Treatiſes. All his Works are now Tranſlated by Sir Roger *L'E- ſtrange*, and printed for R. *Sare* in *Hilborn*.

Joſſe, (St.) Brother of *Judichael* King of *Britany*. *Judichael* deſigning to turn Monk, would have reliſh'd to *Joſſe*, but

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but he being resolv'd to retire likewise, refus'd the Offer, and turn'd Chaplain to Duke *Haimo*, after which he became a Hermit. He died in 653. and was Sainted for his Piety and Austere Life.

Josua, succeeded *Moses* in the Government of *Israel*.

Jotapata, formerly the strongest T. in *Galilee*, situated on an exceeding high Rock.

Joubert succeeded *Gastus*, as Great Master of the Order of *St. John* of *Jerusalem* in 1169. He died of Grief at the Truce the K. of *Jerusalem* was forced to make with *Saladine*. *Joubert*, (*Lawrence*) Counsellor and Physician to *Henry III.* of *France*. He was Chancellor of the University of *Montpelier*, and wrote several Books. He died in 1522.

Jovianus or *Jovimianus*, succeeded the Emp. *Julian* the Apostate in 363. He would not accept this Dignity till the Soldiers return'd to the Christian Religion. He endeavour'd to restore the Publick Affairs, by striking up a

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Jura, anciently *Gyarus* or *Gy* Desert Ill. in the *Archipelago*, & the *Romans* banish'd their Cr. To this *Javeral* alludes in the so well known.

Joyeuse, a Village of *Languedoc* gives Title to a Duke of a Noble Ancient Family in *France*.

(*Anne de*) a Duke and Peer of *France* made by *Henry III.* He was this *L* Favourite, who marry'd him.

Queen's Sister, and made him High-Admiral, Knight of all the Orders, and Governor of *Normandy* in 1587. he was General again

Protestants in *Guienne*, where he whole Regiments to pieces at *Saint*

He fought the B. of *Navarre*, (wards *Henry IV.*) near *Catras*,

he was routed and kill'd. The stants would give no Quarter,

out continually, about *St. Etienne*.

ever at length the Slaughter was

by the K. of *Navarre*. *Joyeuse*, (*de*) a Cardinal and Bp. who was to *Rome*, by *Henry III.* to support Interest of *France*. which he

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after *Hercules* had invented
A famous *Æra* begins with
Action of *Iphitus*, beyond which
says, the *Grecian History* is all
re and fabulous.

Iperen or *Ipres*, a rich C. the
Flanders, so call'd from a Rivu-
at passes thro' it. It is a Bprik
the ABp. of *Mecklin*, and has
il Jurisdiccions. The circumja-
Country is exceeding Fertile.
C. is strong by Nature, yet was
by the K. of *France* in 1678.
unds with good Buildings, and
ous for its Manufactures, and di-
Fair. It lies 18 m. S. of *New-*
35. S. W. of *Gaunt*, and 23 E.
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rich (Gippi Vici) Cap. of *Suf-*
situate on the Banks of the R.
l, and about 55 MS. N. E. of
n. It is Ancient and was for-
wall'd with Earth, but destroy'd
e *Danes*. It reviv'd under the
us, and is at present a flourish-
and populous City. It has 12
Churches, a Justice-Hall, Free-
ols, a proper Building for a Li-
, and a Hospital for the Poor.
very Clean, and Trades in Lin-
and Woollen Manufactures. *Card-*
y, Native of this City, began a
College here, which still retains
ame. The late D. of *Grafton* was
unt of this Place. It sends 2
bers to Parliament, which at pre-
are *John Bence* Esq; and *Charles*
cker, Serjeant at Law.
by, a Mar. T. in *Cumberland*, on
R. *Elne*.

land, a large Isl. on the W. of
Britain, whence it is divided by
George's Channel. It lies in the 8th
both Climates, and is 300 m. long
120 broad. It is far from any
inent, and tho' the Air be humid
gross, yet it is not unhealthful
where, but near the Bogs. The
is fitter for Pasturage than Til-
and so Fertile, that sometimes
proves bad Husbandry. From
Bogs comes a Turf, the sweet-

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est Fuel in the World. Here are no
venomous Creatures, not so much as
a Spider. Wolves also there are none,
they having been long since ridded
hence. To give a small touch of the
Natural History. Here is a Lake that
turns a piece of Wood that flicks in
the Mud into Iron, and the remain-
ing part in the Water into Stone.
Also an Island in a Lake, remarkable
for a great Noise heard there, and
thence nam'd *Sr. Patrick's Purgatory*.
Likewise 3 Lakes so very different,
that the Fish of the one, will not live
in the other. The Chief Rivers are
the *Shannon*, *Blackwater*, *Boyne* and *Bar-*
row, all abounding with Salmon. The
Principal Lakes are, 1. *Lough-erne* 30
m. long, and 15 broad, wherein are
many Islands. 2. *Corbes*, 16 m. long
and 4 broad, with 30 small Islands.
3. *Lough-Foyle*. 4. *Lough-Neagh*. This
Isl. is now divided into 4. Provinces:
1. *Leinster*. 2. *Munster*. 3. *Ulster*,
and 4. *Cannagh*. The first contains
9 Counties; and 34 remarkable T.
The Second, 6 Counties, and 24. T.
The Third, 10 Counties, and 14 T.
And the Fourth, 7 Counties, and but
8 T. of Note. The worst of all these
Provinces is *Cannagh*, which lies to
the N. W. The best Harbour of this
Isl. is that of *Kingsale*, which our Ships
often touch in their return Homeward.
This Isl. is suppos'd to have been first
Peopled by the *Britains*, by reason an-
cient Authors call it a *British* Isl. and
Tacitus observes a Conformity in the
Habits and Dispositions of both Na-
tions. It appear'd also at the Reducti-
on of *Wales*, by *Edward I.* that the
Laws of that Country had a great re-
semblance with the *Irish*. The In-
habitants of this Isl. continued long
Unciviliz'd, because they prevent-
ed the *Romans* coming among them,
by their Submission. They were in
those days exceeding Warlike, and
had many Customs that kept up that
Spirit. The Mothers were wont to
feed their Sons on the point of a
Sword; and wish'd they might die no

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where but in the Wars. Their Character has been, that they were Bold and Strong, able to undergo Fatigue, hardy and careless of Life, greedy of Glory, constant in Love, light of Belief, and implacable in Enmity. They are now observ'd to be much better Soldiers Abroad than at Home. The Wild *Irish* still retain many fantastical Conceits, but as for the others, they are much reform'd from what they were formerly. They were anciently govern'd by Petty Kings, whose Disagreements not a little contributed to their Reduction. They first consented to pay Tribute to *Henry II.* but the Kings of *England* assumed only the Title of Lords of *Ireland*, till *Henry VIII.* took upon him the Title of King, and had it confirm'd by Parliament. The E. of *Desmond* rebell'd against *Qu. Elizabeth*, but was subdu'd and slain. A more dangerous Insurrection was carry'd on by *Tir-Oen*, against the said Princess; yet he at length submitted to *R. James I.* who

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the *English* Parliament, which the Lord Deputy, *Sir Edw. Poynings* procur'd in *Henry VIII's* time, whence they have since had the Name of *Poynings Law*. Their Bills are always transmitted to *England*, before they can be Voted and Enacted. The Trade of this Ill. is chiefly in Cattel, Hides, Tallow, Honey, Cheese, Butter, Furs, Wax, Linnen Cloth, Hemp, Sale, Wool, &c. Its Seas abound with Cod, Herrings, Pilchards, &c. The Metropolis of this Ill. is *Dublin*, which See under *D.* *Ireland* has 4 ABpricks, viz. *Armagh, Dublin, Tuam* and *Cashel*, and 19 Bpricks. Authors vary about the Conversion of this Ill. but the Natives ascribe it to *St. Patrick* their Champion, who was a *Frenchman*. There is also difference about the place of his Burial, but which I do not think to reconcile.

Irenaus, (St.) succeeded *Phocas* in the Bprick of *Lyons*, whither he had been sent by *St. Polycarp* his Master. He confuted divers Hereticks, and govern'd his Church well, notwithstanding

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this barbarous Action, the Sun was Eclips'd for 17 days together in those Parts. After She had reign'd alone 5 Years, &c. she was depos'd and banish'd by *Nicephorus*, not long after which she died in 802. She had prevented *Charlemain's* making a Conquest upon her, by amusing him with Hopes of Marriage.

Iris, said to be the Messenger of *Juno*, and Sister of the *Harpyes*. It is now the Name of the Rainbow, perhaps as the Messenger of the Air to denote to us its Disposition.

Irnerius, a German Lawyer of the XII. Cen. believ'd to have been the first Restorer of the Practice of the Civil Law, after the Invasion of the Roman Empire by the Barbarians. He died in 1190. and was buried at *Bologne*, where he had been Law-Professor.

Iroquois, a sort of Idolaters of *Canada*; in N. America; they are Warlike People, and understand Firelocks the best of any of the Americans. They'll disseminate Injuries, but never forgive for 3 or 4 Generations. They are excessive Haughty, and look upon the other Indians no better than Brutes. They use their Prisoners most unmercifully. They put them to exquisite Torture, and then Kill and Eat them, giving their Children their Blood to make them Inhumane. Within 50 Years they have much extended their Dominions. Some of them border upon *New-York*. Their Politicks and way of Merchandize, are by no means despicable.

Irus, one of *Penelope's* Suiters, who being exceeding Poor and Weak, *Ulysses* knock'd him oth' Head with his Fist. His Poverty appears by the Proverb *Iro Pauperior*.

Isaac I. Comnenus, succeeded *Michael VI.* in the Greek Empire, by getting him depos'd in 1057. He was a Warlike and Witty, but Covetous and Proud Prince. Having banish'd his Friend the Patriarch, he was frighted

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with Lightning while he was Hunting, which made him to resign his Throne to *Constantine Ducas*, and retire to a Cloyster of the *Studite* in 1059. *Isaac II. Angelus*, succeeded *Andronicus Comnenus* in 1185. and put out his Son's Eyes. He had little Success against the *Myfians*, however suppress'd some Usurpers. He reign'd a little above 9 Years, when his Brother *Alexis* had his Eyes pull'd out, and threw him into a deep Dungeon, whence he was not deliver'd till 1203. soon after which he died.

Isaac Comnenus, an Author of the XIII. Cen. who writ a Supplement to *Homer*. *Isaac Hazen*, a Spanish Rabbi, who in the XIIIth Cen. compos'd the Astronomical Tables, call'd *Alphonsine*, from *Alphonfus X. K. of Leon and Castile*. Another of this Name, was an Arabian Physician, Contemporary with *Averroes*, who wrote divers Physical Tracts.

Isaew, an Orator of *Syria* of the CIX. Olymp. He came to *Athens*, and was Master to *Demosthenes*. But only 10 of 64 of his Orations are now remaining.

Isaiah, one of the greater Prophets, of the Royal Family, the Command of *K. Manasseh* was saw'd asunder with a Wooden Saw, A. M. 3338. *Isaiah*, Shield-bearer to *Sapor K. of Persia*, who being present when *St. Jonas* and *Barachius* were Martyr'd by that King, writ an Account of it, which is still extant.

Isaura, (*Clementia*) a learn'd and virtuous young Lady, who about the Year 1223, instituted the *Floral Games* at *Tholouse*, which are yet observ'd Yearly in *May*, when her Marble Statue is Crown'd with Flowers, and an Oration pronounc'd in her Praise.

Isauria, formerly a Prov. of *Lesser Asia*, now part of *Caramania*. Its Cap. was of the same Name, but is at present call'd *Saura*. The Inhabitants of this Country were a barbarous People, yet delighted in War and Rebellion.

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Iſchia, an Iſl. and C. on the Coaſt of Naples, remarkable for the Retreat of *Ferdinand*, when *Charles VIII.* of France conquer'd his Rdom.

Iſdegerd I. K. of *Persia*, ſucceeded *Varanes IV.* in 400, and tho' a Pagan was ſo much eſteem'd by the Emp. *Arcadius*, that he left him Guardian to his Son *Theodoſius*, which Truſt he executed by a good Man nam'd *Antiochus*. This King favour'd the Chriſtians, for the Bp. of *Meſopotamia*'s having cur'd him of the *Megrim*, and freed his Son of a Poſſeſſion, which diſguſted the *Magi*, and therefore they cauſ'd a ſecret Voice to cry out, that he ought to be depos'd. The aforeſaid Bp. diſcovering this Cheat, ſeveral *Magi* were put to Death; however, afterwards this King perſecuted the Chriſtians for deſtroying a Temple, where the Fire was worſhipped. He died in 421. *Iſdegerd II.* ſucceeded his Father *Varanes V.* in 441. He reign'd but 17 Years.

Iſenbrandus, marry'd the Empreſs

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in-Law. He was very victorious, and died in 1522. The name of *Sophy*, ſignifies *Wooll*, in the *Persian* Language, by reaſon they wore Woollen Turbans. *Iſhmael II.* ſucceeded *Tamas* in 1576. He aſcended the Throne from a Priſon. He murder'd 8 of his Brothers, and in about 2 Years was poiſon'd himſelf, by a Siſter, for inclining to the *Turkiſh* Sect.

Iſidas, a *Lacedæmonian* Captain, who, and 100 Soldiers ſurpriz'd a *Theban* T. by diſguiſing themſelves like Priests.

Iſidore, a Monk of the Order of *S. Baſil*, and Bp. of *Ruſſia*, who was made Cardinal by *Eugenius IV.* at the Council of *Florence* in 1439. At his return to the Eaſtern Empire his Native Country, endeavouring to introduce the *Latin* Service into the *Greek* Church, he was ſeiz'd and imprison'd by the People, whence eſcaping, and coming to *Rome*, the Pope ſent him back to *Conſtantinople*, where he continued till the taking of the City by the *Turks* in 1453. at which

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Isis, Queen to *Osiris* K. of Egypt, was afterwards worshipped for a Goddess, and is suppos'd to be the same with the *Grecian Is*, and the *Roman Cybele*, being set out much after the same manner. *Apuleius* says, she was ador'd by all the Pagan World, under different Names; and that she was Goddess of the Sea, and had invented Navigation, or at least Sails. She is reported to have gone by Sea into Germany, &c. and to have taught the People Agriculture. She had many Temples at Rome, and other Places, especially Paris, and some will have the Name of that City, to come from the 2 Greek words, *ισα* "Isis, (near *Isis*.) The Arms also being a Ship, they attribute them to her, and assert the Ground of the Abbey St. Germain, to be the Place where her Temple stood, *Isis*, is also the Name of a R. which joining to the River *Tame* below Oxford, makes our famous River *Tamesis* or *Thames*.

Island, suppos'd to be the Ancient *Thule*, is a large Isl. in the N. Ocean, first discover'd by one *Naddock*, a Norwegian, in 860. who call'd it *Snowland*; but its Name of *Island*, was afterwards given it by a Norwegian Pirate. It has Norway to the E. and Greenland to the W. It was first inhabited by the Norwegians, under *Ingulphus*, and did Homage to the Crown of Norway in 1260. whereby it now belongs to the K. of Denmark, who sends every Year a Governor thither, who resides at the Castle of *Belskade*. The Christian Religion was first planted here by a Bp. of Bremen in 1000. and the Reformation introduc'd by *Christiern III*. Bps. were first settled in 1133. The Inhabitants before worshipp'd *Jupiter* and *Mercury*, under the Names of *Thor* and *Odin*. They had then neither Mony nor Cities, but liv'd in Caves in the sides of Mountains, and made Bread of pounded Fish-bones, which some say, they continue still. The Air here is exceeding Cold, and the

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Country extream Mountainous; yet there are some very fruitful Plains which produce so much sweet Grass, that the Cattel would burst if they were suffer'd to eat their fill. The Oxen here have no Horns. They have exceeding little Dogs, and white Bears. Here are scarce any Trees, but *Box* and *Juniper*. There are 3 excessive high Mountains, which tho' cover'd with Snow, vomit Fire. In that call'd *Heccla*, there are rich Brimstone Mines, wherein Merchants drive a great Trade. Here is also a hot Fountain, whose Exhalation petrifies all that comes near it; and another whose Water causes sudden Death. There are divers other Wonders of Nature, which see in *Crantzium*. The Inhabitants are strong and fierce, speak the *Cimbrian* Language, and have written the History of their Country in Verse. The Bible is also translated into their Tongue. This Isl. lies between 8 and 10 Degr. of Lat. and in 67 of Lon. Its length is 200 Ls. and breadth 100.

Isle of Bourbon, (formerly *Mascaregna*) now belonging to the French, lies to the E. of *Madagascar*, towards *Aethiopia*. It has among others a burning Mountain, which has consum'd all the Eastern Parts. In this Isl. are entire Forests of *Benjoin*, *Ebony* and *Palms*: the Inhabitants reap 4 times a Year, and have good Corn, and excellent Rice. Among the many Lakes and Rivers, it has some are Medicinal. Its Air is extream pure. It has abundance of Cattel and Fowl, and great plenty of good Fish, especially Tortoises, which are exceeding nourishing and wholesome. Its Coast is much troubled with Hurricanes. *Isle del Fuego*, is one of those of Cape verb, which has a burning Mountain. *Isle of France*, is a very great Prov. and the most celebrated Rich and Populous of any in that Kingdom. It has on the N. *Picardy*, on the E. *Champagne*, on the W. *Normandy*, and on the S. *La Beausse*. It contains

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contains XII. Countries, or Jurisdictions, the Principal C. of this Prov. and of the whole EDOM is *Paris*, which, *vid.* under P. *Isles of Thieves*, (*de los Ladrones*) discover'd in 1520, by the famous *Magellan*. There are many of them, but 15 are most considerable. They lye between the E. Ocean, and *Mare Pacificum*. Their Air is pretty Temperate, but subject to great Gusts of Wind. Their Soil is generally Barren; but where it is not, there are many Inhabitants, who all go naked, excepting their Privities, are Tall, Robust and Tawny. *Magellan* reports, they were great Thieves, which occasion'd the name of their Isl. which he gave them. They Hunt and Fish, but their chief Trade lies in Mats, which they Exchange for Iron, having none of their own. Their Arms are Slings and Javelins, and their Religion Idolatry. They have no Rulers, which occasions frequent Disturbances among them. *Isle (Maurice)* so nam'd from *Maurice* Pr. of *Orange*, whom the *Hollanders* made Godfather to it, or their touching there in their

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hausted them, and destroy'd most of the Inhabitants, there not remaining sufficient to Manure the Ground without the help of Negro's. *Isles-Popes*, call'd by the *Turks* *Papa-Adasi*, lie in the Streights of *Constantinople*, not far from that City. Abundance of the *Greek Caloyers* (Monks of the Order of *St. Basil*) inhabit them, and observe an austere Life. *Isle of Sacrifice* on the Coast of *Mexico*, so nam'd from the *Spaniards* finding at their first Landing. Abundance of humane Sacrifices, which the Inhabitants had made to the Devil. This horrid Sight caused them soon to quit the Island.

Isleben, a T. of *Germany*, which the Natives call *Eisleben*, famous for having been the Birth-place of *Luther*, who here oppos'd and converted his Countryman *John Agricola*, who before had held divers Heterodox Opinions, and had a Sect that follow'd him, which were call'd *Islebian*s.

Islington, a T. near *London*, remarkable only for its Mineral Waters.

Isoetes, a most celebrated *Gracilis* Order, who, not succeeding in

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1466. She left behind her 564 MS. all to be seen in *Thunus's* Library. Her Sister and Relations were also learn'd.

Ispahan, Cap. of *Persia*, suppos'd to have risen out of the Ruins of *Accatopolis*, is a C. a days Journey in Circuit, and of no strength. It is divided by a double Channel of the R. *Zendrest*, which furnishes it with Water, every private House almost having a Fountain. The Houses are generally Square, terrass'd for to Walk and Sleep on in Summer, and none above 3 Stories. The Streets are narrow, but the *Meidan* (Market-place) exceeds all in *Europe*, being a large Oblong surrounded with Brick Buildings of an equal height, and Piazza'd round about, with Shops for several Trades, which are rank'd separately. Green Trees are planted all round, by which runs a continued Rivulet in a Stone-trough, which empties it self into 2 larger Trunks, whence it is convey'd away under ground. At one end of the Piazza's are 2 Balconies, where there is Musick every Evening, and when the *Sophy* passes by. His Palace fronts the *Meidan*, at the Gate whereof are planted 40 Cannons without Carriages. This Palace is but slenderly guarded, and fortified only with a high Wall. Over the great Gate is a large, high and round Pavilion full of Windows, whence the *Sophy* sees all publick Shews. In the midst of the Garden is a Chappel, which serves for a sure *Asylum* to all Criminals or Debtors, but Thieves and Robbers are excepted, who are particularly abhorr'd in *Persia*. *Ispahan* is adorn'd with a-bundance of *Metzids*, (*Misques*) *Bazars*, (*Markets*) and *Caravanseras*, (Publick Inns.) It is much frequented on account of Trade, by many Eastern and some European Nations. The Money is generally Silver or Copper, here being but little or no Gold Coin. This C. has 3 Latin Convents in it, and some Greek. The Principal Sub-

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urb is *Tzulpha*, the way to which is over a fine Bridge. Here the *Armenian* Christians live and pay Tribute, The *Georgian* Christians take up the Suburb of *Hazenabath*, and the *Kebbers* (Infidels) that of *Kebrabath*.

Israel, (a Prince of God) the Name which the Angel gave *Jacob*, after he had wrestled with him. There is a Book publish'd by one *Mon. Fleurey* at *Paris* in 1680. concerning the Manners of the *Israelites*, which is worth reading.

Issachar, the 5th Son of *Jacob*, and Father Father of Tribe of *Israel*.

Issel, or *Iffel*, a R. fluc'd from the *Rhine*, by the Emp. *Drusus*, and which gives name to the Prov. *Over-Iffel* in the *Netherlands*.

Isselt, an Author of the XVIth Cen. who wrote a Hist. of the Wars of *Colen*, &c. He died in 1597.

Issus, a C. of *Cilicia*, with a Bay of the same Name. Near this Place *Alexander the Great* defeated *Darius*.

Isthmian Games, (so call'd from the *Isthmus of Corinth*) were celebrated every 3 Years by the *Grecians*, in Honour of *Neptune* or *Melicertes*. They were one of the 4 great Assemblies of *Greece*. The Prize to the Victor was a Garland of Pine or *Mistle*, which was afterwards chang'd to 100 *Drachma's* by *Solon*.

Isthmus of Corinth (call'd also *Peloponnesiacus*) is a Neck of Land belonging to the *Venetians*, between the Gulph of *Corinth* (now *Lepanto*) and that of *Engia*. Many *Rom.* Emperors endeavour'd to dig thro' it but in Vain, which occasion'd the Proverb *Isthmum fodere*, to attempt impracticable things. Here a Wall was built to defend the *Morea*, but which was demolish'd by *Amarath II.* and tho' rebuilt and fortified by the *Venetians*, was again destroy'd by *Mabomet II.* in 1443. *Isthmus of Taurica Cheronesus* (now *Zucala*) 3 m. long, which joins *Crim-Tartary* to the Continent. *Isthmus of Cheronesus Thracica*, joining that *Peninsula*

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sula to Romania. Here *Miltiades* built a Wall for its Defence. *Isthmus Aënantheus* (now *d'Erissò*) between the Gulphs of *Monte Santo* and *Contesa*. This was cut thro' by *Xerxes*. *Isthmus of Darien*, joining N. to S. *America*. Here the *Scots* would have lately establish'd themselves, but were prevented, tho' not by the *Spaniards*. *Isthmus of Suez*, that joins *Egypt*, and the *Holy-Land*, to the *Stony Arabia*. It is so call'd from the *C. Suez* on the *Red-Sea*. It has often been attempted to be cut thro', but without effect.

Istria, a Prov. belonging to the Republick of *Venice*, having on the E. W. and S. the *Adriatick Sea*, and on the N. *Friuli*; being a sort of *Peninsula*. This Country is very full of Wood, and Marble Quarries, which furnish *Venice* with Materials, both for Ships and Houses. It is tolerably fruitful in Wine and Oil, but in other things not comparable to the rest of *Italy*. The Air is sickly and unwholesome. The *Venetians* have a Governor here and the Country is in circuit

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half of *Lat.* It has the *Alps* on the N. the *Adriatick Sea* on the E. the *Tuscan Sea* on the S. and part of the *Alps*, and the *R. Vèr* on the W. The *Appennine Hills* divide it into 2 parts. It is a very fertile and pleasant Country, and towards the N. extremely well water'd with Rivers. It has Mines of Iron, Allum, Brimstone, and some of Gold and Silver; besides many Quarries of Marble, Alabaster, &c. and some sorts of Precious Stones. This Country was at first divided into divers Tribes and Nations, till they were united under one Empire by the *Romans*, whose Sovereignty at length declining, gave Birth to several Seignories and Republicks, which are at present in the Hands of the Pope. The K. of *Spain*, Republick of *Venice*, the Dukes of *Savoy*, *Florence*, *Mantua*, *Modena* and *Parma*, and the Common-Wealths of *Genoa*, *Luca*, *St. Marino*, &c. and of some lesser Principalities, such as *Munaco*, *Mafferan*, *Pimmino*, &c. (The further Particulars of the Geography of this

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ble and fair Cities, about 300 Bpricks, and more Universities than any other one Country. Its ancient Government was first by Kings, and then by Consuls, and afterwards by Emperors. Upon the Declension of the Empire, it was invaded by the *Goths*, *Vandals*, *Heruli* and *Huns*, who were driven thence by the Emp. *Justinian's* Generals *Belisarius* and *Narfes*, which occasion'd the *Exarchate* of *Italy*, establish'd at *Ravenna*. Next the *Ostro-Goths* erected a Kingdom in *Italy*, but were expell'd by the *Lombards*, who gave name to *Lombardy*; but after 204 Years they were expelled by *Charlemain*.

Italy has often been invaded by the *Saraxens*, who were outed by the *Normans*. The Religion of this Country is the *Roman* Catholick only; yet the *Jews*, *Greeks* and *Armenians* are tolerated in some Cities.

Ithaca, (now *Isola del Compare*, or *val di Compare*) an *Isl.* in the *Ionian* Sea, famous for having been the Birth-place of *Ulysses*.

Itys, who was killed by his Mother *Progne*, and serv'd up in a Dish to her Husband *Tereus* K. of *Thrace*, in revenge of his having deflowered her Sister *Philomela*. Whereupon *Tereus* pursuing these Sisters in a great fury, he was Metamorphos'd into a Wood-Pecker, *Progne* into a Swallow, and *Philomela* into a Nightingale.

Juba I. K. of *Mauritania*, &c. succeeded his Father *Hiempsal*: and was subdu'd by *Cesar*, for siding with *Pompey*; whereupon he and his Companion *Petreus* kill'd each other, 46 Years before our Saviour. *Juba* II. was carried by *Cesar* to *Rome*, when but a Child, and being well educated there, became famous for his Learning. He was marry'd by *Augustus* to *Cleopatra's* Daughter by *Antony*.

Jubal, was Son of *Lamech*, and said to be Inventor of Instrumental Musick.

Jubilee, or the *Holy-Year*, a time set apart by the Popes for granting Indul-

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gences. It was instituted and appointed to be observ'd every 100th Year, by *Boniface VIII.* in imitation of the *Jews*. *Clement* VIth brought it to 50. *Urban* VIth to 30. and *Sixtus* V. to 25. where it now continues; there is also a kind of *Jubilee* upon the Exaltation of every Pope. The Ceremony observ'd at the first sort is this. The Pope coming to open the *Holy-Gate*, which is wall'd up, knocks thrice with a Golden Hammer, and at the same time pronounces these words of the *Psalmist*, *Aperite mibi Portas Jerusalem*, &c. whereupon the Masons immediately throw down the Wall, when his Holiness kneeling, the Penitentiaries come and wash him with *Holy-Water*; which done, he takes up the Cross and enters the Church singing *Te Deum*. At the same time 3 Cardinal Legates, break down 3 other *Holy-Gates* that are at *Rome*. Next Morning the Pope gives his Benediction to the People publicly. After the Year is out, the *Holy-Gate* is shut again, the Pope Blessing the Mortar and Soones, and leaving 12 Boxes of Gold and Silver Medals to be closed up in the Wall. Formerly great Numbers came from all Countries to these Solemnities, but since they have *Jubilees* of their own allow'd them, they have left off coming. What the *Jewish Jubilee* was, is to be seen in another Place.

Jucatan, a Peninsula of N. *America*, of 250 L. in Circuit belonging to the Jurisdiction of *Mexico*. It lyes between that Gulph and the *Honduras*. Its Cap. is *Merida*. Its Soil is fertile and abounds with Cotton. Its Inhabitants are Warlike, and were formerly Cannibals. They are circumcised, yet gross Idolaters. They deal much in Image-Worship, which they make to give out false Oracles. The manner of their Sacrificing Men was this, They went in Procession singing mournfully round the Captives, whose Breast they open'd all of a sudden, and gave their King their Hands and

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Feet, their Prelate their Hearts, and the other Parts to the Spectators.

Judah, (*Leo*) a Protestant Convert of *Zurick*. He was born in 1492. understood *Hebrew* exceeding well, translated some of the Old Testament, and writ Notes on several parts of the Bible.

Judah, a *Rabbi*, Master to, and in great Favour with, the Emp. *Antoninus*. He was Author of the *Misna*, being a Collection of the Constitutions and Traditions of the *Rabbins*. Great Disputes arose concerning this Book, which were collected into a Volume by Two *Rabbins*, and call'd the *Babylonian Talmud* or *Ghemara*.

Judah Ching, a *Rabbin* of *Fex*, stil'd the Prince of *Grammarians* from his great Skill in that Science. He wrote an excellent *Arabick* Dictionary, which was never Printed, and divers other Works in the same Language.

Judas Maccabaeus, succeeded his Father *Mattathias*, as General of the *Jews*, *An. Rom.* 587. He was a famous Captain, and gain'd many great Victories over the *Kings* of *Syria*.

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Jude (*St.*) one of our *Saviour's* Brethren and Apostles, call'd also *Thaddaeus*. He preach'd in *Misopotamia*, *Arabia*, *Idumaea*, *Syria*, &c. and, as *Eusebius* says, was sent by *St. Thomas* to convert *Abgarus*, K. of *Edessa*, and his People, which he perform'd, and refus'd a great Reward offer'd him. He is said to have been martyr'd at *Berytus*, on Account of the Faith, but some will have it, he was put to Death in *Persia*, for reproving the *Magi*. His Epistle was not receiv'd by the Church for a good while, by reason of some Things contain'd in it; which Exception at length was overrul'd.

Judea, anciently the Land of *Canaan*, the Land of Promise, &c. now the Holy Land or *Palestine*. This was a Spot of Ground allotted by God to his own People, and was divided at first into XII Tribes, but at our *Saviour's* Birth only into VI Provinces, whereof *Gallilee*, *Samaria*, and *Judea propria*, were on this side *Jordan*; and *Trachemitis*, *Ituraea* or *Peraea*, and *Idumaea* on the other.

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and at last to the Kings again. The Romans establish'd *Tetrarchs* there. Upon the Persecution of the *Jews* by *Antiochus Epiphanes*, *Mattathias*, a Priest of the *Almonaan* Line, retir'd from *Jerusalem*, and was not long after declar'd Pr. of the *Jews*, after whom the Regal Title and High-Priesthood were united 130 Years in that Family, till *Herod the Great* put an end to this Succession. The *Jews* frequently revolting, *Vespasian* and his Son *Titus*, at length entirely reduc'd them in the Year 70, from which time they have been esteem'd little better than Vagabonds. Under the famous Impostor *Barchochebas*, they endeavour'd to recover their Liberty in the time of the Emp. *Adrian*, but in vain. They have since attempted to make themselves Independant, but could never bring it about. Several Proclamations of Councils, Emperors, and Princes have from time to time been issu'd out against them, and they have often been expell'd divers Countries with Contempt. The Modern Law of the *Jews* is divided into, First, The *Pentateuch*. 2dly, The *Oral Law*, being Traditions and Constitutions which compose the *Talmud*. 3dly, The Customs that are observ'd among them in different Places, which therefore are not follow'd by all. Their Modern worship consists only in Prayers, Sacrifices having been left off, ever since the Temple was destroy'd. Their chief Tenet is, that *Messias* is yet to come. The Ancient Sects among them were the *Samaritans*, *Essians*, *Sadducees* and *Pharisees*, the present are those of the *Samaritans* and *Caraites*. In *Turky* the native *Jews* wear *Turbans* of divers Colours, and differ from the Christians there, only in their Shoes. The Foreign have high Crown'd Hats without Brims. They are allow'd by the *Grand Seigneur* throughout all his Dominions, and are very numerous in all Places of Trade. They are more expert at Business than other People and 'tis therefore they are mostly employ'd.

Judges, the Governors of the *Jews* before the Kings; they could not Sentence any Delinquent without the Concurrence of the *Sanhedrim*. They had great resemblance with the *Sufetes* of *Carthage*, and the perpetual *Archontes* of *Athens*. In this Title of *Judge*, the *Goths* imitated the *Jews*, for they had no other Rulers in the IV. Cen.

Judia, Metropolis of the Kingdom of *Siam*, where the King resides. It is situate on the *Menan*, a Branch of the *Ganges*, and one of the largest Rivers in the *E. Indies*. It is fortified after the old manner, and is about 3 Dutch m. about. The R. runs round the Town, and is near 2 Musquet-shot in breadth. The Palace Royal is fortified after the Modern way, and very Magnificent. This C. can furnish its King with 52000 Men, and 20000 Barges upon occasion of a War.

Judith, the famous Jewish Widrow that cut off *Holophernes's* Head, and thereby freed her Country from Servitude. Mr. *Bayle* looks upon the History of her to be no better than a pious Romance.

Judith, Empress to the Emp. *Lewis I.* who for her Inconstancy and Ambition, was forc'd into a Cloyster by the People in 830. However she was afterwards released, and was Mother to *Charles the Bald*.

Judith, Widow to *Etbelwolf* and *Estheldred*, Kings of *England*, and Daughter of *Charles the Bald*. At her return from *France*, *Baldwin*, Governor of *Flanders*, took her away with her own Consent, which *R. Charles* not being able to retrieve, he consented to their Marriage, and made *Baldwin* first Earl of *Flanders*.

Ives, (St.) a Burrough in *Cornwall*, which sends two Members to Parliament, who at present are *James Praed* and *Richard Chandler* Esqs.

Ives (St.) a m. T. in *Huntingtonshire* which had its name from one *Ive*, a *British* Bp. who died there in 604.

Ive, Bp. of *Chartres*, who vigorously oppos'd *Philip I.* of *France*, in the putting

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putting away his Queen *Bertha* of *Holland*, to marry *Bertrade* of *Montfort*. He was much valu'd for his Piety and Learning, and died in 1115 or 16. His Works were publish'd in 1647. in a large Volume, by *J. Baptist Souchet*.

Ivette, or *Jubra*, a County of *Muscovy*, whence the *Hungarians* are said to have first come to the *Pulvis Moeris*, and thence into *Pannonia* (*Hungary*.) The *Muscovites* boast much of this Province on this account.

Jugurtha, K. of *Numidia*, Grandchild of *Massinissa*, and Nephew to *Micipsa*. This last leaving his 2 Sons to his Care, he made away with the one, and pursuing the other, took him in *Cirta*, and had him murder'd. Hereupon the *Romans* made War upon him, but having brib'd their Consul, he suffer'd himself to be beaten, when *Jugurtha* gave out that *Rome* was to be Sold, and he would dispose of it to the highest Bidder. Notwithstanding which he was afterwards defeated by *Q. Metellus*, and next entirely subdu'd by *Metellus*, and was long af-

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Tiberius coming to the Empire, he sufficiently reveng'd himself by letting her Starve in great Misery.

Julia, Daughter of *Agrippa* and *Julia*. She imitated her Mother, and therefore was likewise banish'd for dishonouring her Husband *Emilius Lepidus*. She died after 20 Years Banishment, all which time she had been maintain'd by the Empress *Livia*.

Julia, Empress to *Septimius Severus*, who marry'd her before his Advancement, by reason it was Prophesied, that her Husband should be Emperor. *Severus* receiv'd her into the Government for her great Wit, tho' he did not much care for her. She was much inclin'd to Philosophy, and lov'd to converse with learn'd Men. She had 2 Sons *Caracalla* and *Geta*, the latter whereof was kill'd in her Arms by the former, and she wounded, which Barbarity she durst not resent. When *Caracalla* was kill'd she grew discontented for fear of losing her State, and at length starv'd her self to prevent it.

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te was declar'd *Caesar* by *Constantius* in 355. and proclaim'd Emperor by the Roman Legions in 360. He set open the Heathen Temples, restor'd their Worship, and made himself High-Priest. He re-call'd Hereticks, suppress'd the Orthodox party, and encourag'd *Judaism*. He call'd the Christians *Galileans* in derision, and finding himself oblig'd to go against the *Persians*, vow'd the ruin of the Church when he return'd; but rashly engaging without his Armour, he receiv'd an Arrow in his Breast, when seeing his Blood gush out, he took a handful of it, and throwing it up in the Air, cry'd out, *Vicisti Galilee*, and so expir'd. This happen'd in 363. He was Chast, Learn'd, Temperate, Vigilant and Laborious, and of excellent Parts, which the Works we have of his sufficiently shew. He wrote divers Tracts against the Christians, mention'd by *St. Jerom*, and answer'd *St. Cyril* of *Alexandria*.

Julian, Earl of *Centa*, (the Capital C of a Government of the Spanish *Goths* on the *Barbary* Coast, near the Streights of *Gibraltar*) who upon his Daughter *Caba's* being ravish'd by *Rodorigo*, K. of *Spain*, betray'd his Government to *Mura*, General of the Army of the Caliph of *Damascus*, who, after the subduing great part of *Spain*, suspecting *Julian* of Correspondence with the Christians, struck off his Head in 717.

Julian, the Name of a false K. of *Samaria*, taken and burnt in the time of *Iustinian*.

Julian, Uncle to *Julian* the Apostate, and Minister of his Cruelties, who after several Indignities to *Christ*, his Church and Priests, perish'd by voiding his Excrements at his Mouth, A. C. 363.

Julian, Bp. of *Pozzuolo* who was present in the Council of *Ephesus* in 449.

Also a Bp. of *Coss*, Legate of *Leo I.* at the Council of *Chalcedon*.

Also a *Pelagian* Bp. of *Celene*, a small C. of *Campagna di Roma*, a Man of

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Wit and Eloquence, Son of *Memorius* Bp. of *Capua*; First an intimate Friend, then Antagonist of *St. Austin*, against whom he wrote several Books; he was at last for the *Pelagian* Heresie driven from his Church, and died miserably in 419.

Julian of *Halicarnassus*, chief of the *Phanastae* or *Incorruptibles*, Hereticks enemies to the Council of *Chalcedon*.

Julian *Hafart*, a *Carmelite* of *Hainault*, writ the History of the *Netherlands*, and died in 1525.

Julian (St.) *de Pyro*, a Spanish Order of *Knighthood*, instituted by *Pereiro*, protected by *Ferdinand II.* and approv'd by *Pope Alexander III.* afterwards incorporated into that of *Alcantara*.

Julian, ABp. of *Toledo*, Author of various Works, presid'd in the XII. XIII. XIV. and XV. Councils of *Toledo*, in the IV. Cen.

Julian Period, a Revolution of 7980. *Julian Years*, compos'd of 3 *Cycles*, viz. of the *Sun*, which is 28 Years, of the *Moon*, which is 19. of the *Indiction*, which is 15. The first Year of each of these *Cycles*, is the first of the Period, and must make 7980 Years to return to a Year, mark'd with the same Number of each *Cycle*; 'twas invented by *Joseph Scaliger*, or *L'Escafe*, who liv'd in 1560. The chief Use of the *Julian Period*, is to be a certain fix'd Rule of computing Years, in the variety of Chronologers Opinions, in their Calculations from the Creation, including more Years than any of them Suppose from that time; this is a more certain way of computing, than by *Epochs*, which will never meet with each other; this Period never varies, and thus you may reduce the *Julian Period* to the Years before *Christ*. The 1. A. C. had 10. of the *Sun*, 2. of the *Moon*, and 4. of the *Indiction*; these Characters are those of 4714. of the *Julian Period*.

Juliers or *Gulick*, a strong and ancient C. and Dukedom of *Germany*, in the

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the Circle of *Westphalia*, subject to the Duke of *Newburg*, on the R. *Roer*, 24 m. W. of *Cologne*, 15. N. E. of *Aix la Chapelle*. Lon. 25. 50. Lat. 50. 56. the C. was built by *Julius Caesar* or *Drusus*. The Dukedom has besides, several other Cities, as *Aken*, *Duren*, *Limich*, *Aldenbrun*, *Zulpich*, *Grevembruck*, *Heinsburg*, *Kerpen*, *Erkelens*, *Dolin*, &c. 'tis about 12 Ls. in length, and 7 broad.

Julis, a C. of the *Isl. Cea* in the *Egean Sea*, famous for being the Birth-Place of the Poet *Simonides*, and his Nephew *Bacchylides*; as also of the Physician *Erastistratus*, and of a Philosopher call'd *Ariston*.

Julius I. (Pope) a *Roman*, succeed-
ed *Mark* in 336. call'd a Council of 116 Bps, or as others say, 340. to assist those persecuted by the *Arians* in the *East*; he acquitted *St. Athanasius*, and divers other Prelates. He call'd on their Account another *Synod*, and wrote to the *Arian* Bps. He re-establish'd the banish'd Bps, and died in 352. He order'd the Clergy only to plead before Ecclesiastick Judges.

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Julius Games, a *Roman* of great Constancy, put to Death by *Caligula*, with so little Concern at it, that when fetch'd to Execution, he bid the Centurion Witness, that so far he had the better of the Game of Chiefs he was playing at.

Jumala, an Idol of *Finland* and *Lapland*, the Chief of their Gods, esteem'd Commander of Life and Death. His Temple is in a Forest.

Junius (Adrianus) born at *Horn* in *Holland*, in 1513. He was a Physician, and Author of many Works, particularly a Poem on the Marriage of *Philip II.* to *Mary of England*, call'd *Philippis*. He died at *Armuiden* in 1575.

Junius Franciscus born at *Burges* in 1547. where he studied the Laws, taught Protestant Divinity at *Geneva* in 1592. and was chosen Divinity Professor at *Leyden*, and there died in 1602. He join'd with *Tremellius* in translating the Bible: Writ against Pope *Gregory XIII.* and *Bellarmino*, &c.

Junius, (Francisc.) Son of the former, was a great Linguist, and coming into

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Professor at *Gießen*. These
a Brother nam'd *Gaspar*, who
lan of Letters.

Goddeſs of Kingdoms and
Daughter of *Saturn* and *Rhea*,
e, was preserv'd with her Bro-
piter by the *Corybantes*, from
aten by *Saturn*. She was mar-
Jupiter, and bore him *Ilithuia*,
nd *Hebe*. *Mars* ſhe bore with the
f a Flower; ſhe was extreamly
, and an implacable Enemy to
treſſes of *Jove*. She had ſeveral
She is underſtood to be the
Philophers, &c.

er, call'd the *Father of Gods*
: He was Son of *Saturn* and
who to ſave him and *Juno*
er Husband, that devour'd all
dren, when ſhe was deliver'd,
m a Stone, which he devour-
his Children, whom ſhe con-
by the *Corybantes* to *Crete*,
oiſe drown'd the Cries of the

He ſuck'd the Milk of a Goat
Amalthea, for which he after-
translated her into the *Zodiac*.
now, a Man, he dethron'd
and divided the World with *Nep-*
Pluto; Heaven and Earth was
s *Lot*, the Sea *Neptune's*, and
ito's. There were ſeveral *Jupi-*
the Actions of all are attribu-
one *Jupiter*, *quasi Juvans Pa-*
Sepulchre was found in *Crete*,
ro's time. He had ſeveral
either from the Place, or occa-
his Worſhip or Temple: as *Ju-*
mon, in the form of a Ram;
ſies hidden, or out of the way,
the *Lybian* Deſarts: *Capitolinus*
s Temple in the *Capitol*, built
Junius Priſcus. Here the new
, Emperors, &c. firſt made
ows, and offer'd their Trophies,
rifices, entering in Triumph.
Senate often ſate on the moſt
nt Emergencies: And here the
Books were kept; and two
of Gold offer'd by the *Gauls*
thaginians, and a Statue of Vi-

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ctory of Maſſy Gold. *Conſervator*; *Do-*
mitian dedicated an Altar to *Jupiter*
Conſervator, on his Father *Veſpaſian's*
coming to the Empire, for his eſcape
from the Rage of *Vitellius*; after he was
Emperor, he built a Temple to *Jupi-*
ter Cuſtos. *Elicius*, *Numa Pompilius* built
an Altar to *Jupiter*, under that name
for the grant of Knowledge of Sooth-
ſaying by Thunder and Lightning.
Jupiter Feretrius, from *ferre* to carry,
that is from *Romulus's* carrying the
Spoils of the vanquiſh'd K. of the *Ce-*
nimenses on a Wooden Bier called *Fe-*
retrum; or from *ferire* to ſtrike, becauſe
the Spoils only of a General, killed
by a Roman Conſul or Legate, were
offer'd there to *Jove*. *Jupiter Impe-*
rator, from his Dominions over all
things, and the Fate of Battels, brought
to the *Capitol* by *Titus Quinctius* the
Diſtator, from the conquered *Præneſtim*.
Jupiter Inventor, to whom an Altar was
placed in the *Circus magnus* of *Rome*;
tho' firſt erected by *Hercules*, for his re-
covering his Oxen from *Cicus*, continued
by the *Latins*, and by them transmitted
to *Rome*. *Jupiter Latiſalis*, from the
Latins Sacrificing to him on Mount
Albanus, near *Alba* in *Latium*, in their
Feria Latina, or Latin Feſtivals, inſtitu-
ted on the Alliance betwixt *Tarquinius*
Superbus and the *Latins*, *Volſcians* and
Hernici. *Jupiter Piſtor*, or the Baker,
from a Viſion which raiſed the Siege
of *Rome*, by commanding the *Romans*
to Bake abundance of Bread, and
throw it into the *Gauls* Camp. *Jupi-*
ter Sponsor, from a Temple built to
him by *Tarquinius Superbus*, in A. C.
288. was call'd alſo *Dius Fidius* invok'd
on performance of Promiſes and ones
Word. *Jupiter Stator*, or the *Stayer*,
from two Temples built to him, one
by *Romulus* at the foot of Mount
Palatine, for ſtopping the flight of
the *Romans*, and overcoming the *Sa-*
bines their Purſuers ev'n to the *Capi-*
tol. The other by *M. Attilius Regu-*
lus Conſul, A. R. 460. in the *Flami-*
nian Circus, on his Victory over the
Samnites.

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Sarmites. In this the Senate often met. *Jupiter Ultor*, or the Avenger from punishing Crimes. *Agrippa* built the *Pantheon*, now *Sancta Maria della Rotonda*, to him.

Jura, Mount *Jura*, or the Mount of *St. Claudius*, a Mountain that from the *Rhine* extends almost to *Geneva* near the *Rhone*. Part of this Mountain is call'd the *Great Credo*, and stretches along that R. 4. L. below *Geneva*; this has various Names in varying Nations. The old famous Boundary or Bound that divided *Burgundy* into *Transjurana* and *Cisjurana*.

Tiorea, or *Tiorea*, an ancient and strong C. and Castle in the Principality of *Piedmont*, the Capital of the Marquisate of the same Name, fam'd for *Berengarius*, that contended for the Empire with the *French*; 'tis a Bprick under the Abp. of *Turin*, subject to the D. of *Savoy*, on the R. *Doria*, or *Doria Balta*, 22. M. N. of *Turin*, 29. E. of *Susa*, 32. W. of *Verille*, Long. 27. 33. Lat. 44. 55.

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Justin I. Emp. of the *East* after *Anastasius* in 518. Rising by his Virtue from a Swine-herd, and Common Soldier, to the Chief Commands. He was by the Soldiers forc'd to be Emperor; he banished and persecuted the *Arians*, and restor'd the *Orthodox* Prelates. He commanded the Council of *Chalcedon* to be observ'd. Was struck with a great Melancholly for the Destruction of great part of *Antioch*, and other Cities by an Earthquake, and gave largely out of his own Treasury to the Rebuilding them. *Anazarba* and *Edessa* he call'd *Justinopolis*; he nam'd *Justinian* his Sister's Son for Successor, and dy'd in 527. Aged 77. *Justin II.* Son of *Dulcis* and *Vigilantia*, *Justinian's* Sister succeeded to *Justin I.* in 566. He had his Namesake and Competitor for the Empire, strangled at *Alexandria*, contrary to his Engagement, to make him 2d Person of the Empire. He began well, but prov'd a Tyrant. The *Persians* and *Lombards*, &c. declaring War against him.

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quash'd the Rebellions of *Hypatius*, *Pompeius* and *Probus*, Grandsons to *Anastasius*, and took 'em Prisoners. He collected all the *Roman* Laws in the *Justinian Codex* and *Novella*. He died A. C. 565. or 66. and reign'd 39 Years, aged 83. He abolish'd the *Consulship*. Among a great many other Temples, he built *St. Sophia* in *Constantinople*, and repair'd several Cities. *Justinian II.* the Younger, call'd *Rhinometus*, succeeded his Father *Constantinus Barbarus*, at 16 Years old, A. C. 685. At first he beat the *Saracens* from several of the *Roman* Prov. and made 'em *Tributaries*; he after falling on them on a frivolous pretence, was beaten by them, and being hated, he was dethron'd by them, and had his Nose cut off, and was banish'd into *Chersonesus*, by *Leontius* his Successor in 694. *Leontius* being in 697. depos'd by *Tiberius Abdimarius*, *Justinian* was restor'd by the K. of *Bulgaria*, beheaded *Leontius* and *Tiberius*, and kill'd a Senator every time his Nose dropt. He ungratefully made War on the *Bulgarians*, and being beaten by them soon after, was killed with his Son *Tiberius*, by *Phillippus Bardanes* his Successor.

Another *Justinian*, was *Justin II.*s Nephew. *Sophia*, *Justin's* Wife, being disappointed in her Hopes of being declared *August* by *Tiberius*, whom she had advanced to the Throne, conspir'd to set this *Justinian* there, whom *Tiberius* mildly Reproving and Pardonng, employ'd him in his Wars with *Persia*.

Justiniani, or *Justinian* (*Bernard*) a *Venetian* Ambassador to Pope *Sixtus IV.* He writ the Life of *St. Laurentius Justiniani* his Uncle, the Original of *Venice*, the History of the *Goths*, &c. *Justiniani*, (*Peter*) another *Venetian* writ the History of *Venice* in XVI. Books in 1576.

Justinopolis, or *Justiniana*, a C. of *Bulgaria*, fam'd for the Birth of *Justinian I.* was made the Capital of both the *Dacia's* by him, and new nam'd, being call'd before *Byzantium* and *Acrida*,

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this was call'd the first, the second being in *Upper Moesia*, and the third in *Chalcedonia*.

Justinopolis the Metrop. of *Isiria* in the *Venetian* State, a Brick under *Aquileia*.

Justitia, or the Goddess of *Justice*: she was painted blind to intimate Impartiality, and had the Figure of a severe look'd Virgin, she had a Sword in one hand, and Scales or the *Fasces* in the other.

Justi from *Juxta*, (near) because the Combatants fought Hand to Hand. These were Combates or Duels of Knights perform'd after *Tournaments*.

Justland, a Peninsula, containing the chief part of *Denmark*, divided into N. and S. lies between the *Hans Towns* the *Baltic*, *German Ocean*, and the Dms. of *Holstein* and *Sleswick*; each part is subdivided into 4 little Prov. Some derive the name from the *Jutti*, or *Gotti*, or *Gothi*: 'Tis the most flourishing Prov. of *Denmark*; yet wants convenient Harbours to the Ocean. It is fertile enough in Corn, &c.

Juturna Daughter of *Damnus*, K. of the *Rutuli*, and Sister to *Turnus*. *Jupiter* fell in Love with her, and in return, gave her Immortality in the Fountain of *Juturna*, of which she was the Nymph. Her Waters were used in *Vesta's* and other Sacrifices; 'twas near *Rome*. She was worshipp'd by the Wives for safe Delivery; and by the Maids for happy Nuptials. Others say that being Debauch'd by K. *Latinus*, she drown'd her self in the R. *Numicus*.

Juvenal, (*Decius Junius*) born at *Aquinum*, a C. of *Italy*, in the first Cen. His three Names shew their Error, who suppose him the Son of *Libertinus* (a freed Man.) Some think him a *Gaul*, or born in *France*. He spent much of his time in declaiming, but afterwards writ *Satyr*s; but for Reflections on *Paris Nero's* Favourite Comedian, he was sent to a Command at *Pentapolis* on the confines of *Aegypt*

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and *Libya*. He liv'd till the 12th Y. of *Adrian*.

Juvenus, a Poet and Priest of a Noble *Spanish* Family, in the IV. Cen. He turn'd the History of the Gospel into Heroic Verse. Some call him *G. Ve-tilius Aquilinus Juvenus*.

Juventa, the Goddess of Youth, put into the *Capitol* by *Servius Tullius*. *M. Livius* in performance of a Vow for his Victory over *Asdrubal*, gave order for building a 2d. Temple to her when he was *Censor*.

Juxon, (*William*) born at *Chichester* in *Sussex*, bred at *St. John's Oxon*, of which he was President, made first Bp. of *Hereford*, by *Charles I.* then of *London*, and Treasurer of *England*. He assisted that K. on the Scaffold, and in 1660. was made by *Charles II.* ABp. of *Canterbury*. He died in 1663. and was buried at *St. John's Oxon*, to which he was a great Benefactor, as he was also to *Lambeth* and *St. Pauls*.

Ixion, K. of the *Lapithi*, who not sending *Dioneus* the Presents, agreed on at his Marriage his Daughter *Dione* his

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ther-in-Law carry'd away his Horses. Being invited to a Feast by *Ixion* (who dissembled his Resentment) he was by a Trap-door let fall into a Furnace, and burnt to Death. *Jupiter* to comfort *Ixion* on his Anxious Repentance, invited him to Heaven, where falling in Love with *Juno*, he attempted to ravish her. Whereupon *Jupiter* formed a Cloud like her, which when *Ixion* had compressed, he was fix'd on a Wheel by *Jupiter* in Hell, and from the Cloud sprung the *Centauri*.

Izalquier, (*Anselmus*) of a noble Family at *Tholouse*. He was a great Traveler in *Europe*, *Asia* and *Africa*. Among the *Negro's* he marry'd, and brought his Wife and Children into *France*, where they were Christen'd. He wrote his Travels, and an *Arabian* and *Turkish* Dictionary which was never published.

Izates K. of the *Adiabonians*, Son of *Q. Helena*, A. C. 45. He embrac'd the Jewish, as *Josephus*, or the Christian Religion as *Orosius* will have it.

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are always 7 days from the *Nones*, the first of which is called *Octavo Idus*. 2dly, That only the *Kalends* are fixt to a certain day; for the *Nones*, fall on the 7th in *March, May, July* and *October*, in the other Months on the 5th. From the last of the *Ides*, you always reckon so many days before the *Kalends* of the next Month, e. g. the 13th of *Jan.* is the last of the *Ides* of *Jan.* the 14th you call the 15th before the *Kalends* of *February* the 15th. the 18th of the *Kalends* of *Feb.* and so each day one less. But in *Feb.* and Leap Year, there are two VI. *Kalen. Martii*. The first is marked *bis VI. Kal. Martii*, only the last day of every Month is called *Pridie Kalendas* of the next Month, as the last day of *Jan.* is called *Pridie Calen. Februarii*, that is the day before the *Kalends* of *February*.

Kalmucks, People of Great *Tartary* near the *Caspian-Sea*, and the R. *Volga*. Both Men and Women go to War; they are Enemies to the *Mahometans*, and have a particular Religion, the Men are peculiarly deform'd. The best Horses of *Asia* are here.

Kaltisen, (*Henry*) a Dominican of *Coblenz* in 1433. He disputed in the Council of *Basil*, three days successively, against the *Bohemians* and *Hussites*.

Kaminiec, or *Caminieck*, the Cap. of *Podolia* in the *Ukraine*, a Prov. of *Poland*, and Fortref, call'd by the Poles *Caminieck Podelski*. It is a Bps. See under the Abp. of *Lemberg*, situated on a Hill on the R. *Smotryck*, a little above the place where it falls into the *Niester* 30 m. E. of *Lemberg*, 80 from *Warsaw*, and 170 from *Constantinople* near the Frontiers of *Moldavia*. It was taken by the *Turks* in 1672, surrendered back at the Peace of *Carlowitz* in 1699. with all *Podolia* and the *Ukraine*.

Kane, a Leader of the *Huns*, Predecessor to *Attila*, was slain in the Battle of *Tulma* in *Austria*, but got the Victory.

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Kanjan, a T. of the Pa'tinate of *Kioo* in *Volhinia* on the Banks of the *Borysbenes*, or *Nieper*, strong and possessed by the *Cossacks*. It is 7 German m. N. of *Czircassi*.

Kanisa, a T. of Lower *Hungary* on the R. *Sala*, in the *Zalad*, between the *Drave* and the Lake of *Balaton*, a m. E. of *Stiria*, taken by the *Turks* in 1600. and surrendered to the Emp. in 1690.

Kara Mehemet Bashaw, Governor of *Buda*, when besieged by the D. of *Lorrain*. He had signaliz'd himself at the Siege of *Candia*, *Kaminieck* and *Vienna*, but was killed at *Buda*, on the Ramparts with a shiver of a Cannon-ball.

Karib schach, K. of *Kilek*, in the Prov. of *Kilan* in *Persia*. Being of the ancient Race of those Kings, and attempting to rescue his Country from the *Persian Yoke*, he was defeated by the *Sophy*, and after a ridiculous Entry with 500 Wench'es in his Train, barbarously executed. He was first shod like a Horse, and then shot with Arrows by the *Sophy*, and his Nobles in the Market-place.

Kaschan, a strong and well fortified C. of *Persia*, one of the Principal Marts of that Country, for the *Indian* and *European* Merchants.

Kasikermee, a T. in the *Okzakow Tartary* S. of the *Boristhenes*, 2 m. from the *Black-Sea*. It is fortified with 4 Square Forts. It was taken by the *Muscovite Cossicks* in 1695. and left in their Possession at the Treaty of *Carlowitz* in 1699.

Kaufbeurn, or *Kaufbaira*, a German Imperial C. in *Swevia*, 6 l. from *Memmingen*. It bought its Liberty of *Conrade II.* for 50000 Crowns, and embrac'd the reform'd Religion in 1624.

Keaulin, K. of the W. Saxons, Son to *Kenrick*, whom he succeeded in 565. He overthrew the *Britains* in the 2 memorable Battels of *Dereham* in *Gloucestershire* and *Rephanle*, but was

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afterwards at *Woden's Mount* defeated by them, his Army destroy'd, and he driven out of his Kdom. after having arrived to be K. of all the *Saxons* on this side *Humber*.

Kebbers, Idolaters permitted in the Suburbs of *Ispahan*, called *Kebrabath*. They differ in all things but Language from the other *Persians*: Form of Worship they have none, nor moral Books: yet hold the Soul's Immortality, and make 2 kinds of Augury of the Salvation of the Dead. 1. By the Cocks being seiz'd by a Fox, when let out of the deceased's House into the Fields; the other, thought more infallible, by the right Eye of the exposed Corps, being peck'd out by a Raven; for if the left be peck'd out, he's held for damn'd, and contemptuously thrown into a Pit.

Keckerman, (*Barth.*) a Philosopher of *Dantzick*, towards the end of the XVI. Cen. He was Author of abundance of Books, wherein he discovered more Method than Wit.

Kedwalla, a W. Saxon K. uneasy

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shall of *Scotland*, and Sheriff of *Merna*.

Kelbins, a People of *Syria*, near the *Druses*, 3 days Journey from *Aleppo*, neither *Turks* nor *Christians*, but most liking the last.

Keller, (*James*) a good *Jesuite* writer, about the beginning of the XVII. Cen. He was a long time Confessor to *Albed* of *Bavaria*, who often consulted him in Publick. He publish'd some Books of Controversie, and divers of Politicks, before the latter of which he concealed his Name.

Kelswulf, K. of *Northumberland* in 729. He reign'd 9 Years uneasily, and turn'd Monk of *Lindisfarne*. He easily brought the Monks from using Milk and Water, to Wine and Ale. *Bole* Dedicated his History to him.

Kempis, see *Thomas a Kempis*.

Kempen, one of the oldest C. in *Germany* on the R. *Rur* in the Ter. of *Algow*, the Seat of the D's of *Schamben*, of whom K. *Hildebrand* was founder. *Charlemain* marry'd his Daughter *Hildegardis*. It was once subject

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Kensworth, a Strong Castle of *Warwickshire*, which in the Reign of *Hen. III.* stood a Siege of Six Months, and was in *Q. Elizabeth's* time, the 2d or 3d Castle for strength in *England*.

Kennedy, the surname of the Earls of *Cassils*, a very ancient and noble Family in the *W. of Scotland*.

Kennethus I. 50th *K. of Scotland*, succeeded *Aidanus*, about *An. 505.* and liv'd scarce one Year. *Kennethus II.* 69th *K. of Scotland*, succeeded *K. Alpin* his Father in 823. A very valiant Prince, who tho' he came to the Crown when the Kingdom was at a very low Ebb, upon account of the Victory the *Picts* obtain'd over his Father, who was slain in Battel; yet by his Bravery and Conduct, he sufficiently revenged his Fathers Death, in several Battels with the *Picts*, driving 'em out of all their strong Holds, and Dominions; and at last exterminated the very Race of them out of *Scotland*. He is reckon'd the 3d Founder of the *Scottish* Monarchy. He expelled the *Picts* in the 5th of his Reign, liv'd in great Tranquillity and Reputation to the 20th, extremely belov'd at Home for his careful administration of Justice, and as much fear'd abroad for the glory of his Arms. Thus having extended his Dominions from the *Orcaides* to *Adrian's Wall*, he died *An. 854.* *Kennethus III.* 80th *K. of Scotland*, succeeded *Culenus*. He was a great Reformer of the Manners of the People, corrupted by the former Reign. He faithfully observ'd the League which his Predecessors had made with the *English*, but was quickly disturb'd by the *Danes*, who made an Invasion upon his Kingdom; but he without loss of time having Summon'd the Neighbouring Nobility, march'd against them with what Force he had, and charg'd them with great bravery. The Battel was obstinate and bloody, at length the *Scots* were put to flight, and that day had certainly been fatal to them, if a certain Countryman nam'd

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Hay, with his two Sons, who were at Plough in a Field, through which the *Scots* fled, being Men of great Strength, Courage, and Love to their Country, had not turn'd the Scale. They reproach'd their Countrymen for their Cowardise, and taking up the Yoke, and what came next to Hand, endeavour'd to stop their flight, and urg'd them to follow their Example. Those who rather fled for Company than out of Fear, join'd with them, and crying out, that new Supplies were come, they turn'd again upon their Enemies, and entirely routed them. This Victory made *Hay* the subject of all Conversation. Every one acknowledg'd that to him, and his Sons, they ow'd their Lives, Honours, and Victory. The *K.* rewarded them with great Possessions, and took them into the Rank of Nobility. This *K.* had been reckon'd amongst the best of Princes, if he had not poison'd Prince *Malcolm*, the Son of *K. Duffus*, much esteem'd for his Vertue, to make way for his own Son's Succession to the Crown. Till that time, 'twas Customary, to chuse him for King, who was thought most capable of Government, provided he were of *Fergus's* Race. He died in the 25th Year of his Reign, *An. 994.* Some say he was murder'd in an Ambush, others by an Arrow shot out of a Brazen Statue.

Kennethus, a *Pictish* King, who having rais'd an Army against the *Scots*, fled as soon as he came in sight of them, and was kill'd by a Peasant, who did not know him. This happen'd about the VIII. Cen.

Kensington, a *T.* near *London*, much frequented for its good Air, and remarkable of late, for the Residence of his late Majesty *K. William*, who bought that Seat of the *E. of Nottingham*.

Kent, a large Marine County in the *S. of England*. Its length from *E. to W.* is about 53 Miles, its breadth from *N. to S.* about 26. Its Inhabitants were call'd *Cantii* or *Cantiani*, by the ancients

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ancient *Romans*. In the *Saxon Heph-tarchy*, 'twas an entire Kingdom by it self. The Air is very Aguish near the Sea, and very Healthful towards the *Thames*. The *Southern Parts* are very fruitful, but not healthful, the middle both. It has great Plenty of the best Cherries and Pippins in *England*. 'Tis water'd by several Rivers, as besides, the *Thames*, the *Medway*, the *Stower*, the *Rotber*, and the *Darwent*, all abounding with Fish. In *Kent*, most part of the Royal Fleet is built and laid up, the former at *Woolwich*, and the latter at *Chatham*. This Country was first conquer'd by *J. Caesar*, tho' not without resistance. The *Saxons* likewise began the Conquest of *Britain* here. The *Kentishmen* have been famous for their exploits against the *Danes*. When *VWilliam* the Conqueror had subdued the rest of the Nation, he was glad to compound with the People of *Kent*, and leave them their ancient Customs. Whence the Laws of *Gavelkind* are in force to this day. The Christian Religion was first

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tenberg, one of the most learn'd *Mathematicians* and *Astronomers* of his time. He liv'd towards the end of the *XVI*. Cen. and the beginning of the next, and died 1630. He wrote several learn'd Treatises.

Kerci, or *Cherche*, a City of the *Pre-copentian Tartars* in *Europe*, whose Inhabitants formerly dwelt in the Fields, and were Heathens. Their Priest in their Sacrifices us'd to take some of the Blood, and mixing it with Milk, Horse-dung and Earth, got into a Tree, and after exhorting the People, sprinkled them with it to purifie and defend them from all Evils.

Kerr, or *Carr*, the surname of a numerous and noble Family in the S. of *Scotland*, of which are the Earls of *Roxborough*, *Jedborough*, *Lathian* and *Ancrum*. There was also an ancient Family in the W. of *Scotland* of the same, call'd *Kerr* of *Kersland*; the last of which having suffer'd much in the late Reigns, was killed at *Stenishet*, fighting gallantly under his late Majesty *R. William's* Standard. He was the

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Kexholm, a Prov. of Sweden in *Fia-land*, whose Cap. has the same name. The City stands at the Mouth of the River *Uoxen*. and has a strong Castle: This Province has belong'd to Sweden ever since 1617.

Ki, in the *Persian* and *Turkish* Tongues, implies *King* or *Emperor*. A certain K. of *Persia*, intending to give a magnificent Title to the K. of *Spain*, call'd him *Ki-Ispania*.

Kiblab, the name of the Temple of *Mecha*, or rather of the Square Tower in the midst of that *Mosque*. 'Tis an *Arabian* Word, and is given by the *Turks* to that part of the *Mosque* of *Mecha*, towards which they are to turn their Faces in Prayer, which it implies. Thus in the Walls of the *Mosques* of *Turky*, there is a Niche pointing towards *Mecha*, to direct the People which way to turn when they Pray, which is also term'd *Kiblab*.

Kiburg, a C. of *Switzerland*, in the Canton of *Zurich*, which heretofore had famous Counts of its own Name.

Kiel, or *Kil*, a C. of *Germany*, in the Ddom of *Holstein*, upon the *Baltick*. It has a good Harbour, which makes it a place of considerable Trade. It has also a strong Castle, and an University founded in 1665.

Kienning, a large C. of the Prov. of *Fokien* in *China*, a Place of good Trade, by reason of the Ships which pass this way to the Prov. of *Chekiang*, which when they arrive at *Pucing* are unladen, and their Effects carried by Porters 3 days Journey to the T. of *Pingbu*. These Porters are to the Number of 10000, and have a wonderful strength and dexterity. 'Tis usual to see one of them carry on his Shoulders a piece of Marble, which we should not be able to remove without Horses. Near *Pucing*, there is a fair Bridge of Boats, and a Temple dedicated to *Chuencungus* the Interpreter of *Confucius's* Philosophy. Near the City of *Cunggan* is the Mountain *Uuy*, remarkable for its Convents, and the Hermits.

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Kilan, a large Semi-Circular Prov. of *Persia*, upon the *Caspian* Sea. It abounds more than the rest with Silk, Rice, Tobacco, Oranges, Citrons, Pomegranates, and other excellent Fruits. The Inhabitants are plentifully furnish'd, with whatsoever may serve either for use or pleasure, and had formerly a King of their own, who was subdu'd by *Shaw-Abbas I*.

Kildare, a pleasant and fruitful County. in the Prov. of *Leinster* in *Ireland*. 'Tis noted for its vast Plain, where an Army of 10000 Men may encamp. The Chief T. *Kildare* is a Bp's See, and gives the Title of Earl to one of the ancient Family of the *Fitz-Gerald's* of that County.

Kilianus, (*Cornelius*) Native of *Brabant*, a famous Corrector of the Press to *Plantinus*, for 50 Years, who wrote several Books, and some good *Latin* Verses. He died very old in 1607.

Kilkenny, a C. and County of *Ireland*, in the Province of *Leinster*. The City is the most populous, rich, and best-traded In-land place of the whole Kingdom. It has a stately Castle belonging to the D. of *Ormond*. *Cromwel* having taken *Drogheda*, march'd against *Kilkenny*, which surrendered upon Articles, after eight days Resistance. After the Battel at the *Boyne*, *Kilkenny*, submitted to the D. of *Ormond*, who has another noble Seat within 2 Miles of it, call'd *Dunmore-House*.

Kimbolton, a m. T. in *Huntingtonshire*, that has a Castle belonging to the E. of *Manchester*, to whom it gives the Title of Baron.

Kimchi (*David*) a famous Rabbi, who liv'd in the XII. Cen. He was an excellent Grammarian, and particularly valu'd for his Method, and neatness of Scile. The Modern *Jews* prefer him to all their Grammarians, and Christians are not a little beholding to him, since they have generally compos'd their Dictionaries and Translations of the Bible from his Books.

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Kington, a m. T. in *Warwickshire*, remarkable only for giving the Title of Baron to the D. of *Leeds*.

Kings, the Title of IV. Books of the *Old Testament*, so call'd, because they relate the History of the Kings of *Judah* and *Israel*. The whole 4 comprehend about 550 Years. They are suppos'd to have been written by several Persons, part of the first Book by *Samuel*; the 2d by *Gad* and *Nathan*; *Abijah* and *Iddo*, are thought to have been Authors of the 3d; and as to the 4th, there are but slender Conjectures about it.

King of Sacrifices, Lat. *Rex Sacrorum*, was a *Roman* Magistrare, who had the managing of all things relating to Sacrifices. He was set up after the Kings were expell'd, (because in certain Sacrifices, the King himself officiated) that there might be one to represent the Regal Character. However the *Romans* were so tender of their Liberty, that they gave him no Power, but over Religious Matters, and even there the *High-Priest* was above him. He

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Harbour, Custom-house and Key, two Parish Churches, with Walls, Ditches, Forts, Blockhouses, Castles; which render it a strong place. It gives the Title of Earl to one of the Family of *Pierpoint*, who is at present *Erskin Pierpoint*, Earl of *Kingslin*.

Kinnarellus, 48th K. of *Scotland*, succeeded his Brother *Conallus* in 568. There happen'd nothing remarkable in his Reign, but his kind usage of *Aidun*, who was to succeed him. The King having, to the surprize of all Men, made him his Vicegerent.

Kiosem, Wife of *Achmet*, Emp. of the *Turks*, Mother of Sultan *Ibrahim*, and Grandmother to *Mahomet IV.* depos'd An. 1687. She had the Government in her own Hands, during the Minority of *Mahomet*, and had before encourag'd the Conspiracy of the *Fanizaries*, who slew her Son *Ibrahim*. But at length the Mother of *Mahomet* countermin'd her Policy, and set the opposite party of *Spahis*, *Bashas* and *Bey*s against her. They march'd their Forces against her *Fanizaries*, but were

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and rich, but so ruin'd by the *Tatars*, who took it in 1615. that little remains of its ancient splendor. It has been since in the Possession of the *Cossacks* and *Muscovites*. It stands near the Borders of *Muscovy*. 'Twas yielded to the *Russians* in 1686. and was formerly the Seat of the *Russian* Empire. The Palatinate of *Kiovia* has vast Caverns under ground, which the Inhabitants pretend run 8 Miles in length, and in them the Monuments of several of the old *Russian* Nobility, with many Bodies still entire, and in the Habits they wore when living.

Kircher, (*Conrade*) a Protestant of *Augsburg*, who made a *Greek* Concordance of the *Old Testament*, of great use towards the understanding of the Scripture.

Kircher, (*Atbanasius*) a *Jesuit*, famous Philosopher, and Mathematician; very young, he taught at *Wirtzburg* in *Franconia*. When *Gustavus Adolphus* enter'd *Germany*, he retir'd to *France* to avoid the Troubles, and from thence went to *Rome*, where he made many learn'd Discoveries.

Kirchholm, a Town of *Livonia*, near which *Carolus Gustavus* of *Sweden* was defeated in 1655. by the King of *Poland*.

Kirkby, or *Kirby-Lonsdale*, a Market T. in *Westmorland*, large, fair and populous. Sir *John Lowther* of *Lowther* deceased, was created by the late K. *William* Viscount *Lonsdale*, and Lord Privy-Seal. He died July 1700.

Kirkby-Steven; another Market T. in the same County. *Wharton-Hall*, the ancient Seat of the Family of the Lord *Wharton* stands near it.

Kirkcaldy, a Sea-Port T. and Borough Royal, pleasantly situated upon the Banks of the *Forth*, stretching out a full *Scotch* m. along the Sands. It is in the Co. of *Fife* in *Scotland*, being a T. of a considerable Trade, and noted for sundry Manufactures, especially in Iron-work.

Kirkboven, (*Charles*) Son of

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Kirkboven, Lord of *Hemfete* in *Holland*, by *Catherine*, eldest Daughter of *Thomas* 1st Lord *Wotton*, and Widdow of the 1st Lord *Stanhope*, Son to *Philip* late Earl of *Chesterfield*. Which *Charles* by reason thereof was created Lord *Wotton* of *Wotton* in *Kent*, by K. Ch. 2^d, and dying without Issue, left his Estate and Mansion-house near *Hamstead* in *Middlesex*, call'd *Belle-fire*, to the Honourable *Charles Stanhope*, alias *Wotton*, Second Son to the present Earl of *Chesterfield*.

Kirkman, (*John*) a famous Author, Native of *Lutech*, who was made Poetry Professor at *Rostock* in 1602. and head Master of the Academy of *Lubeck* in 1613. which he kept to his Death in 1643. He wrote several Books, an account of which are to be seen in *Bayle*.

Kirkwall, the chief T. of *Orkney*, in the *Isl. Pomona*. It has a good Haven, and a considerable Trade. There is an old Castle, which was formerly very strong: The Walls are so thick, that large Chambers are built in them. Near it is a stately Palace built by *Robert* 1st King, Bp. there in Q. *Mary's* time; and not far off another noble Structure built by *Patrick* *Stuart*, Earl of *Orkney*, but unfinished. Both Houses have very pleasant Gardens. It has a stately Church built by *St. Magnus*, who first preach'd the Christian Religion there. The Steeple is remarkable for so many turnings and windings, that Strangers cannot find their way out, and so strong, that 50 Men may defend it against 1000, if they have not great Guns.

Kiriander, (*William*) a German Lawyer, and Syndick of *Trier*, who liv'd about the end of the XVI. Cen. He wrote the Annals of *Trier*, which were cry'd down by the *Jesuits*, on account of his changing his Religion.

Kirstenius, (*Peter*) chief Physician to the Q. *Christina* of *Sweden*. He understood 26 Languages and wrote several Books.

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Kifco, Lat. *Cyricus*, a ruinous C. in *Natolia*. 'Tis said the *Argonauts* built it 500. Years before *Rome*; 'twas a very stately City, almost all of Marble: but the Temple built there to the honour of *Augustus*, was surprizingly magnificent. You see there nothing now but Ruins of sumptuous buildings, and particularly of an oval Theatre capable of 1200 Spectators.

Kmis, (*Paul*) Governor of the *Lower Hungary*, hearing some Soldiers of the Garrison of *Belgrade*, design'd to give up that City to the *Turks*, he seized them, and roasted one every day, and made his Companions eat him, asking every Meal how they lik'd the taste of a Traitor? And when they were all thus dispatch'd but one, he starv'd him....

Knaresborough, a Market T. in *Yorkshire*. It sends two Members to Parliament, has a Castle upon a Rock, and a Well, which 'tis said, petrifies Wood. The present Members are *Robert Byerly* Esq; and *Christopher Stockdale* Esq,

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Company smiling at, as thinking it imported more than ordinary familiarity, the K. is said to have spoken these words, *Honi sit qui malis pect.* But later Authors explode it, and say, that the *Garter* only was at first worn, to put the Companions in mind, that they should be bound together with inviolable Affection, and that the *Motto* was chosen to prevent any Misconstruction of their strict Confederacy. The greatest Monarchs of *Christendom* have been of this Order, and it 'tis not the first, 'tis the ancientest now in *Europe*.

Knight, a Mil. Order. The *Roman* conferr'd this Honour upon none under the Age of 16. In the time of the *Saxons*, *Knights* were sometimes made by Bps. Abbots, and Priests. Formerly none but Soldiers were made *Kns*. The first Tradesman or Citizen that was Knighted, was Sir *William Walworth*, Ld. Mayor of *London*, in Rich. II. time, for suppressing the Rebellion of *Wat Tyler*, and killing him with his own hand.,

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son against the Emperor, his Son *Philip*, and the Queen of *England* by his Adversaries, upon which, the Magistrates, having a great respect for him, advis'd him to return from thence, else if the Emperor should demand him, they must give him up; so he return'd to *Geneva* in 1555. About this time, he writ his first *Blast of the Trumpet against the Government of Women*, occasion'd by the Cruelty of *Mary Q. of England*, and *Mary Q. Regent of Scotland*. After this, solicited by the Nobility, he return'd Home, and was fix'd in the Ministry at *Edinburgh*. He was naturally of a fervent Temper, and a most powerful Preacher. Few of his Sermons were printed, tho' he was Learn'd and Eloquent. He was noted for several Predictions, which were observ'd to come to pass. Like other great Men, he wanted not his Enemies and Detractors, who sought his ruin for differing with them about the Power of Kings, and Church Government. The Providence of God was remarkable, in saving him also from the attempts of his Enemies. Many blam'd him as too rigid and severe; but he hated their Sins, not their Persons. He died in the 67th Year of his Age, and was attended to the Grave by the E. of *Morton*, afterwards Regent, and Persons of all Ranks. When he was laid in his Grave, the Earl said, *Here lies one, who never fear'd the Face of Man; was often threatened with Dagg and Dagger, and yet has ended his days in Peace and Honour. Beza* calls him, the Apostle of the *Scots*, and Great Mr. *Knox*. He wrote the History of the Church of *Scotland*.

Knutzen, (*Matthew*) Founder of the Sect of the *Conscientiaries*, who maintain'd there was no other God but Conscience. This Sect began in 1673.

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Komare, *Komore*, Lat. *Comorra*, A strong T. in the *Lower-Hungary*. It became the Bulwark of *Christendom* against the *Turks*, after the taking of *Gran* in 1542. In 1591. after *Raab* was taken, *Sinan Bassa* besieg'd this T. with a great force, but without Success. He sending five *Turks* to corrupt the Governor, *Baron Braon* cut off four of their Heads, and sent the fifth back to acquaint the *Bassa* with their Doom, and that there were no Traitors to be bought.

Koningsberg, the chief C. of *Ducal Prussia*, belonging to the Elector of *Brandenburg*, Crown'd K. of *Prussia* in this City *An.* 1700. Its a *Hans-T.* large and fair. 'Tis also renown'd for its Trade.

Kornmannus, (*Henry*) a German Lawyer of the XVII. Cen. He was Author of divers curious Treatises, of which there are many Editions.

Kotter, (*Christopher*) a Tanner of the City *Sprotaw* in *Lower Silesia*. He was a Protestant, and pretended to many Revelations communicated to him by an *Angel*. He died in 1647. Several Protestants have writ against these things as Delusions.

Kranz, (*Albert*) Dr. of Law and Divinity, and Dean of the Church of *Hamburg*. He liv'd in the XV. and XVI. Cent. He was a Man of great Piety and Learning. He writ several Books.

Kuhlman, (*Quirinus*) a Visionary of the XVII. Cen. Of whom *Bayle* says a great deal, but which I must omit.

Kyrgeffi, a Clan of *Tartars* on the W. side of Mount *Imaus* of *Asia*, who hang their dead Friends upon Trees, to be devour'd by the Birds of the Air. This Nation lives on the Frozen Ocean.

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L A B A C H, Cap. of *Carniola*, a neat Town with a strong Castle, famous for withstanding a considerable Siege.

Labarum, or *Laborum*, a Standard us'd by the *Romans*, since *Constantine's* time. The Officer who bore it, was call'd *Præpositus Labari*. 'Twas call'd *Labarum*, or *Laborum quasi laborum opes*, i. e. *Terminus*, alluding to the deliverance of the Church by *Constantine*, from the Persecutions it groan'd under.

Labbe, (*Philip*) a Jesuite of *Bourges* in *France*, well vers'd in the Polite Learning, and a laborious Writer.

Labe, (*Louisa*) a learn'd Courtesan of *Lyons*, who writ several Books.

Labeo, (*Aelius* or *Attius*) a *Latin* Poet, who pretended to translate *Homer*, but did it so ill, that it made him ridiculous, and *Persius* lash'd him

Laboureur, (*Jean le*) a French Author, who in 1642. publish'd *the Tanks of illustrious Persons*, and the Journey of the Q. of *Poland*. He writ afterwards several Histories.

Labyrinth. *Pliny* informs of four very famous. That of *Dadalus* in *Crete*, to secure the *Minotaur*. That of *Egypt*, the wonderful work of *Psammethichus* K. of *Egypt*. 'Twas a vast inclosure, all of *Marble*, containing 3000 Edifices, among which 12 Royal Places. The 3d, That of *Lemnos*, famous for its sumptuous Pillars. And the 4th, That of *Italy*, which *Pygmalion* K. of *Hetruria*, design'd a Sepulcher for himself and his Successors.

Lacedamon, *Sparta*, now *Mistra*, an ancient famous C. of the *Afras*. Before *Lycurgus's* time, the *Lacedæmonians* were an obscure People. He by his wise Laws made them a great Peo-

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Marry, they enter'd into a dark Room, where the Virgins were kept, and the first they laid hold of, was to be their Wife. To make Vice odious to them, they set their Slaves before them, made drunk on purpose, that by seeing their loathsome Fooleries, they might shun all intemperance. They were frequently put in mind of the Honours due to Magistrates, and all old Men, and the Exercise of Horsemanship, was recommended to them. They were taught to speak in few words, and to excell in quick Replies and Apothegms. They boasted so much on Liberty, that to gain their point, they were willing to undergo the hardest Labours, and be expos'd to the worst of Dangers. Their Wars with the *Messenians* under the Conduct of *Tyrtaus* the Poet, and their Courage in fighting *Xerxes* with a handful of Men at *Thermopylae*, and their War with the *Athenians*, which lasted 27 Years are famous in History. 'Tis said, that in a Battel with the *Arcadians*, the *Lacedaemonians* slew ten Thousand of them, without the loss of one Man. At last their City was taken by *Philopamen*, who abrogated the Laws of *Lycurgus*, and pull'd down the Walls, by which means the City became Subject to the *Romans*. The City of *Lacedaemon* is said to have been built in the days of the Patriarch *Jacob*, by which account, 'tis almost a Thousand Years older than *Rome*. No Nation in the World ever flourish'd so many Ages as this in Military glory. It has been of late Years possess'd by the *Turks*, and at this day by the *Venetians* (who are Masters of all *Morea*) and call'd *Misitra*. It has several remarkable Antiquities still left.

Lachesis, one of the 3 Destinies, that holds the Distaff of Life, whilst *Clotho* spins the Thread, and *Atropus* cuts it.

Lacidas, Founder of a new Academy in Greece in the XXXIV. Olymp.

Laconia, now *Tracania*, a Prov. of the

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Morea, whose Chief C. is *Sparta*, alias *Misitra*.

Lactantius, liv'd in the III. Cen. and the beginning of the IV. He was Preceptor to *Constantine's* Son *Crispus Caesar*. He was reputed one of the most Eloquent Men of his time, and therefore call'd the Christian *Cicero*. His Theological and Historical Errors are taken notice of by several Writers, both Protestants and Papists. He died in a mean Condition. We write his Books of Institutions, and several other Pieces in Prose and Verse.

Ladislaus, the name of 6 Kings of Hungary, and as many of Poland.

Ladislaus IV. of Hungary, was also K. of Poland. He got many signal Victories over the *Turks*, *John Hunniades* being his General. At length *Amurath's* Affairs calling him into Asia, he made Peace with *Ladislaus*. The Christian Princes being surpriz'd at this Treaty, who were preparing to join their Forces with the K. of Hungary, to break the *Turkish* Empire, desir'd the Pope to send a Cardinal to break the Peace and to absolve *Ladislaus* from his Oath, which was done; but *Ladislaus* paid dear for his compliance herein, by losing the Battel at *Varna*, Nov. 11. 1444. where he was slain in the flower of his Youth. All Europe lamented his Death, and Hungary to this day, as having been the cause not only of the Ruin of that Kingdom, but likewise of the *Grecian* Empire.

Ladislaus, K. of Naples, who succeeded his Father *Charles de Duras*. He was Valiant, Generous and Liberal, but his many Vices eclips'd all his good Qualities. He was poison'd by a Physician's Daughter of *Perugia*, of whom he was extremely enamour'd, her Father having been gain'd to persuade his Daughter to give him a deadly Draught under the Notion of a Philter. He died without Issue. His Sister *Joan* succeeded him:

Ladislaus III. K. of Poland, was esteem'd a great States-men, and very Valiant.

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Valiant. At first indeed he encourag'd his Soldiers to commit Disorders and plunder the Church, by which he became hateful to the People, who declar'd he had forfeited his Crown, and made choice of another King. Upon which *Ladislaus* retir'd to *Hungary*, and thence to *Rome*. After the Death of *Wenceslaus* K. of *Bohemia*, who had been chosen K. of *Poland* in his place, they chose him again, (which is a strange Instance) and he govern'd very wisely, enlarg'd his Kingdom, and was dreadful to his Foes. He was reputed the wisest Prince of his time. He left behind him *Casimir* the Great, and a Daughter nam'd *Elizabeth*, Wife of *Charles* K. of *Hungary*.

Ladislaus-Sigismund VI. Son of *Sigismund* III. K. of *Sweden*, and afterwards of *Poland*, was also a very Valiant Prince. Before he came to the Crown of *Poland*, he had in several Battels kill'd 150000 *Turks*. He was a vertuous Prince, well skill'd in Languages, and a great lover of Justice. After he came to the Crown, he de-

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to the Emperor *Commodus*. He hinder'd that barbarous Prince from setting *Rome* on fire, and being told the Emperor intended to put him and some others to Death, they prevented it by poisoning him. After whose Death *Latus* made *Pertinax* Emperor, and murder'd him 3 Months after, because the Innocence of the Emperor's Manners, reproach'd his lewd Life. Besides *Pertinax* endeavour'd to restore the Military Discipline, which *Latus* would not suffer.

Levinus, (*Torrentius*) commonly call'd *Vander Beechen*, Ep. of *Antwerp*. He had the Character of the best Lyric Poet after *Horace*.

Labur, a City of the *E. Indies*, call'd also *Peng-Ab*. 'Tis a large City, and has a Noble Palace, once the Residence of the Great *Mogul*. The name *Peng-Ab*, which signifies 5 Rivers, is given both to the City and Province, which is so prodigiously fruitful, that it yields the Prince 7 Millions Revenue.

Lajazzo, or *Jazzo*, a City of the *Lesser-Asia*, near which *Darius* was o-

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the Queen, who having no Children, look'd upon this as a Present from Heaven.

Lake, (Sir Edward) a Gentleman whose Loyalty to K. Charles I. was very remarkable. At the Battel of *Edgehill*, he receiv'd 16 Wounds, and when his Left-Arm was disabled by a shot, he held the Bridle in his Teeth. The aforesaid King for his good Services, thought fit to confer a Baronetship upon him. He was Doctor of Laws, and Chancellor of *Lincoln*.

Lallamant, (John) a French Physician, who wrote a great number of Books in the XVI. Cen.

Lalli, (John Battista) an Italian, who was a great Lawyer, Poet and Author. He died in 1637.

Lima, the name of the High-Priest among the People of *Barantola* in *Asiatick Tartary*. This Kingdom is govern'd by two Kings. The first call'd *Deva* governs the State; the other call'd *Lama*, lives retir'd from the World, and is not only ador'd by the People of that Country for a Deity, but also by the other Kings of *Tartary*, who go in Pilgrimage to pay their Devotions to him. He is never to be seen but in a secret place of his Palace, with many Lamps about him, where he sits cross-legg'd upon a Cushion, in a place rais'd from the Ground, cover'd with Gold and precious Stones, where at a distance, they prostrate themselves before him, it being not lawful for any so much as to kiss his Feet. He is call'd the *Great Lama*, or the *Lama* of *Lama's*, that is the Priest of Priests. And to make the People believe him Eternal, when he dies, the Petty Priests set up another, and so continue the Cheat from Age to Age. He is so infinitely honour'd, that the greatest Princes look upon it as the highest favour, to have a small Particle of his Excrements, which they hang about their Necks in a Box of Gold, as a tried Amulet against all sorts of Evil's.

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Lambecius, (Peter) History-Professor at *Hamburg* in 1652, and afterwards Sub-Library-keeper to the Present Emperor. He was Author of several Books.

Lambert, Emperor, or K. of Italy; He was treacherously kill'd as he was Hunting by *Hugo* Earl of *Milan* in 910.

Lambert, (St.) Bp. of Tongeren and Maesricht, of one of the noblest Families of *Liege*. He was turn'd out of his Bprick after the Death of *Childerick II. of France*, upon which he retir'd to a Monastery, where he continu'd seven Years, and was then recall'd to *Maesricht*. He converted the People of *Zealand*, who were Idolaters to the Christian Faith. He reprov'd K. *Peppin* severely, for putting away his first Wife *Platruda*, which so incens'd *Alpaida* his second Wife, that she got her Brother to murder this good Prelate.

Lambert, (John) one of *Cromwell's* Major Generals, who had a great share of action in the Field under him. He was a Man of Courage and Conduct. In 1162. after the Restauration, he was tried at the instance of the H. of Commons, and being Cast, received Sentence of Death, but his Execution was respited, and he imprison'd for Life, in which Condition he died almost 30 Years after.

Lambeth, a T. in *Surrey* upon the *Thames*, over against *Westminster*, remarkable for the Residence of the Abp. of *Canterbury*, who has a fine Palace there. *Canutus*, the last Danish K. died here.

Lambinus, (Dionysius) a writer of great Reputation, at *Montreuil* in *Picardy*. He writ Commentaries upon *Plautus*, *Lucretius*, *Cicero* and *Horace*, with many other Works.

Lamia, was said to be bewolv'd by *Jupiter*, whose Children *Juno* out of jealousy destroy'd, as fast as she had them; which so enraged her, that like a cruel Monster, she devour'd all the Children

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dren she found. This was also the name of a considerable Family in Rome, as likewise of K. Demetrius's Courtisan, to whom the Thebans dedicated Temple.

Lamoignon, (*Peter*) was a Person of the greatest Wit and Learning of his time for his Age. He died when he was but 24. His Brother *Christian de Lamoignon* was President of the Parliament of Paris, whose Son *William* had the same Dignity, and was a great encourager of learned Men. There us'd to be a Conference of all the Wits once a Week at his House.

Lampadius, a consular Person under the Empire of *Honorius*, who like a true Patriot oppos'd *Stilices* in the Senate, for advising to give 4000 l. weight of Gold to *Alaric* for a Peace, telling him to his Face, *That instead of buying Peace, this was the way to make a dear purchase of ignominious Slavery.*

Lampridius, (*Ælius*) a Latin Historian in the time of *Constantine the Great*.

Lambs. (*Sebulchral*) were such as

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the Champion ground very fruitful. It produces the most and best Oats in England, The Oxen here are the largest in the Kingdom. 'Tis a County *Palatine*, and is govern'd by a Chancellor, and several other inferior Officers. The present Chancellor is the Earl of *Stamford*. The Members of Parliament are at present the Hon. *James Stanly Esq;* and *Richard Bodd Esq;*

Lancaster, the chief T. of *Lancashire*, about 190 Miles from *London*. Its situation is very pleasant, but the T. is not much frequented. It has given the Title of Earl and Duke to several Princes of the Royal Blood of England. We have had four Kings of the House of *Lancaster*, viz. *Hen. IV. V. VI. VII.* which last by marrying *Elizabeth* Daughter and Heir to *Edw. IV.* of the House of *York*, happily united the 2 Houses, whose competition for the Crown had caus'd great Bloodshed. The present Members of Parliament are *Robert Heysham Esq;* and *Sir William Lowther Bar.*

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is, (*Peter*) of *Vitre* in *Britany*, an Extraction, came to be a Favourite to *Francis II.* of *Bretagne*: But abusing his power was given up by his Master to the hands of Justice, and thereupon died at *Nantes* in 1485.

Nuremberg, a City in *Germany* in the *Lower Rhine*, surrendered to *France* by the Treaty of *Munster*. The *French* Booty burnt here, by an accident, Fire in *May* 1689.

Nuremberg, a *Swiss* Governor for Emperor *Albert I.* He was a cruel and having caus'd one's Eyes to be put out, that Person's Son entered an Association against him. At the same time he attempting to seduce a married Woman into a Concubinage with him, was killed by some inhabitants of the place.

Nuremberg, (*Christopher*) a *Florentine*, of the 15th Cen. He was esteem'd one of the best Wits of his time. He wrote ingenious Books.

Nuremberg, (*Hortensius*) a Physician of the 16th Cen. who was Author of several Books which he published under false Names.

Nuremberg, a C. in *Hainault*, small but fortified. By the *Pyrenean* Treaty 1659. 'twas left to the *French*. The *Dutch* besieg'd it for 6 Months with Men, but could not take it.

Nuremberg, a small C. in the Prov. of *Sweden*, near which *Christian IV.* of *Denmark* receiv'd a great wound from *Charles X.* King of *Sweden*.

Nuremberg, an *Italian*. He was first a Friar, afterwards Abbot of *Canterbury*. He was a publick-spirited Man, and in great esteem with the Kings of his time. He was Abp. of *Canterbury*, and died *An.* 1089.

Nuremberg, E. of the *Agriani*, *An.* *Rom.* He was an Ally of *Alexander the Great*, and on that account offer'd him the *Autariates*: *Alexander* accepted his proffer, and promis'd him

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his Sister *Cynna* in Marriage. *Langui* perform'd what he undertook, but soon after died.

Langdale, (*Marmaduke* Lord) Baron of *Holm*. A gallant Officer, who did *King Charles I.* great Service against the Rebels.

Langius, (*Charles*) Canon at *Leige* in the 16th Cen. He was a learned Author, and an excellent Florist, having a Collection of choice Plants: He died in 1574.

Langius, (*Joseph*) a *German* Mathematician, and *Greek* Professor of the 17th Cen. He was Author of divers Tracts.

Langley, (*John Maximilian de*) a learned Divine who wrote several Treatises, one of which was a Defence of *King Charles I.*

Langres, an ancient C. in *Champagne*. 'Tis a Bps See, whose Bp. is one of the 12 Peers of *France*, and a Duke. *Constantine the Great* routed the *Germans* twice near this Place, and in one of the Battels slew 60000 of them.

Langsee, a large Lake in the *Milanese*, about 56 Miles long, and 6 broad. Two Islands call'd the *Barrothean* Isles belong to it, which are said to be the loveliest Spots of Ground in the World. In one of them there is a noble Palace.

Languedoc, a large Prov. of *France*, 'tis reputed to be one of the finest and most fruitful Provinces of *France*. The People here are of a very Active, pregnant Temper, some of which have been very great Men. *Toulouse* is its Capital City. The famous Canal here, made for a Communication between the Ocean and *Mediterranean* Sea, begun in 1666, was not finish'd till 1681.

Languet, (*Hubert*) a learned *Burgundian*, contemporary with *Melancthon*, whom he convers'd with: He wrote several good Books.

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Lansbergius, (*Philip*) a Mathematician of the XVII. Cen. who left divers Treatises on that Science.

Lantbu, the name of a Religious Sect in *Tonquin* near *China*, so nam'd from its Founder a *Chinese*, one of the most famous Magicians in the *Eastern* parts. He got abundance of Disciples, who perswaded the People, that he was miraculously Born, that he lay 70 Years in his Mother's Womb, and that his Mother conceiv'd him without losing her Virginity.

Lao, or *Laot*, a Kdom of the *Indies*. 'Tis water'd by the great River *Lao*, which being divided into several Channels, makes the Country very fruitful. This River never overflows by reason of it's high Banks. This Country breeds large Elephants and Unicorns. The Climate is temperate and healthful. 'Tis usual to see old Men here of 100 or 120, as lusty and strong, as if they were but 50. The Capital City where the King resides is call'd *Langone*. The Palace it self is as

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Magicians, and live in Convents, but may leave them when they please to Marry. The K. shews himself to his People twice a Year, and seldom stirs out of his Palace, except it be to go to some Idol Temple, and then he goes in very great State. There are 8 Principal places of Command, the Chief of which, is that of the Vice-Roy General, under whom there are 7 other Vice-Roys, who are Governors of the 7 Provinces of the Kingdom. These are always near the King and of his Council, and send Deputies to Act under them in the Provinces. The Kings of *Lao* have several Kings Tributary to them, whereas themselves pay Tribute to none.

Laocon, Son of *Priam* and *Hecuba* and *Apollo's* Priest. He dissuaded the *Trojans* from taking the Wooden-Horse into their City, which the *Greeks* pretended to dedicate to *Pallas*.

Laodamia, *Acastus's* Daughter. 'Tis said of her, that being extremely afflicted for the Death of her Husband

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atres of white Marble, as beautiful and entire as if they were just built, and a *Circus* as stately. But the Town is desolate. There is another *Laodicea*, a City of *Syria*, built by *Seleucus*, Son of *Antiochus*, in memory of his Mother *Loadice*. There is also another of the same name in *Media*, supp's'd to be that mention'd by *St. Paul*; tho' others take it for that of *Phrygia*.

Laomedon, K. of *Troy*, succeeded his Father *Ilus*, *An. Mun.* 2794. He built the Walls of *Troy* out of the Treasury that was consecrated to *Apollo* and *Neptune*, whence came the Fable that these Gods built those Walls for him, and when he refus'd to pay them what he had bargain'd for, *Apollo* sent a Plague into the City, and *Neptune* an Inundation.

Laon, a strong City of *Picardy* in *France*, whose Bp. is one of the 12 Peers of *France*. and a Duke.

Lapithe, a People of *Thessaly*, who were the first that tam'd Horses.

Lapland, the most Northern part of *Scandinavia*; 'tis divided into 3 parts, the *Russian Lapland*, the *Norwegian*, and the *Swedish*. The *Norwegian*, otherwise call'd *Finnmark*, belongs to the K. of *Denmark*. The *Laplanders* have three Months in the Winter all Night, and as many Months all Day. The cold is intolerable in Winter, and the heat in Summer. The Country is extremely incommoded with Snow and Winds, and is full of Rocks and Mountains of prodigious height. Here is a vast Number of wild Beasts, wild Fowl, and Fish. Their Trade is chiefly in Skins and Furs. There is abundance of whitish Wolves and Bears, which make great spoil in the Country; wherefore, there is no greater honour among the People here, than to have kill'd a Bear. *Bevers*, *Otters* and black *Foxes*, whose Fur is highly valu'd, are in great store here. *Martins* and *Squirrels* in great numbers are found in the Forrests. *Sables* abound here too, whose Skins are of great Value, and

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Ermines, which are a sort of white Weezels, that have a stroak of black Fur in their Tails. The Beasts of most use to the *Laplanders* are the *Remes*, or *Rangifers*, which are much like Red Deer, but taller and stronger. They are naturally very wild, but the People have found a Way to tame them, and make use of them to draw their Sledges. These Beasts will carry them over the Snow 100 Miles in 12 Hours time. They also eat them, and make Cheese of their Milk. *Lapland* being a Country full of Lakes, Marshes, Forrests and Mountains, accordingly it abounds with all sorts of Wild and Water Fowl. No Country is more plentiful in Fish, especially in *Salmons*. The Lakes furnish a vast quantity of *Pikes*, some of a larger size than a Man. They have *Bremes* of an Ell long, of a most delicious tast; and *Perches* of an incredible bigness and length. They have no Fruit Trees in their Country, nor Forrest Trees, but such as are able to resist the cold, as Pines, Firs, Junipers, Birch, Poplars, Alders, &c. They have some Mines of Silver, Lead, Copper, Iron and precious Stones, but very dark, wanting much of the lustre of the Oriental Gems. On the Banks of their Lakes and Rivers, there are Stones found representing certain Animals, which they value, and Worship for Deities. The stature of the Men is not above 3 Cubits, and they are for the most part deform'd and crook'd. Their Women are more Comely, having a natural red in their Faces mix'd with white, which looks very pretty. The Hair and Beards of the Men are very black, and their strength and agility far beyond that of other Men, but they are very cowardly, revengeful, great Cheats and Liars. They cannot live out of their own Country; if any of them leave it at any time, they fall sick. Many of them at present Profess the *Christian* Religion, and several Churches were built there in

the true God, they adore several other Deities. They have a peculiar Veneration for the Souls of the Dead, and for certain Demons or Spirits, which they say frequent the Woods and Lakes. The ancient Inhabitants of this Country did wonderful things by Magick. They are very dextrous Hunters, and great Marks-men. They have a way of running over the Snow with mighty swiftness, by tying certain thin boards to their Feet. The *Lapländers* for the most part live 100 Years and upwards, and usually dye more of extream old Age than any Sickness.

Lar, a City and small Kdom in *Persia* near *Ormus*, and the *Persian* Gulph in the confines of *Caramania*: *Shaw*, *Abbas* I. annex'd it to his Dominions towards the end of the last Cen. having conquer'd the *Guebres* who were then Masters of it, and had a King of their own, who was call'd K. of *Lar*; the last of which with all his Family was slain by the *Persians*, the better to secure the Kingdom. 'Tis a very barren Soil, being no River or Rivulet within 100 Miles of the City *Lar*. The Inhabitants, who are for the most part *Jews*, are forc'd to use *Circum-*

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mes in *Palestine*, in which *Baldwin I.* K. of *Jerusalem* died.

Lartius, (*T. Flavius*) a *Roman Consul*, who prudently quell'd an Insurrection of the Poor at *Rome*. He was the first Dictator of that City.

Lascais, a Lordship in the Confines of *France* and *Italy* near *Nice*.

Also a Family that thence took its name, which heretofore was very illustrious in the *East*. There were several Greek Emperors of this name.

Lascais, (*Johannes*) a Greek of the same Family, who coming into *Italy* upon the taking of *Constantinople* in 1453. was entertain'd by *Lorenzo di Medicis*, then the common refuge of learn'd Men, who was about making that admirable Library, so much extoll'd by the Learn'd. In *Lewis XII's* time he went to *Paris*, and was by that K. sent Ambassador to *Venice*.

There was another *Lascais*, (*Ludovicus*) of the same noble Family, Count of *Vimemille*. He turn'd Friar very young, and afterwards took Orders, but the Love he had for a certain Woman engag'd him to Marry her. *Joan*, Q. of *Naples*, gave him the Command of her Army in *Provence*, whence he drove the *English*.

Lascais, (*Peter*) a *Neapolitan* Lawyer in 1590. who was well skilled in Languages, and wrote several Books.

Lasthenes, Governour of *Olynthus* in *Thrace*, having been brib'd by K. *Philip*, to surrender him the City, the Courtiers call'd him Traytor, whereof he complain'd to the King, who told the *Macedonians* were a blunt sort of People, that were apt to call things by their names.

Lastic, (*John de*) a *Frenchman*, and Great Master of the Order of St. *John* of *Jerusalem*, at *Rhodes*. He made a League with the Emperor of *Constantinople*, and when the Sultan of *Egypt* with a Fleet which had 18000. Men aboard, attack'd *Rhodes*, he defended the place so well, that the Sultan after 40 days was forc'd to raise the Siege.

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Lasus, a Greek Poet, the first of that Country that writ of *Musick*. He excell'd also in *Dithyrambicks*, a sort of Verse dedicated to the Honour of *Bacchus*, who was call'd *Dithyrambus*. He was in so great Reputation, that he was put into the number of the 7 Sages of *Greece*, instead of *Periander*.

Lateran, (*St. John* of) a large and stately Church in *Rome*. The Pavement is all of Marble, and the Roof supported by 4 rows of Pillars, the whole gilt and carv'd with great Sumptuousness and Art. The Church was first built by *Constantine the Great*, who allow'd a considerable Revenue towards maintaining Lamps and Servants for it. The *Lateran* Palace joining to it, was built by *Sixtus V.* Five General Councils have been held here. The First was celebrated by *Calixtus II.* An. 1122. 'Twas principally called against the Emperor *Henry V.* about Investitures to Benefices, and was compos'd of 300 Bps. It has 22 Canons. The 2d was conven'd by Pope *Innocent II.* against the Anti-Pope *Anacletus II.* and *Arnold* of *Brescia*, at which near 1000 Prelates assisted. It contains 30 Canons. The 3d General *Lateran* Council was held by Pope *Alexander III.* assisted by 300 Bps. It contains 27 Canons. The 4th is call'd the *Great Council*, because of the vast number of Prelates that assisted at it, 'twas conven'd by Pope *Innocent III.* The Patriarchs of *Constantinople* and *Jerusalem* were there in Person, and those of *Alexandria* and *Antioch* by their Deputies. Besides them, 71 Abps. 340. Bps. and above 800 Abbots or Priors, besides the Ambassadors of most Sovereign Princes. It contains 70 Chapters. The 5th General *Lateran* Council began under *Julius II.* and did not end till 5 Years after, under *Leo Xth.* There were other *Lateran* Councils besides, which I omit for Brevitie's sake.

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Latimer, (*Hugh*) an excellent Divine, Bp. of Winchester, in K. *Edward VIth's* Reign, and condemn'd to be burnt with Bp. *Ridley*, by Q. *Mary*, which Sentence was executed in 1555. *Latimer* was then 80 Years old.

Latin, was first us'd in publick Worship among those who did not understand it in the VII. Cen. Pope *Gregory* and his Successors striving with the utmost application to diffuse the Roman Offices among the Western Churches, tho' many of the Monks themselves did not understand it. The Scots and other British Christians refus'd the Roman Service in this Age.

Latinus I. R. of the *Latins* or *Aborigines* in Italy, was Son of *Paeonius*. He first oppos'd *Aeneas's* Descent, but afterwards made Peace with him. *Aeneas* having killed *Turnus* R. of the *Rutuli*, married *Lavinia*, *Latinus's* only Daughter. The second R. of this name reign'd 51 Years.

Latinus, (*John*) a Morisco Poet, who wrote several Latin Poems in Spain.

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He was born at *Bergensheim* in *Brabant*, and was a learn'd Man likewise. The 3d (*James*) was born at *Cambray* in *Holland* in the XVI. Cen. He wrote against *Luther*, several learned Pieces of Controversy; and also *de Ecclesia*.

Latona, Daughter of the Giant *Cain* and his Sister *Phoebe*. *Jupiter* got her with Child, at which *Juno* being incens'd, banished her from the Earth, and caus'd her to be pursued by the Serpent *Python*: But *Neptune* taking pity on her, fix'd the Isle of *Delos*, which before was floating, where she was deliver'd of *Diana* and *Apollo*, who afterwards killed the Serpent *Python*.

Latronianus, a Span. Poet of the IVth Cen. who was condemned and burnt, for being a *Priscillianist*.

Laval, (*Andre de*) Admiral and Marshal of France, was made a Knt. at 12 Years of Age: He was taken by the English, in the Battle of *Laval* in 1418. who set him at 80000 Crowns Ransom. *Charles VII.* made him Admiral of France. He perform'd several signal Services for the Crown. There

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against him, which he receiv'd by an Ax on *Tower-Hill*, upon the 10th of *Jan.* 1644. His Behaviour was pious and compos'd. He was a Person of Regular Life, very charitable and publick spirited. He knew Men as well as Books, by which advantage he became an able States-man and a good Divine. He wrote a very learn'd Book against *Fisher*, in which he defends the Church of *England* against the Objections of his Adversary.

Laverna, a Goddess among the *Romans*, who was the Protectress of Thieves and Robbers; there was a Temple built in honour of her.

Lauffenburgh, a City on the *Rhine*, built upon a Rock and well fortified, belonging to the *H. of Austria*. 'Twas taken by the *French* and *Swedens* in the late War, but restor'd to the Emperor by the Treaty of *Munster*.

Lavinia, a City of *Italy*, built by *Aeneas* after the Destruction of *Troy*. 'Tis now a small Village belonging to the Duke of *Casarmi*, about 18 Miles off *Rome*. *Lavinia* was also the name of the Daughter of *K. Latinus* and *Amata*, who was promis'd to *Turnus*, and after married to *Aeneas*, by whom she had a posthumous Son called *Sylvius*.

Laumii, (*John*) a *Parisian* Doctor, who was a great Writer, and left behind him 70 Vol. almost all writ in *Latin*. He was a good Critick.

Laumii, (*Matthew*) another of the same Name and Country. He renounced the Protest. Religion; but tho' prefer'd by the Church of *Rome*, yet was he like to have been hang'd, for promoting Rebellion, in the time of the *League*. He has written some Books of Controversie.

Laura, or *Lauretta*, a young Lady of *Provence*, who liv'd in 1341. she was famous for her Beauty and Learning, and especially for the Love *Petrarch* had for her. She was one of those Ladies that compos'd the Meetings called the *Court of Love*, where they answer'd curious and witty Que-

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stions about Love. She died when she was about 34 Years of Age, 'tis said the same Month, Day and Hour that *Petrarch* had fallen in Love with her. King *Francis I.* made an Epitaph on her.

Laurence, (Saint) was made Arch-deacon and Treasurer of the Church by Pope *Sixtus II.* This was when the Emperor *Valerian* was engag'd in a cruel Persecution of the Christians; in which Pope *Sixtus* among the rest was taken and Martyr'd: But before his Death, he order'd *Laurence* who came to visit him, to distribute the Church Treasures in his Hands to the poor Christians, that hid themselves in Caves from the fury of the Persecution. *Laurence* having done as he commanded, met the Pope as he was leading to his Martyrdom, and told him aloud, That he had according to his Command distributed the Church Treasures to the Poor. The Soldiers hearing what he said, laid hold of him, and brought him before the Emperor, who charged him to declare where those Treasures were he had mentioned; *Laurence* ask'd 3 days time to get them together, and present them to him: At the end of which he brought a great Number of poor People, and told him, They were the Treasures of the Church he had spoke of. *Valerian* enraged at the disappointment, order'd his Skin to be torn to pieces with Iron-Scourges, then himself to be set on a Wooden-Horse, and have all his Limbs dislocated; and last of all to be roasted upon a Gridiron with a slow fire under it. *St. Laurence* endur'd all with so much Constancy, as astonish'd the Tyrant, and so cheerfully resign'd his Soul to God, *An.* 261. There was an Anti-Pope likewise of this Name, that oppos'd *Symmachus*, who was chosen Pope after *Anastasius II.* This Schism was the cause of great Disorders in *Rome*.

Laurentio, (*Nicholas*) a Satyrical Orator of the XIV. Cen. who introduc-

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ced a new Republick in Rome, and banish'd all the great Men by the Power he had with the People. He summon'd the Pope, receiv'd Ambassadors; but at length was taken and murder'd, after which he was dragg'd about the Streets, *An. 1346.*

Lauro, (*John Baptist*) of *Perugia*, in the time of *Urban VIII.* He was much esteem'd for his Genius and Learning. He was Author of several Books in Verse and Prose.

Law, (*Canon*) a publick Regulation for deciding Ecclesiastical Affairs. 'Tis made up of, 1. The Holy Scriptures. 2. The Constitution of Councils, called *Canons*. 3. The Decrees of Popes. And 4thly, The Opinions of the Fathers. Besides these constituent Parts, the Civil Law is also taken in, in some Cases, *i. e.* extracted from the *Theodosian* or *Justinian* Codes, and sometimes from the *Capitularies* of the ancient *Ks.* of *France*.

Law, or *French Law*, are the Laws and Customs, by which Justice is

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Law Roman, or *Civil*; by this we are to understand the Laws made by the *Romans* for the support of the Government, and the administering Justice to private Persons. *Romulus* began these Regulations; the other King's made several Laws during their respective Reigns, which lasted in all 244 Years. These Laws being collected in a Body by *Sixtus Pappyrus*, the Collection was call'd *Jus Pappyrum*. But these Laws were soon after repeal'd by the *Lex Tribunitia*, *An. Rom. 303.* Ten learn'd Men were sent to the Republicks of *Greece*, to transcribe all the Laws they might think of Service to their Government. They were called *Decemviri*, and made Ten Laws, to which the year after they added two more, which were called the Laws of the *Twelve Tables*. Afterwards upon a Misunderstanding between the Senate and the People, the Laws called *Flebisca* were received by the whole Commonwealth. Then there were the *Ordinances* of the Senate, and after

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perors, which done, they divided the Body of Law into four Books, viz. The *Digest*, the *Institutes*, the *Code* and the *Novels*. The *Digest*, or *Pandects*, contains the old Law. The *Institutes* the Elements of the *Roman Law*. The *Code* takes in all the *Gregorian*, *Hermogenian* and *Theodosian Codes*, i.e. all the Constitutions from *Adrian* to *Justinian*, and is call'd the *Justinian Code* from that Emperor's name, who got it drawn up. The *Novels* are a Supplement to the *Code*, and contain the Constitutions of *Justinian*, which were made after the *Code* was publish'd. The Emperor *Basilius* abridg'd the *Justinian Code*, and his Son *Leo* publish'd the *Basilica* in 888, which was Law till the ruin of the *Eastern Empire*, which happen'd in 1453.

Lawenburg, a T. of *Upper-Saxony*, subject to *Brandenburg*, near the *Baltic*, 35 m. W. of *Dantzick*.

Also a Dukedom in the Family of *Saxony*, between the Ddms of *Lunenburg*, *Mecklinburg* and *Holstein*, and the Cap. C. of the same Ddom on the R. *Elbe*, 8 m. from *Hamburg*.

Lazi, a Market T. on *Lazi-Bay*, on the E. of the *Isle of Man*.

Lazach, a C. and Kdom in *Arabia Felix*, possess'd by the *Turks*.

Lazarus, the Brother of *Mary Magdalen* and *Martha*, rais'd from the Dead by *Christ*, tho' buried four days. He was supp's'd by the *Provincials* to have been the first Bp. of *Marseilles*, driv'n thither with his Sisters and *Maximianus* in an expos'd Boat.

Lazarus (Str.) an Order of Knighthood for the Entertainment and Defence of Pilgrims in the *Holy-Land*, endow'd with large Revenues, and Privileges, by several Kings and Popes. The Land of *Bigni* was bestow'd on them by *Lewis VII.* where the Knights fixt when *Judea* was lost. But their Order was suppress'd at the Request of the Knights of *Malta*, and restor'd by a *Bull*, obtain'd by *Henry IV.* and is now much encourag'd. They are the

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same with the Knights of *St. Maurice*, are allowed to Marry, and have Pen-sions out of *Consistorial Benefices*.

Lazians, or *Laxians*, *European Sarmatians*. They once inhabited the Coasts of *Palus Maotis*, or after others, confin'd on the *Iberians* at *Porte Cassia*. They were made Christians in 522. The Empr. *Justin* being Godfather to their K. *Zitus* at *Constantinople*, gave him a Gold Crown and Robe.

Laziarol, (*John*) a *Celestin Monk*, wrote an Abridgement of Universal History, and liv'd in the XIV. Cen.

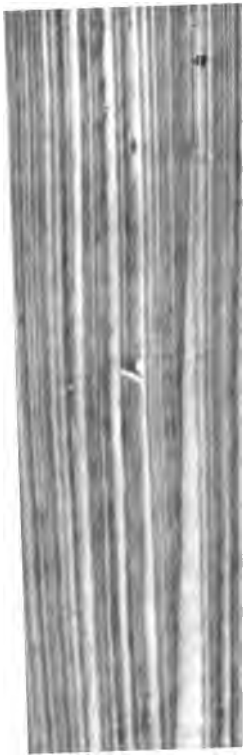
Lazius, (*Wolfingus*) was born and studied at *Vienna* in *Austria*, and was Physician and Historian to *Ferdinand I.* He was also a good Antiquary, and Author of several Historical and Geographical Books. He died in 1556.

Lea, a R. that rises in *Hartfordshire*, divides *Essex* and *Middlesex*, and waters *Hartford*, *Ware* and *Waltham Abbey*.

Lead, (*Jane*) call'd by some, the Mother of the *Philosophians*: She has written many strange Books, full of Visions, Revelations, and Prophecies; most of which are turn'd into the Language of *Germany*, where she is more fam'd than in *England*. She agrees in several Points with the *Roman Church*, and in others with the *Origenists*. She printed her own *Funeral Testimony* in 1702. tho' she is still alive.

Leana, an *Asbenian Courtezian* in the LXVth *Olymp.* to whom the *Athenians* erected a Statue of a Lioness without a Tongue, in honour of her Resolution in biting off hers. that she might not be forc'd to confess the Conspirators against *Pisistratus* the Tyrant.

League, (the *Holy League*) a Design form'd by the Cardinal of *Lorraine* at the Council of *Trent*, under Pretence of securing the *Romish Religion*, but in Reality to advance the *Gaies* to the *French Throne*: several Princes particularly the K. of *Spain*, enter'd into it, and the Pope declar'd himself Protector of it: but the Duke of *Guise* dying, the Design sunk till the young Duke



Card. of *Bourbon* was inveigled; and they grew more powerful by joining with the *Parisian League*, called the *Sixteen*, begun by one *Rech-blond* a Citizen of *Paris*. The Duke of *Guise* and the King of *Spain's* Envoy agree, that the Cardinal of *Bourbon* should succeed to the Crown. They were now so terrible, that the King assumed to be the Head of it; yet soon after allows the Protestants Liberty, but is forc'd afterwards to revoke the Order; and finding no way to secure himself from the ambitious Designs of the D. of *Guise*, put him and the Card. of *Guise* privately to death. But this aggravates the Leaguers who proceeded to Violence, and declaring that for the *Roman Religion* they were absolved from their Duty to the King, the Presidents of the Parliament of *Paris* were seized by the Governours of *Paris*, and the *Bastile*, and Leaguers put in their places. The Duke of *Mayenne* comes to *Paris*, lessens the Power of the *Sixteen*, gets himself declar'd Lieutenant General of the State and Crown of France. The Kings of *France* and *Navarre* unite to oppose him. *Henry III.* dyes, the King of *Navarre*.

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Lecca, Lecci, Lèzze, the chief C. of *Otranto*, 7 m. from the *Adriatique*, and 7 S. of *Oranto*, in the Kdom of *Naples*, and the 2d C. of it. It is a Bps. See under the Abp. of *Otranto*.

Lechus, a *Sclavonian*, who being sent from the *Bosphorus Cimmericus* in 350. with his Brother *Czecus*, by the *Sclavonians* who had over-run *Greece*, and subduing *Poland*, was the first Duke thereof: he left a Son *Lechus II.* who killed his Brother *Cracus* (who built *Cracovia*) a Hunting, and died Childless in 750.

Leck, or *Lecca*, a large branch of the *Rhine* in *Holland*, which parting in two, one Arm, nam'd the *Iffel*, flows by *Doesburg* and *Zutphen*, and falls into the *Zuyder Zee*: The other called the *Leck*, passing by *Wyck*, *Cuylenburg* and *Newport*, empties into the *Maes* near *Rotterdam*.

Also a R. in *Germany*, that from its rise in *Tyrol*, running betwixt *Bavaria* and *Schwaben*, and through *Ausburg*, falls into the *Danube* below *Donwaert* against *Papenheim*.

Leda, Daughter of *Tethius*, and Mother of *Castor* and *Clytemnestra*, by *Tyndarus* her Husband, K. of *Oebalea*, and of *Pollux*, and *Helena* by *Jupiter*, who in the shape of a Swan enjoy'd her as she bathed in the R. *Eurotas*; she was after deliver'd of an Egg, whence they both proceeded.

Ledesma, (*James*) a learn'd Spanish Jesuit in the XVIIth Cen. born at *Cuellar*, and Author of many Books.

Ledesma, (*Peter*) a Dominican of *Salamanca* of the XVIIth Cen. Author of various Theological Tracts.

Lee, the name of the Earl of *Litchfield*, the Family is of *Ditchley* in *Oxfordshire*. The present Earl is *Edward Henry Lee*.

Leeds, a Burrough of the W. Riding of *Yorkshire*, on the N. Bank of the R. *Aire*, over which it has a Bridge, now as famous for the Cloathing Trade, as formerly for the Royal Palace of the Kings of *Northumberland*. It gives

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the Ducal Title to the Family of *Ofburn*, and is 116 m. from *London*. The present Duke of *Leeds* is *Thomas Ofburn*.

Leerpool, or *Leverpool*, a Burrough, Market T. and Sea-port of the S. W. of *Lancaster* in W. Derby Hundred, on the Mouth of the R. *Mersay* in the *Irish Channel*, and the Passage into *Ireland*, equal for Trade and Buildings to any T. except *Bristol*. Besides its Town-house, on Arches and Pillars for an Exchange, it has two Castles, one on the W. side of the R. being a round Tower; the other in the S. built by K. *John*. The *Moors of Bankhall* have been great Benefactors to it. Its present Members of Parliament are *William Clayton Esq;* and *Thomas Johnson Esq;*

Leffey, Liffce, Luffee, the R. on which *Dublin* stands, from which it rises but 15 m. but by its various and winding course thro' *St. Patrick's Fields*, *Kildare* and *Knock*, makes a great figure when it falls into the *Irish Sea* by *Dublin*, as being esteem'd one of the noblest R. of that Kdom.

Legate (the old *Romans* Lieutenant Generals) a name given by the Pope to 4 several sorts of Officers. 1. Those that preside in General Councils in his name. 2. His Vicars in remote Parts, as formerly the Bps. of *Canterbury*, *Legati nati*, born *Legates*. 3. Such as by Commission call Synods, and regulate Abuses, &c. 4. His extraordinary Ambassadors are call'd *Legati a Latore*.

St Ieger, a Gentleman of *France*, and Brother to Count *Guerin*, made Bp. of *Autun* in *Clothair II's* Reign, and the VIIth Cen. he prevailed with *Childeic II.* and the Council to change *Ebroins* Death (incurr'd by attempting the setting *Thierry* on the Throne) into a confinement to the Monastery of *Luxeville* in *Burgundy*; but his Virtue proving uneasy to some Courtiers, they abused the credulous King with slanders against him, and so he

40. N. of *Piombino*, 60. S. W. of *Florence*, 10. from the Mouth of the *Arno*, it has a large and safe Harbour defended by 3 Forts, and a Mole, and a smaller Haven for Gallies only, called *Darfi*. 'Twas got from the *Genoese* by Exchange for *Sarzana*, being then a Vil. and walled by *Francis* and *Berardino* Ds. of *Florence*. 'Tis now a free Port. The D. Palace where the Governour lives, is beautiful, and has a large Arsenal. 'Tis Populous by resort of Merchants. and of Debtors, there being no Arrests.

Legion, a *Roman* Body of 5 or 6000 Foot, and 4 or 500 Horse, after the time of *Marius*. *Romulus* form'd them only of 3000; the Consuls encreased them to 4000 Foot, and 2 or 300 Horse. The *Roman Legions* were distinct from those of the Allies, whose Foot and Horse made another Body. The *Roman Legion* consisted of 10 *Cohorts* of 4 or 600 Men each. The Foot were distinguish'd into *Velites*, *Hastati*, *Principes*, & *Triarii*. The *Velites*, or *Light arm'd*, begun in the 2d *Punic War*, and followed the Horse in desperate Expeditions. They were arm'd with a *Galea* or Helmet of Leather on their Heads, a long

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Avon that divides it from *Northampton-shire*; it has the R. *Stowre* and *Wreak*, that Diametrically cut it in two: It sends 2 Knts. to Parliament. All that are born in *Chaletton*, speak harshly and loud, nor can pronounce the Letter R. The presents Knts. of the Shire are the Hon. *John Verney*, and *John Wilkins* Esqs.

Leizboure, *Laitboure*, or *Letoure*, a C. of *Gascoigne* on the R. *Gers*, the Cap. of *Lemagne*, and second of *Armagnac* in *France*, a Brick under the Abp of *Aux*, stands on a Hill inaccessible on all, but one side. 'Twas strongly fortified of late; before which it withstood the whole Power of *France* 3 Months. 'Tis now thought impregnable.

Leisen, the Cap. of *Rhinelandt*, in the Province of *Holland*, on the old stream of the *Rhine* near *Haerlem-Meer*, 7 L. from *Utretcht*, *Dort* and *Amsterdam*, and 3 from *Delft*, is a large rich and populous C. The Water running thro' the Streets, divides it into 31 Isl. join'd by 104 Stone-bridges, and 41 others. An University was founded here in 1575. with a Library and Anatomical Gallery filled with Rarities. 'Twas reliev'd by the Pr. of *Orange* when besieg'd by the *Spaniards* in 1541. Off. 3. by drowning them with the *Sluces*.

Leiradus, born in *Nuemburg*, and Abp. of *Lyons*, was much in favour with *Charles the Great*, as appears from his Letters in *St. Agilbertus* Works in 813. he resigned his Bp'rick for a Cowl in the Abbey of *St. Medard* in *Soissons* where he died.

Leigh, (*Thomas*) the name of the present Lord *Leigh* of *Stonely*, descended by the 2d Branch from Sir *Tho. Leigh* Ld Mayor of *London*, whose Grandfather was Knighted by *K. Charles I.* He was a firm Royalist, and was made a Baron in 19 Car. 1. they have intermarried with the Families of the *Egerton's*, *Brigham's* and *Fitz Maurice*, &c.

Leighton, a T. of the S. W. of *Bedfordshire* in *Mans Hundred*, on a little R. that falls into the *Ouse*; 'tis large and remarkable for its great Market

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of Cattel. Hence the Poem called the *True Born Englishman* says, Sir *Charles Duncomb* came to *London* in *Leathern-Breeches*. 'Tis 35 m. from *London*.

Leine, a German R. rises in the Ter. or *Eisfeldt* in *Lower Saxony*, in its course passing *Brunswick*, *Göttingen*, *Eimbeck*, *Alfeld*, it joins the *Inerst* at *Saxfede*, and washing *Hannover* and *Nirnstadt* falls into the *Aller*.

Leinster, one of the 4 Prov. of *Ireland*, bounded E. by the *Irish Sea*, divided W. from *Cannought* by the R. *Shannon*, N. by the Ter. of *Louth*, and S. by *Munster*. Its form is Triangular, its Compass 270 m. its chief Rs. are *Neure*, *Sewer* and *Barrow* full of Fish: Its Counties, *Kilkenny*, *Caterlough*, *Queens-County*, *Kings-County*, *Kildare*, E. *Meath*, W. *Meath*, *Wexford* and *Dublin T.* and *County*; some add to these *Wicklow* and *Ferns*. The late Duke of *Scomberg's* 2d Son takes hence his Title.

Leipsick or *Leipsigk*, the Cap. C. of *Misnia* on the R. *Pleiss* in *Upper-Saxony*, fam'd for its 3 yearly *Marts*, and University founded by *Frederick* the Warriour, D. of *Saxony* in 1408. as well as for the Dispute of *Luther* and *Eckius* on the Supremacy, and the defeat of the Imperialists by the *Suedes*, to whom it was surrendered in 1642. 'tis defended by a Castle call'd *Pleissenburg*, and is 12 German m. N. of *Dresden*, and 16 S. of *Magdeburg*.

Leiria, a C. of *Estremadura* in *Portugal*, a Brick under the Abp. of *Lisbon*, on a small R. below *Tomar*.

Leith, a Sea-Port T. in *Lothian* in *Edinburgh-Frith* in *Scotland*, a m. N. W. of *Edinburgh*. It is one of the best Harbours in the World; and takes its name from a small R. falling there into the *Frith*. It was burnt in 1544. by the Lord *Lisle*, but rebuilt and fortified by the *French*, and after demolish'd by the *Scots* and *English*: a Fort also was built here by *Cromwell*, and demolished by *Char. II.*

Leke, The surname of the Earl of *Scarsdale* of *Sutton* in *Derbyshire*, an ancient

Leleges, *Achaïans* near the *L*
in Greece; also People of *Caria* in
Lelex, K. of *Lacedæmon*, Founder
the first Dynasty of the *Spartan* &
Lelli, or *Camillus de Lellis*,
born in 1550. at *Borbiano*, and Disciple
of *St. Philip of Neri*, he founded
Clerks Regulars who are to attend
Sick, which Order was confirmed
1586. by *Sixtus*. He writ several Books
and died at *Rome* in 1614.

Lely, (Sir *Peter*) a famous Painter
born in *Westphalia* in 1517. his Father
being a Capt. there in *Garrison*, bred
the *Hague*, came into *England*, where first
he painted Landscips, with little Figures
and Histories; but the profit of Face
painting drew him to that, in which
he excell'd all his Contemporaries. He
was Knighted by *Char. II.* and made his
Painter: He died of an *Apoplexy*, 1680.

Lemane, or the Lake of *Geneva*; the
R. Rhodane runs thro' it from *Arville* to
Geneva. 'Tis 9 German m. long from
E. to W. and 2 broad at most. It
is environ'd with considerable T's.

Lemary, a narrow Passage discover-
ed by *Isaac Lemary* of *Antwerp* in 1615.
betwixt the *Atlantic* and *Mar del*
Zar, S. of the *Magellan* Strait.

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1557. 1. For Regulating the Kingdom. 2. For War against *Saladine*. 3. By the Popes Legate. 4. and 5. Against *Conrade D. of Massovia*. 6. Against *Boleslaus D. of Silesia*. 7. Against *Henry IV. D. of Breslau*. And, 2. More against *Luther*, &c.

Lengow, or *Lemgow*, a little City in the County of *Lippe*, in the Circle of *Westphalia*, once free, now under the Count of *Lippe*, on the R. *Begh* 5. m. N. of *Minden*, 2. S. of *Paderborn*, 9. N. E. of *Lipstadt*.

Lenox, a County in the N. of *Scotland*, bounded E. by *Menteith*; S. by *Cunningham*, W. by *Argyle*, N. by *Albanie*, its chief C. is *Dunbritton*, or *Dumbarton*, The R. and Lake *Lomond* pass thro' it, and it has given a Ducal Title to several of the Royal Family.

Lens, a little T. in *Artois* on the R. *Souchets*, 3 L. N. of *Arras*, 4 W. of *Doway*, once fortified, now dismantled, noted for the *Spaniards* Overthrow by the Prince of *Conde* in 1648. 'Twas left to *France* by the *Pyrenean Treaty*.

Lenſeus, (*Johannes*) a Professor of Divinity at *Louvain* in the XVth Cen. was Canon of *Tournay* or *Doornick*. He died in 1593. He was learn'd and left many Books; he join'd in the famous Censure of *Louvain* in 1588, on the Doctrine of Grace.

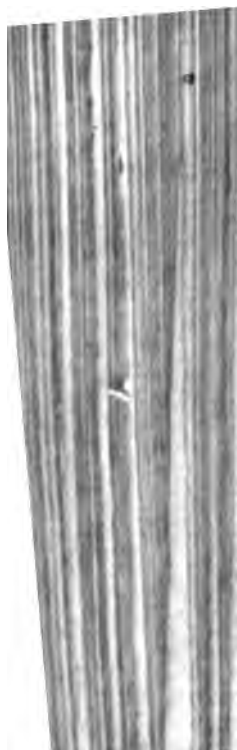
Lent, a Forty Days Fast observ'd as a Point of Religion by the Papists; but by the Protestants only on a Political Account: yet some have contended to draw it from a very ancient Custom of the Primitive Christians, even in the Apostles time, and tho' not commanded yet approved by them. The Greek Church held it 7. The Latin 6 Weeks, but of equal number of Fasting days, viz. 36. Abstinence from all Flesh, Eggs and Cheese, and some ate not till Night, and then only Pulse and Fruits. But Wine and Eating at Noon came in by Degrees, both in the Greek and Latin Churches, who said their Vespers before Dinner, because

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they would not defer their Eating till after the usual time of saying Vespers. Besides this *Lent* before *Easter*, the Greeks had four, 1. The *Christmas Lent*. 2. The *Apostles*. 3. The *Transfiguration*. 4. The *Assumption*, in the VIII. Cent. The *Latins* had 3, before *Easter*, after *Pentecost*, and *Advent*; tho' the 2 last were either voluntary, particular, or impos'd upon Penitents, never generally on the whole Laity.

Lentulus, a Branch of the great and ancient *Cornelian Family* in *Rome*. *Cneus Lentulus Getulicus*, Consul A. C. 26. being Proconsul in *Germany* at *Sejanus's* Execution, clear'd himself of the Accusation of endeavouring to Marry his Daughter to *Sejanus's* Son; *Caligula* jealous of that Interest, his Virtue had given him in the Army put him to Death. He was a good Historian, and Poet, and Son to *C. Lentulus Coffus Getulicus* Colleague of *L. Calpurnius Piso*. 'Tis said their name came from one of the Family, born with an Excrecence like a *Lentil* on his Face. This Family was honour'd with the first Dignities of that Rep. from the 427. of *Rome*. *Serius Cornelius Lentulus*, with his Colleague drove the Banditti from the Cave of *Umbria*. *L. C. Lentulus* triumphed over the *Sammites*. *L. Cornelius Lentulus* triumphed over the *Ligurians* A. V. 517. P. C. *Lentulus* was strangled for the *Catiline's* Conspiracy. Many more of the name were Consuls before and after Christ.

Leo I. (Pope) or *St. Leo*, or *Leo the Great*, who succeeded *Sixtus III.* was Born in *Tuscany*; being Deacon of *Rome*, he reconciled *Albinus* and *Aetius* Generals in *France*, whence he was called to the Papacy to Combat the *Nestorians*, *Manicheans* and *Pelagians*; he condemned the 2d by the Council of *Ephesus* in 444; and nulled the Acts of the Council of *Ephesus* held in 449. which favour'd *Eutyches*, by another at *Rome* of that Y. he attempted a General Council in the same C. but the Emp. *Marcian* order'd it at *Chalcedon*



enres. Introduced *Hoc Sūndum S. ficiū* into the Mass. Order'd none be made Nuns before 40 Ys. pure V ginity. He first appointed Procession and writ several Books.

Leo II. succeeded *Agatbo* in 683. was learned, and a good Musician. He confirm'd the VI. General Council at late 10 Months. He left some Letters behind him.

Leo III. a *Roman*, succeeded *Adrian* in 795. the very day he died, to the disappointment of *Adrian's* Relations for which he narrowly escaped their Hands to *Charles the Great*, who afterwards hearing his Accusers, acquitted him, and put them to Death, in return, the Pope Crowns him Emperor of the West, whom in 804. he visited in *France*. After his Death in 814. his Enemies stirring again, he by executing some of them, provok'd the *Romans* to plunder his Castles which he lay a dying in 816.

Leo IV. By Birth a *Roman*, succeeding *Sergius II.* in 847. repair'd *Rome* about *St. Peters*. His and the Neapolitan Fleet beat the *Saracens* in 848. A City they had ruin'd, he repair'd, and call'd it *Leopolis*; besides other Works, he built the *Monastery*.

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Leo XI. a *Florentine* a *Medici*, but not of the Ducal Family chose in 1605. died the same Month.

Leo Abp. of *Achrida*, or *Justiniana* in *Macedon*, a Metropolitan of that Kingdom and *Bulgaria*, join'd the Patriarch of *Constantinople* in writing against the Church of *Rome*, Pope *Leo IX.* excommunicated him.

Leo I. *Macellus the Great*, a *Thracian*, succeeded *Marian A. C.* 457. in the *E. Empire*, by the favour of *Aspar*, who with *Ardeburnus* equally Favourite to him, producing abundance of Mischief to the Empire, the Emp. rid himself of them, divorc'd his Daughter from *Aspar's* Son, and married her to *Zeno Mauricus*, his Successor, then declar'd Emp. he confirm'd the Council of *Chalcedon*, and his Predecessors Acts against the Hereticks. He betraying his great Preparations against the *Vandals*, by *Basiliscus*, the Empress *Verina's* Brother he forgave, tho' 1000 Ships were burnt by *Genfericus*, by his Treachery. He reign'd 17. y. and died at *Constantinople* in 474. His Laws are in the *Justinian Code*.

Leo II. *The Younger*, declar'd *Augustus* in his Cradle, by his Grandfather *Leo*. But living but 10 Months after, he is scarce reckon'd among the Emperors.

Leo III. succeeded *Theodosius III.* who voluntary quitting the Empire, turn'd Monk 717. His Reign began with the *Sarazens* besieging *Constantinople* 2 or 3 Years. He overcame the Attempt of the *Bulgarians*, setting up *Anastasius II.* against him in 719. Crowned his Son *Constantine* in 720. forbid Images by Edict, and prosecuted their Worshippers. Pope *Gregory* excommunicated him upon it, his Fleet prepared to revenge the Affront, is cast away. *Gregory III.* endeavour'd in vain to reclaim him, and he died of a Dropic in 741. having reign'd 24 y. &c.

Leo IV. *Chazarus* succeeded his Father *Constantinus Copronymus* in 775. and was an Enemy of Images, quash'd his

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Brother *Nicophorus* Rebellion, declar'd his Son *Cesar*, converted *Salaric K.* of *Bulgaria*, beat 5 *Sarazen* Kings in *Syria*, and killing 6000 *Arabians*, he died 780. in his 6th y. of Emp.

Leo V. the *Armenian*, his Father *Bardas* was a Man of low degree, and he receiv'd the Crown by the renunciation of *Michael Rangabes* in 813. He overcame the *Bulgarians*, persecuted Image Worship, and was assassinated in his Chappel in the 8th Year of his Reign.

Leo VI. *The Wise* or *Philosopher*, Son of the Emp. *Basilus*, who having first declared him Emp. put him in Prison a great while on the false Accusation of a Monk, with an intent to Murder him, before his Death he was set at Liberty, and succeeded his Father; he made a League with the *Turks*, and had unsuccessful Wars with *Hungary* and *Bulgaria*. He had but one Son and him by the last of his 4 Wives. He wrote several Books and Orations. And died in 911. in the 26th y. of his Reign.

Leo I. K. of Armenia, Son of *Livon III.* dyed Childless.

Leo II. his Uncle succeeded him; who married *Irene* his Nephew's Wife, who bore him,

Leo III. Whose Kingdom being conquer'd, and Wife and Children taken by the *Turks*, he wandering round Christendom for Aid in vain, found from the *French K.* *Charles VI.* an honourable Pension. He died at *Paris* 1393.

Leo (Ambrosius) a learn'd Physician of *Nisa* in *Naples*, who writ many Books.

Leo (Johannes) *Africanus*, he was of the Kdom of *Granada*, which being taken by the *Spaniards*, he retir'd to *Africa*, but afterwards surpris'd by Pirates, he was sold a Slave, and presented to Pope *Leo X.* by him converted and named *Leo Johannes*. He wrote divers Books, but none but his Lives of the *Arabian* Philosophers are extant.

Leo of Alabanda, or *Eblebanda*, a *Carian C.* an Orator, who has left several Works.

... of the Jewish Ceremonies
Sects in Italian.

Leocrates; the *Athenian* General, who
defeated the *Corinthians* and *Epistates*,
and wasted the Coasts of *Pelopon-*
sus, &c.

Leamington, or *Limster*, a large Bur-
rough T. of *Hampshire* on the River
It. 136. m. from *London*; its Water
so fine, that 'tis call'd *Limster Ore*. Its
Members are now *Thos. Ld. Coningsby*
and *Edward Harley Esq.*

Leon, the Kingdom of *Leon* and *Ovied*
in *Spain*, from its 2 chief Cities 'tis
bounded E. with *Biscay*, N. by the
Cantabrian Ocean, S. by *Castile*, W. by
Gallicia; 'tis hilly and woody, and divided
in two by the R. *Duero*. Its Cap. *Leon*,
was built in *Nerva's* time, and is a Bp's See
under *Compostella*, tho' immediately de-
pending on the Pope: it stands at the
foot of a Hill, on the Spring of
the R. *Esla*, and is large but not popu-
lous, 21. m. N. W. of *Valadolid*. Its
Cathedral is the best in *Spain*; and
it was recover'd from the *Mosses* in 722.
Astorga, *Avila*, *Ciudad Rodrigo*, Uni-
versity of *Salamanca*, *Placencia*, *Medina*
del Campo and *Toro*, are the other
Cs. in this Kingdom. *Augustus* first
conquer'd it, the *Goths* were the

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Leontius, Successor of *Acceptus* Bp. of *Fiejus* in the IV. and V. Cen. He was martyr'd by the *Vandals* about 444 or 445.

Leontius II. of a noble House of *Aquitain*, married *Placidia*, related to several Emp. was chose Bp. of *Bourdeaux*, after the Death of *Clothair* I. In a Synod in the C. of *Xantes*, he deposed *Emeritus* Bp. of *Xantes* for gaining the Bprick by the K. contrary to the 3 Council of *Paris*. He was in other Councils.

Leontius Bp. of *Naples*, that is *Nemissa*, or *Nemosa* in *Cyprus*, in 620. He was Author of several Books.

Leontius Bp. of *Antioch*, the Disciple of St. *Lucian* Martyr, an *Arian*, he's Fabled to have castrated himself to live, without Scandal, with *Eustolia*. He died 356.

Leontius Patricius in 482. General of *Justinianus Rhinotumetus*, on false Accusations cast by him into Prison, on his enlargement depos'd *Justinian*, and assum'd the Imperial Crown: but *Abdimus* in 698. cut off his Nose, and confin'd him to a Monastery; but he was beheaded afterwards by *Justinian*. Another of that name, who by *Verina* Wife to *Leo* I's. help was declared Emp. at *Tarsus* against *Zeno*: But being by his Comploter betray'd, he was beheaded with him, and their Heads sent to *Constantinople*.

Leontius (*Scholasticus*) of *Constantinople* of the VIth Cen. turn'd Hermit in *Palestine*, wrote various Books to be seen in *Bibliotheca Patrum*.

Also another, an Heretic of the *Origenist* Sect. Another that was one of the continuers of *Theophanes*, an Historian.

Leonclavius, (*John*) one of the learnedest Men in the XVIth Cen. He wrote the *Othman* History, and other Books. He died at *Vienna* in 1593.

Leonicensis (*Nicholas*) an Italian Physician; who first translated *Galen* into Latin. He was Author of divers other

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Works, and was likewise a good Poet. He died in 1524. 66 Years old.

Leontium, an *Athenian* Courtesan and the Philosopher that prostituted her self to all *Epicurus*'s Scholars, and is said to have debauch'd even the old Philosopher himself.

Leopard, (*Paul*) born at *Isenberg* in *Flanders*, learn'd in the Greek and Latin in the XVIth Cen. as his Works shew.

Leopold, Son of *Leopoldus le Beau*, or the Fair, and *Itha* Daughter of the Emp. *Henry* III. 6th Marquis of *Austria*. He serv'd under *Henry* IV. left him on his Excommunication, and went to his Son *Henry* V. married his Sister *Agnes* Widow to *Frederick*, Duke of *Suevia*, had by her 18 Children. His Virtue raised him to a Candidate for the Empire, but he lost it to *Lothair*. He died 1136, and was Sainted by *Innocent* VIII. 1485.

Leopold, Present Emp. Son of *Ferdinand* III. and *Mary* of *Austria*, Sister of *Philip* IV. K. of *Spain*, born Jan. 9 in 1640. chose K. of the *Romans* in 1654. of *Hungary* in 1655. Emp. in 1658. He has had three Wives, 1. *Margaret Mary Theresa* Daughter of *Philip* IV. of *Spain*. 2. *Claudia Felicitia* of *Austria Inspruck*. 3. *Anna-Maria Josepha* of *Neuburg* by whom he had the K. of the *Romans* and his other Children; he has recover'd all *Hungary* from the *Turks*, and been successful against *France*, and would be now so, if the Empire and *Italy* knew their Interest.

Leopoldus, Marquis of *Austria*, of a former Family, to this present Possessor of *Austria*, distinguish'd himself so at the attack of *Acre* or *Acon* in *Phoenicia* in 1191. at the head of the bravest of the Army clad in white, the T. was won from the *Saracens*, and his Robes red every where with Blood, but where his Belt kept it white. From whence the present Arms of the Duke's of *Austria* are deriv'd.

Leopoldstadt, the Cap. C. of *Nostria* in *Upper Hungary*, on the R. *Waag*,
P p p p 2 85 m.

...tion with *Xantippus*,
the *Persians* at Sea over at
He died in the 76 Olympiad
Leotychides a *Spartan* P
engaged *Cleomenes* to join
posing *Demaratus*, who ha
way *Percala*, his design'd W
being made R. in his plac
feated the *Persians* in *Asia*,
day that *Pampanias* and *Arij*
the *Battel of Platea*; but be
in the pursuit of his Victories
against a *Thessalian* R. by Brib
accused to the *Ephori*, he fled
Temple of *Minerva* at *Taga*, at
died.

Lewigildus, or *Lewigildus*, s
ed his Brother *Lewva*, or *Li*
Throne of the *Spanish Goths* in
and was an *Arian*, he put hi
Hermenegildus to Death for qu
Arianism, by the persuasion o
Wife *Ingonda*, Daughter of *Sigibe*
of *France*, and died the same Ye:
624.

Lewituis (*Cyprian*) a famous *E*
mian Astrologer who died in 1574.
Lepanto, an *Aetolian* C. in *Ach*.
the *Turks* call it *Enchachri*, near
mouth of the *W. Bay of Corinth*
the *Gulph of Lepanto*.
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for which *Sylla* dying in his Consularship, he oppos'd his Burial, tho' by the Senate's leave, *Catulus* buried him publicly, which *Lepidus* had revenged on *Sylla*, had he not been aw'd by *Pompey*. The most noted was *M. Aemilius Lepidus*, one of the *Triumvirate* with *Crassus* and *Anthony*, he had been High-Priest, and Consul, and in the troublesome times headed an Army, and became considerable enough to be made a *Triumvir*. In the Proscriptions his Avarice and Cruelty sacrificed his Brother *Publius*. After his attempts on *Sicily*, he was laid aside, and banished to an obscure C. of *Italy*.

Leporius, a *Pelagian* Priest, who in the Vth Cen. spread that Heresie in *France*, and laid the first Grounds of it from the *Nestorians*; but going into *Africa*, he was converted by *St. Austin*, which he express'd with such Energy in his Letters, that those made it famous.

Leptines, *Dionysius* the Tyrant's Brother, who was killed in a fight with the *Carthaginians*. Also an Orator, against whom *Demosthenes* spoke an Oration. And a Leader of *Demetrius*, that put the Roman Legate *Othavius* to Death.

Lerica, or *Lerice*, a little C. on the Coast of *Genova* at the foot of Rocks, which leave it only a Prospect to the Sea, suppos'd the *Portus Erixis*; its Gulph's only divided from that of *Spezia* by a narrow neck of Land. 'Tis about 8. m. from *Sarzana*, S. W. of *Sestri de Levante*.

Lerida, or *Ilerda*, a strong C. in *Catalonia*, on a sloping Ground toward the R. *Segre*, a Brick under the Abp. of *Tarragona*. The ancient Capital of *Hispania Tarraconensis*, is 7 Spanish m. N. of the R. *Ebro*, 24 S. of *Saragossa*, 29 W. of *Barcelona*, Long. 21. 31. Lat. 42. 20. There was in 514 a Synod of 8 Bps; 'tis a University, and famous for many Sieges, and the Battels fought beneath its Walls, &c.

Lerins (*De*) two adjacent Islands

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in the *Mediterranean*, on the Coast of *Provence* facing *Cannes* towards *Antibes*; *Agrippa* was exiled here, the lesser now called *St. Honoratus* from a Monastery, fancy'd to be built there by that St. in 375. who was afterwards Abp. of *Arles*. This Isl. a long time furnish'd *Provence* with Bps. 'Tis inhabited by *Benedictin* Monks, 'tis never invaded by the *Turks*, tho' open to Invasion.

Leros, an Isle of the *Aegean* Sea, bounding in *Aloes*, the name too of a C. once a Bps See.

Lesches, a *Lesbian* Poet, about the 30th Olympiad, wrote the little *Iliad*, to him *Pindar* was beholding.

Lescus, or *Lescbus*, the name of one *Primislaus* a Polish Goldsmith, who taking to the Wars, the Royal Family of *Poland* being extinguish'd by the Death of the Princess *Venda*, the unlucky Administration of the 12 *Palatinates* in the *Austrian* and *Moravian* Wars, by a Stratagem *Primislaus* drove the Foe into an Ambush, and vanquish'd him, for which the *Poles* declar'd him K. and then he assumed the name of *Lescbus*.

Lefdiguieres, alias *Francis Bonne* Duke of *Lefdiguieres*, &c. born at *St. Bennet de Champsant* in *Dauphine* in 1543. and taking Arms very early, did great Service to the Protestant Cause, and was much trusted by the K. of *Navarre*, who coming to the French Crown, made him Lieutenant General of all his Armies in *Piedmont*, *Savoy* and *Dauphine*, always Victorious, was the Principal means of the Conquest of *Savoy*; (for which he was made Marshal of France) and abjuring his Religion, was by *Lewis XIII.* made High Constable of France, and Knight of the Order. Being made Duke and Peer of France by *Hen. IV.*

Lefina, a little C. of *Naples*, a Bpk. under the Bp. of *Benevento*, near a Lake of the same name, 3 m. from the Gulph of *Venice*. Also an Island on the *Dalmatian* Coast belonging to *Venice*.

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Venice, its chief C. of the same name, stands in its N. E. Part. is a Bprik under the Abp. of *Spalatro*; the Ill. 4 m. N. E. of *Spalatro* is Hilly and full of Rocks, 100 m. in Compass, about 13 German Miles long, and near 3 broad. The Trade is chiefly in Fish like Anchovies, call'd *Sardelli*. The Haven's good, the Town stands on the rising of a Hill.

Leskard, a good Burrough and Market T. in *Cornwal*, noted for its famous Free-School, and Free Trade in Yarn.

Leslie, a noble and ancient Family of *Scotland*, in which Kingdom there are of the name, the 2 Earls, *Rothies* and *Levin*; 3 Lords or Barons. 1. *Balquhane*. 2. *Lindors*. And 3. *Newark*. *John Leslie*, Bp of *Rapho* and *Clogher* in *Ireland*, liv'd 100 Years, and was Bp. 40. dying in 1641. This Family came into *Scotland* out of *Hungary* with *St. Margaret*, in the Reign of *William III.* in the person of *Bertholdus Leslie*, one of the head of her Attendance, when she came to be marry'd to *Malcolm III.*

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France of this Name, and of *Scotch O.* original.

Leslie (*John*) Bp of *Ross* in the XVth Cen. writ the History of *Scotland*, and was very actively Loyal to *Mary Queen of Scots*, suffering much on that account, and her Death was thought to hasten his. He died at *Brussels* in 1556. in short, this name is numerous, and its Honours so many, that it wou'd require a Volume.

Lesnow, a T. of *Volhonia* in *Poland*, 15 m. S. of *Lucko* near *Russia*, is remarkable for *K. Casimir's* Victory over the *Cossacks* and *Tartars*, in which they lost 20000 Men.

Lespee, a City in the E. Coast of *Genoa* in the Gulph of *Italy*, guarded by some Forts, 5 m. below *Leriana*, noted for the fine *Genesic* Gardens that are there.

Lessines, or *Lessin*, a little C. on the R. *Dender* in *Hainault*, on the Borders of *Flanders*, 5 m. S. W. of *Brussels*, 6 from *Mons*, and 4 from *Eggen*, remarkable for *Linnen* Manufactory.

Letine (*Clonard*) a *Blamish* *Letine*

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Leibma, (*Herman*) born at *Goude* in *Holland*, in the XVth Cen. he was Dean and Grand-Vicar of *Utrecht*, and Dr. of *Sorbonne*. He wrote several *Traicts*.

Leti, (*Gregorio*) born at *Milan* in 1630. of a considerable Family; he came through *Swiss* and *France* into *England*, to *Charles II.* whose Writings not pleasing the Court, he was order'd to depart the Kingdom, -after a Promise of the Historiographer's place; he went to *Amsterdam* in 1682. where he was chosen Historian. He is a Voluminous Author, tho' curious enough in many things.

Letines, *Lestines*, or *Leptines*, of the French K's Palace in the Diocess of *Cambray*, near *Binch* in *Hainault*.

Leua, or *Anthony de Leue*, born in *Navarre*, whose Virtue, from a common Soldier, mounted him to the Command of Armies and Fleets under *Charles V. Emp.* rallied the *Spaniards* at *Ravenna* 1512. Chas'd *Bonniwet* from *Milan*. Defended *Pavia*. Defeated *Francis* of *Bourbon* in 1528. And going with the Emp. into *Africa*, and *Provence*; the ill success hastened his Death in the 56th Year of his Age, was buried at *St. Dennis* near *Milan*, having obtain'd in his Life the Titles of Prince of *Ascoli*, and Duke of *Terreneuve*, &c.

Levana, a Goddess that had her Altar and Worship in *Rome*; she was thought to lift up new born Children from the Ground. The Infant just born, by the Midwife laid on the Floor, was by the Father taken into his Arms and embraced, and without this form they were scarce thought Legitimate.

Leucate, a little T. betwixt *Narbon* and *Salces*, bordering on *Roussillon* in *Languedoc*, on the side of a Hill, having an inaccessible Rock on one side, and the Lake of *Leucata* and the Sea, 16 m. N. of *Perpignan*, and 20 S. of *Narbonne*. Fam'd for the *Spaniards* defeat by the *French*, under *Charles* of *Schomberg* D. of *Halluin*.

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Leuchtemberg, in the Upper Palatinate, a Castle, Cap. of the *Langravate* of *Hortgow*, on a Hill near the R. and T. of *Pfirimbt*, fell to the Elector of *Bavaria* for want of Heirs Male, 54. m. E. of *Neurenberg*, and 40 m. N. of *Ratisbone*.

Leucius, a *Manichean*, publish'd the Acts of the Apostles in *St. Matthew's* name, and that of *St. James* and *John*, A. C. 44.

Leucippa, by command of the Oracle, to find her Father *Thestor* Prince of *Crete*, and Sister, put on Priests Habit, by which she found 'em.

Leucippus Abderites, or *Eleates*, a Disciple of *Zeno*. He believ'd all things infinite, and a perpetual Change of things into one another. He first taught *Atoms* to be the Principles of things, and that the Earth mov'd in the Center of the Universe. He liv'd in the 77th *Olymp*.

Leucosa, or *Licoſa*, a little Isl. near *Capo della Licoſa*, in the *Tuscan* Sea.

Leucotboe, Daughter of *Orchamus* K. of *Babylon*, and *Eurynome* in whose form *Apollo* lay with her, for which, being buried alive by her Father, *Apollo* changed her into a *Frankincense* Tree.

Leultra, a *Bœotian* C. famous for the defeat of the *Spartans*, by *Epanomidas* in the 102d *Olymp*.

Levi, third Son of *Jacob* and *Leah*, born A. M. 2285. dy'd 137 Year old, after *Joseph* 22 Years. *David* allotted to the daily Service of the Temple 24000 under the Priests; for inferiour Judges of Religious Causes 6000, Porters 4000, and Singers 4000.

Leviathan, mention'd in *Job*; said to be the Hebrew word for *Crocodile*, tho' the *Rabbis* are full of wonders about it.

Levi Ben Gersin, a *Jewish* Rabbi, a subtle Philosopher. His Works are full of *Metaphysical* Notions, following the manner of *Rabbi Moses*.

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Leuiticus, a Canonical Book of the Old Testament of 24 Chapters, &c.

Leutheric, or *Leotherick*, succeeded *Sevinus* in the Abpk of *Sens*, A. C. 1000. He was thought guilty of disbelieving the real Presence in the Sacrament, dy'd in 1032.

Leutkirck, a Free C. of *Suabia* in *Germany*, on the R. *Eschach*, 17 m. N. W. of *Kempten*, 14 S. W. of *Memmingen*.

Leutmeritz, a C. of *Bohemia*, on the *Elbe*, one of the 17 Governments of that Kingdom, a Bpk under the Abp of *Prague* in 1655. 10 m. from *Dresden*, 8 N. of *Prague*. Contains the Ts. of *Uitz*, *Melnick*, *Dietzin*, &c.

Leutomissel, a Bps See in the Government of *Chrudim* in *Bohemia*.

Leuva, or *Liuba*, first Successor to *Athanagildus* K. of the *Spanish Visigoths* in 567 or 8. after having for some time govern'd all the *Visigoths* there, he surrendred them to his Brother *Loovigildus*, and reign'd in *Languedoc*, and died in 575. *Leuva* II. succeeded his Brother *Ricaredus* in the Kdom of the *Spanish Visigoths*. after a

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the Earldom, and 6 German m. N. of the C. of *Gran*, in the Government of *Newhaufel* in *Hungary*.

Lewes, a Buttough and Market T. on *Lewes* R. in *Lewes* Rape, and the Cap. of it in *Suffex*, large, and well frequented, Assizes commonly kept here. Near it *Henry* III. being beaten by the Barons, yielded to a disadvantageous Peace. Its present Members of Parliament are *Thos. Pelham* and *Richard Paine* Esquires.

Lewis I. *Plus* King of *France*, and Emp. of the W. Son of *Charlemagne*, was born in 778. on his Birth he was declared by his Father K. of *Aquitain*, and Crowned in 781. in *Rome*, by the Pope. He was declar'd Successor to the Emp. 813. was Crown'd by the Pope at *Rheims* in 816. The next Year he divided his Dominions betwixt himself and 3 Sons, *Lutherius*, *Lewis* and *Pepin*. He oblig'd *Bernard* his Brother *Pepin's* Son to ask him Pardon at *Chalon* for conspiring against him. He subdu'd *Bretagne*. *Hormegarde* his Wife dying at *Auxerre* in 818.

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ter frequent Troubles, he died in 875.

Lewis III. at 6 or 7 years old succeeded his Father *Arnulphus* in 899. *Otho* of *Saxony*, and *Hatto* Abp of *Mentz* were his Guardians; *Lorrain* fell to him in 900. of which he was Crown'd K. at *Thionville*, the *Hungarians* in his Reign frequently invaded *Germany*: He died at *Raibone* about 912. and was the last German King of the Blood of *Charlemaigne*, being but 19 y. old.

Lewis IV. Son of *Lewis the Elder*, chosen Emp. at *Frankfort* in 1314. He was opposed by *Frederick the Fair*, the Emp. *Albertus's* Son, who having some of the Electors Votes, attempted the Crown; but was defeated, and imprison'd in 1314. The desire of the People of *Rome*, and his Quarrel with Pope *John XXII.* drew him into *Italy*, the Pope at *Avignon* threaten'd him with *St. Peter's Thunder*, if he did not retire; the *Guelpbs* and the *Gitelins* rag'd again in great Cruelties: He set up an *Antipope*, who declar'd the Pope a Heretick; *Lewis* on his losing many Friends, sought a Reconciliation with *Benedict XII.* and *Clement VI.* but disapproving the Conditions of surrendering and holding his Empire, and Estates of the Pope, the Electors chose in his Place *Charles* of *Lunenburg* in 1345. *Lewis* dying the next year of a fall from his Horse or Poison; aged 63.

Lewis the Blind, K. of *Provence*, *Arles* and *Burgundy* in 879. His Father was *Boson*, and Wife *Hermengarda*. By *Albert* of *Tuscany's* Invitation he came into *Italy*, was crown'd by the Pope *Stephen VIII.* in 900. but being surprized at *Vienna*, by the *Berengarii*, He had his Eyes put out, and returned to his own Dominions, and died in 938.

Lewis I. of *France*, and Emp. of the *W. See*, before *Lewis I.* Emp.

Lewis II. the *Stammerer*, first K. of *Aquitain*, succeeded his Father *Charles*

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the *Bald* in 877. and was own'd by his Subjects, and crown'd by the Pope at *Troyes* in 878. He agreed with *Lewis II.* of *Germany*, for *Lorrain*; and was poison'd on his Expedition against *Bernard* Duke of *Gothia* in 879. aged 35.

Lewis III. receiv'd the Royal Ensigns from his Father *Lewis the Stammerer*, just before his Death, and with his Brother *Carloman* was crown'd in the Abbey of *Trier*. *Lewis* of *Germany* encourag'd by their Minority, advancing with an Army, for part of *Lorrain*, retired; the two Brothers having divided the Kingdoms of *France*, *Neustria*, *Normandy*, *Burgundy* and *Aquitain* betwixt 'em, besieg'd *Boson* that by the Council of *Mentale*, was declar'd K. of *Burgundy* and *Provence*, in *Vienna*, which *Lewis* leaving to be pressed by *Carloman*, went against the *Normans*, but fell Sick at *Tours*, and died at *St. Denys* in 882.

Lewis IV. or *Ultramarine*, from being Educated in *England*, Son of *Charles the Simple*, after his Father's Misfortune was by his Mother *Ogiva*, Daughter of *Edward the Elder* of *England*, convey'd to that Court, but was recall'd by *Hugo the Great*, and crown'd at *Laon* in 936. He in vain endeavour'd the recovery of *Lorrain*. He marry'd the Daughter of *Henry* of *Germany*. Attempting to seize *Normandy*, leagu'd with *Hugo the Great*, he was by *D. Richard* and the *Danes* siez'd and kept Prisoner till the Peace. He was reconciled to *Hugo the Great* by the Emp. after a War begun betwixt 'em. And died by a fall from his Horse in 954.

Lewis V. the *Idle*, the last of the Ks of *France* of the 2d Line, he was recommended by his Father, on his Death Bed, to *Hugh Capet*; but his Mother fearing him, convey'd *Lewis* to *Adelaida* in vain, for he died in the 2d Year of his Reign, and as some say, bequeathed the Crown to *Hugh Capet*, in prejudice to his Uncle *Charles* of *Lorrain*; the *Carlovinian* Race, having rul'd 231. y.

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Lewis VI. the Gros, born in 1081. succeeded his Father *Philip I.* in 1108. He was Valiant and Active, &c. of which he had before given Proof (being now Crown'd) he vanquish'd the Lords that by the Encouragement of *Henry I. of England,* disturb'd him, routing their Army, and reveng'd the Assassination of the Earl of *Flanders.* He was absolv'd by the Pope from the Excommunication of his own Prelates. He was a Friend to all the Popes of his time, and died at *Paris* of a Flux in 1137. having reign'd 29 y.

Lewis VII. the Younger, and the *Pious,* born in 1120. crown'd in 1131. took Possession of *Guienne* and *Poitou* in 1137. in Right of his Wife *Eleanor,* and there heard of his Father *Lewis the Gros's* Death. He sided with *Jesfrey Plantagenet* against *K. Stephen* of *England* about *Normandy.* Having in his Ravage of *Champagne* burnt 1300 People in a Church, as an Attonement he took a Voyage to the *Holy-Land,* at the Instance of *St. Bernard;* he and *Conrade Empr.* and their power.

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Having taken *Languedoc* from the *Albigenses* after several Victories over them, he died in his return at *Montpensier* in *Auvergne* in 1226. aged 39. y. having reign'd above 3 y.

Lewis IX. was born at the Castle of *Poissy* in 1215. and when his Father *Lewis VIII.* dyed, was near 12 years old. His Mother *Blanche* of *Castile* Regent in his Minority by the Assistance of the Count of *Champagne,* rul'd with great Prudence, and kept her Son from the Designs of the Lords. Being come to Age, this Count found his Gratitude in his Assistance against the Confederated Lords, all whom he reduced to their Duty. Having reduced *Raymond* Count of *Toulouse* and the *Marsilian* Rebels, the K. finish'd the *Albigensian* War begun by his Father. On his recovery from a Sickness, he vow'd the Relief of the *Christians* in *Palestine;* in 1229. he arriv'd at, and took *Damietta* in *Egypt,* and winning 2 Battels beyond the *Nile,* he was surrounded by *Sultan Meledin,* and his Army being almost starv'd and

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Lewis X. the *Wrangler*, first K. of *Nurrrre*, in Right of his Mother *Joan*, succeeded his Father *Philip* the *Fair* in 1314. and was crown'd in 1315. and forc'd to raise the Siege of *Courtray*, and make a disadvantageous Peace by the Count of *Flanders*; and (supposed poison'd) he died suddenly the first year of his Reign at the Castle of *Vincennes* in 1316. 25 y. old.

Lewis XI. born at *Bourges* in 1423. He made himself in 1440. head of the *Le Praguerie*, a Faction against his Father, but was soon reconciled to him. He rais'd the Siege of *Diep* in 1442. and routed 6000 *Swiss* at *Basil*; he retir'd to *Burgundy* for fear of his Father's Forces on his turning against him in *Dauphine*; hearing of his Father's Death, he return'd and was crown'd in 1461. tho' he enter'd his Country like Conqueror, and being jealous of the great ones, he turn'd 'em all out; who enter'd into a League under the Title of the *Publick Good*, the Heads of which were the Dukes of *Berry* (Brother to the King) *Bretaigne* and *Bourbon*, and *Charleroy*, the Duke of *Burgundy's* Son. The K. engag'd them near *Monslebert*, but on a drawn Battel, he made a Peace to destroy the League, giving *Normandy* to his Brother, the County of *Estampes* to the Duke of *Bretaigne*, and some places in *Picardy*, which he had taken, to the Duke of *Burgundy*. But by several Ways and with several Adventures he recover'd all and secur'd all his Enemies; having instituted the Order of *St. Michael* at *Amboise* in 1472. He was such a successful Asserter of the Royalties, that he is said to have raised the *French* Ks out of their Minority, that is, was the first that suppressed the Liberties of *France*. By the Gift of the Counts of *Provence*, he added it to his Kingdom. He had Alliance with the *Switzers*, and was only revengeful on his Opposers; he raised the Taxes to 47 Mil. *Livres*. He seiz'd *Burgundy* and *Artois* on the Death of the Duke of

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the first, in the 22d y. of his Reign, and 60th of his Age, A. C. 1483. he died at the Castle of *Plessis les Tours*, in his Sickness having discover'd all the Violent Fears of Death, and struggling for Life, by Money, Reliques, &c. He fixt the Posts thro' *France*, hated Men of Quality, and all Counsel but his own, raised Men from the Rabble, &c.

Lewis XII. was born at *Blois* in 1462, and was stiled the *Just*, and *Father of his Country*; from D. of *Orleans*, he succeeded *Charles VIII.* in 1498. being Son of *Charles D. of Orleans*, and Grandson of *Lewis of France*. He lessen'd the Taxes, and ministr'd Justice universally, and his Foes confessed his Goodness. He recover'd *Milan* from *Lewis Sforza* in a Fortnight; which revolting, he retook with *Sforza*, who dy'd Prisoner in *France*; he enter'd into League with *Ferdinand* of *Arragon*, gave *Frederick* the D. of *Anjou*, having dispos'd him of *Naples*, which *France* and *Spain* divided, the last had *Puglia* and *Calabria*, the first the rest, but these were driven out of all by the *Spaniards*; With whom making Peace in 1505. he chastised the *Genoese*; defeated the *Venetians* at the Battel of *Aignadel* in 1509. took *Cremona*, *Padua*, &c. invest'd by the Emp. in the Ddom of *Milan* in 1510. His great Power gave Umbrage to the Pope, who successively raised many Enemies to him, as the *Venetians*, Emperor, *Switzers*, at once; then the *Spaniards*, *Genoese* and *English*; out of all which difficulties *Lewis* extricated himself, by making Peace with the *Spaniard*, and marrying *Mary of England*, as 3d Wife, Daughter to *Henry VII.* His first was *Joan*, Daughter of *Lewis XI.* and the 2d *Anne* of *Bretaigne*. He was prevented repassing the *Alps* by Death, soon after his Marriage in 1515. in the 17th year of his Reign, and of his Age 53. He was Pious, Gracious and a Favourer of Learning. He lov'd his People so well, that his Tears

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shew'd his Concern to impose any Tax on them. In disguise he us'd to go into Company.

Lewis XIII. the *Just*, born at *Fountainbleau* in 1601. He succeeded his Father *Henry V.* in *France* and *Navarre*, in 1610. the Q. Mother was Regent till 1614. when he married the Infanta of Spain *Anne of Austria*. Some Malecontents at the D. of *Lutnes* rose, and join'd the Q. Mother, but the Army being beaten, she submitted. On the Death of that D. Cardinal *Richelieu*, came in Favour with the King. In 1622. several French Cities surrendered, and the *Rochellers* were defeated in 1625. they were routed again, tho' assisted by the *English*, and their City taken in 1628. He restor'd the D. of *Mantua* to his Estate against the D. of *Savoy*; reduced and pardon'd the *Languedoc Hugonots*, conquer'd all *Savoy*, routed the *Spaniards*, and compell'd his Enemies to a Treaty in 1631. At the Battel of *Castell Naudari* in 1632. he defeated his Brother *Gaston* and *Montmorency*, who was taken

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at *Freiburg*. He took *Gravelin*, *Philippburg*, *Spire*, *Worms* and *Mentz*; on the defeat of the Imperialists at *Norlingen*, and the *Spaniards* in *Catalonia*, *Bourburg*, *Link*, *Lens*, *Belbune*, *Armentiers*, *Roset*, *de la Motte*, &c. were taken, as were *Courtray*, *Bergen*, *Mardyke*, *Dunkirk*, *Tyres*, *Farnes*, &c. in 1646. The Battel of *Lens* was won in 1647. The Peace of *Munster* was in 1648. and *Barcelona*, *Catal*, *Dunkirk* and *Gravelin* were lost to the *Spaniards*. The Queen and Princes returned to *Paris* in 1649. on Submission, having left it with a Design of besieging it. From 1649. to 1653. or 4 Civil Dissensions rag'd by heats against Cardinal *Mazarine*, which his return twice revived; but the King, successful at Home, looking now Abroad after having been Crown'd in 1654. his Armies took several Towns, and by the help of the *English*, *Mardyke* and *Dunkirk*, &c. which were deliver'd to *Cromwel* in 1659. and in 1660. he marry'd Mary only Daughter to *Philip IV.* of Spain. The Dauphine was born in 1664. he

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1 Treaties, *Europe* is now fain to Confederate against him.

Lewis I. K. of Germany, stil'd the *Old* or *Elder*, Brother of *Lotharius* and *Pepin K. of Aquitain*, and of the Emp. *Lewis the Meek*, K. of *Bavaria* by his Father in at first he join'd his Father against his Brother, but turn'd against it last, and after some Reconcile-; stir'd new Troubles to him, which his Father Marching, di- After whose Death, and a Bat- tle between the Brothers, they divi- dy Agreement their Father's Do- ms, &c. in 858. he made a ha- etreat from *France*, having been thither by the Malecontents. On death of *Lewis II.* he pretended the Empire; but *Charles the Bald* Crown'd by the Pope, he rais'd Army to invade the Empire, the of which, Death prevented, at fort in the 70th year of his Age, 9th year of Reign. He was Va- lust and Generous.

Lewis II. The Younger, K. of *Ger-*, Son of *Lewis I.* He defeated es the *Bild* attempting to seize Country, laid claim to *France*, having secur'd *Bavaria* on the h of his Brother *Carloman*, went purpose thither; only in Con- on with *Lewis* and *Carloman*, he uted *Hugh the Bastard of Vardrade*, dy'd at *Frankfort* in 882.

Lewis I. of Anjou, K. of *Hungary* and st, was born in 1326. He was Son of *Charobert* or *Charles II. of* ry, whom he succeeded in 1342. anish'd the *Jews*, made success- Vars with *Transylvania*, with the ured his Uncle *Casimir* King of nd against the *Bshernians*. In re- e of his Brother *Andrew's* Death is Wife *Joan Q. of Naples*, he led *Naples*, made her flye to ce, and put some to Death. He War with the *Venetians* for *Dal-* a in 1357. On *Casimir's* Death

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he was chosen King of *Poland* in 1370. and was declar'd General of the Church by the Pope, and Vicar of the Empire by the Emp. He was al- ways Victorious, and died in 1382. Having reigned 40 Years, and liv'd 57.

Lewis II. or the Younger, Son of *La-* dislaus VI. K. of *Hungary* and *Bohemia*, succeeded his Father in 1516. at 12 Years of Age. In 1562. he lost the Battel of *Mohatz* and his Life, having before lost *Belgrade* to the *Turks*.

Lewis I. of France, K. of *Jerusalem*, *Naples*, *Sicily*, D. of *Anjou*, Earl of *Provence*, &c. 2d Son of K. *John*, born in 1359. On the Death of his Brother *Charles V. of France*, he was Re- gent of *Charles VI.* *Joan I. Queen of Naples* adopted him, and the Pope crown'd him in 1380. thence with *Amadaus VI. Count of Savoy*, he march'd to drive *Charles of Duras* out of *Naples*; he took some places there, but want of Mony broke his Heart in 1384.

Lewis II. K. of Jerusalem, Naples, *Sicily* and *Aragon*, Earl of *Provence*, &c. was born in 1377. and succeeded in these Titles to his Father *Lewis I.* under the Regency of his Mother *Mary*. He was at *Avignon*, in 1389. crown'd King of *Naples*, and all the Cities of *Provence* were soon recover'd from *Ladislaus*, Son of *Charles Duras*. He twice was call'd to and received at *Naples* with Joy, and as soon as gone, forsaken for *Ladislaus*. He had War with the Earl of *Savoy*, and possessed the City of *Naples* 9 Years. In 1400. he marry'd *Jolanda*, Heiress of *Aragon*. In 1411. he routed *Ladislaus* at the Battel of *Rodeseche*. In 1417. he died at *Angers*.

Lewis III. succeeded his Father *Lewis II.* and went into *Italy* to dethrone Queen *Joan II. of Naples*, but was dis- appointed, and fain to return back without accomplishing his end. Af- terwards he was adopted by *Joan*, and together with her, won divers Bar- tles,

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tels, but being weak and sickly died not long after at *Cosenza* in 1438.

Lewis, K. of part of *Sicily* of the House of *Arragon*. He succeeded his Father *Peter* in 1342. at 5 Years old, under the Regency of his Uncle, and died in 1355.

Lewis of *Duras* Count of *Morona* and *Gravina*, was descended in a Collateral Line from *St. Lewis* Emp. and King of *France*. He succeeded his Brother *Charles* of *Duras*, put to Death by *Lewis* King of *Hungary*, and was poison'd at *Naples* by *Q. Joan I's* Order.

Lewis of *Tarentum*, Son of *Phillip*, 4th Son to *Charles* the *Lame*, in 1346. married *Joan* Queen of *Naples* and Countess of *Provence*, not without Suspicion of having a hand in the Death of *Andrew* of *Hungary*. He died in 1352. Having instituted the Order of the *Knights del Noto*.

Lewis, Bp. of *Thoulouse*, prefer'd the Ecclesiastical to the Regal Dignity, tho' Heir to the Kdom of *Jerusalem* and *Sicily*, passing from a Cloister to a Crosier by Pope *Boniface VIII*.

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He was faithful to his Treaty with *Charles VII.* tho' his Daughter betroathed to the *Dauphine* was refused. He instituted the Senate of *Turin* in 1459. and died at *Lions* in *France* in 1465.

Lewis II. D. of *Savoy*, and King of *Cyprus*, in his Wife *Charlotta's* Right. He dy'd at *Ripaille* in 1482. being retir'd thither unable to cope with his Enemies.

Lewis, Pr. of the Blood of *France*, Count of *Evreux*, &c. which Earldom was his Portion given by his Father *Philip the Bold*, and chief of the Branch of the House of *Navarre*. He died in 1319.

Lewis, D. of *Orleans*, Count of *Valois*, &c. was born in 1371. being 2d Son of *Charles V.* of *France*: in the Reign of his Brother *Charles VI.* he govern'd all, which the D. of *Burgundy* being displeased with, Civil Wars ensu'd; but to end the Difference, both were sent against the *English*. *Lewis* taking *Blaye* in *Guienne*, on his return was assassinated by the

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Lewis I. of Bourbon, Pr. of Conde, &c. was born in 1530. His Father was *Charles of Bourbon, Duke of Vendosme*. His first Campaigne being at the retaking of *Bologne*, under *Henry II. of France*, he shew'd his Valour afterwards in the Defence of *Metz*, against the Emp. *Charles V.* against the Pr. of *Piedmont*, in the Battels of *Ulpian* and *St. Quintin*, at the Siege of *Cales* and *Thionville*: Being enlarged from his Imprisonment for the Conspiracy of *Amboise*, he headed the Protestants, and having won several Ts. he was wounded and taken at the Battel of *Dreux*, and lost that of *St. Denys*, and was shot sitting under a Hedge, his Leg being broke in 1569.

Lewis II. of Bourbon, born at *Paris* in 1621. Son of *Hen. II. Prince of Conde*. He was at the Siege of *Arras* and *Perpignan* in 1640. Won the Battel of *Rocroy* in 1643. being 22 Y. old. In 1644. he won that of *Priburg*, and took *Philipsburg, &c.* In 1645. he gained the Battel of *Nortlingen*, and took *Dunkirk* in 1646. His Father dying, the Governments of *Burgundy, Brest* and *Berry*, fell to him. In 1647. he fought in *Catalonia* with various Success. In 1648. he won the Battel of *Lens* in the *Low Countries*. In 1650. he and his Brother the Prince of *Conti*, and the D. of *Longueville* were confin'd at *Vincennes*; but being set at Liberty, and follow'd by many, he took up Arms; after the fight of *St. Anthony's* Suburbs in *Paris*, he retir'd to the Spanish Service in the *Low-Countries*, to whom he did great Service; on the *Pyreanean Treaty* he return'd to *France*, and warr'd afterwards in *Franch Comte* and *Holland*, was at the Siege of *Limburg*, the raising that of *Audenard*, commanded in *Germany*, and died at *Fountainbleau* in 1686.

Lewis of Bourbon, III. D. of Montpensier, &c. call'd the Good, was born in 1536. and first bore Arms under *Francis I.* He was at the Siege of *Hesdin*,

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Perpignan, Bologne, Rochelle, &c. and in the Battels of *Renti, Jarnac*, and *Moncontour*. He was taken in that of *St. Quintin*; he reduc'd *Angers, Saumur, Tours, Rochelle, &c.* with several Places in *Poitou*, and died at his Castle of *Campagne* in 1582.

Lewis of Bourbon, Count of Soissons, born at *Paris* in 1604. first shewed himself in the *Protestant War* in *Poitou*, having been Head of the Council in the K's Absence, and Lieutenant General of his Army, and with him at many Battels: he retir'd to *Sedan* on some Jealousies at Court, joining afterwards the *Spaniards*, he was shot by a Pistol in too eager a pursuit of Marshal *Chastillon*, whom he routed at *Naples* in 1641.

Lewis, Cardinal D. of Vendosme, &c. was born in 1632. and was Grandson to *Henry IV.* by his natural Son *Cesar D. of Vendosme*. He married *Laura Mancini*, Cardinal *Mazarine's* Niece, after whose Death, and sufficient Proofs of his Conduct and Valour in War in *France, Flanders, Italy* and *Catalonia*, of which he was Vice-Roy, he enter'd into Orders, and was made Cardinal by Pope *Alexander VII.* and died in 1669.

Lewis Sforza, call'd the Moor, D. of *Milan*, was the youngest Son of *Francis Sforza*; he deposed *John Galeas* Heir to his Elder Brother *Galeas Maria*, by favour of *Maximilian* the Emp. who on his Marriage with the Daughter of *Lewis*, invested him with the Ddom of *Milan*, as forfeited on Default of Homage. He call'd the French into *Italy*, who on his Poisoning *John Galeas* invaded *Milan*, and took it from him on his entering into League with the Enemies of *France*. He was restor'd, and again beaten and carried Prisoner to *Lions*, where he died in the Castle of *Loches* after 10 y. Imprisonment.

Lewis of Lorrain Cardinal of *Guise*, succeeded his Uncle in the Abp of *Rheims*, and was Head of the Leaguers

and died at *Marefeld* in 1443.

Lewis of *Luxemburg*, Count of *Paul*. He was a follower of *Ch. VII.* at the Siege of *Pontoise*, Killed at the Siege of *Diepe*, was at the *Cæn*, and was sent into *England* the D. of *Burgundy*, and commanded under him at the Battle of *Montlaur*. Was made Constable of *France*, Knight of *Michael* by *Lewis XI.* afterwards beheaded publickly, he surrendered by the D. of *Burgundy*, whom he had fled from the suspicious K. in 1475.

Lewis, or *Louisa*, born in 1411. Daughter to *Philip* Earl of *Breth*, afterwards D. of *Savoy*, and married *Charles* Count of *Angoulême* in 1438 who died in 1496. by him she was Mother to *Francis I.* K. of *France*, at by him left Regent during his *Mill.* Wars: her Anger drove *Charles* of *Bourbon* Constable of *France* out of the Kingdom; and her Grief for her Son's being taken at *Pavia*, after his Redemption kill'd her in 1531.

Lewis-land, or *Louisiane*, a large Tract of Ground S. W. of *New France* in *America*, discover'd in 1678. by the *French*, who since have built several Forts in it. and given their Name to it.

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his Communion, and he, till the Letters from the Egyptian Bps alter'd his Mind, was inclining to condemn Sr. *Athanasius*. He sent *Vincentius* Bp of *Capua*, and others, to the Arian Council of *Arles*, who subscrib'd the Condemnation of *Athanasius*. He obtain'd a Council at *Milan*, where the majority being for *Arius*, the Orthodox were banish'd, and *Liberius* for not subscribing the Condemnation of *Athanasius*, was exil'd into *Bera*, a C. of *Thrace*; but 2 Years exile made him subscribe both that and their Confession of Faith; and the Emp. on the Mediation of the *Arians*, sent him back to *Rome*; but on that Emp's Death, he recanted, and sought Reconciliation with *Athanasius*.

Libertas, Goddess of Liberty, ador'd in her Temple at *Rome*, and under the Name of *Elutheria* by the Greeks. Her Figure was a Virgin in White, holding a Scepter in her Right-hand, and a Hat in her Left, and had a Cat before her.

Libertines, a Sect in 1536. begun by *Copin*, and one *Quintin* a Taylor in *Holland* and *Brabant*, made the owning all Religions indifferent, all our Actions proceeding from God, and therefore Good, and without Sin: that the State of Innocence is to be without scruple or doubt.

Libitina, according to some, *Proserpina*, to others, *Venus*, the Funeral Pomp was kept in her Temple in *Rome*, and Sacrifices for the Dead offer'd to her; the Furniture for Funerals were kept there to mind us of Mortality; the same Goddess presiding over Birth and Death, or rather the Birth is the first step to Death.

Libo, the famous Architect that built the Temple of *Jupiter Olympus* near *Pisa* in *Greece*, he liv'd in the 80 O'lympiad, 58. years before Christ.

Liburnia, (now *Croatia*) the only C. of it that now keeps its Name, is *Scarlona*. Its Inhabitants invented, of old, a sort of light Vessel for Pirating

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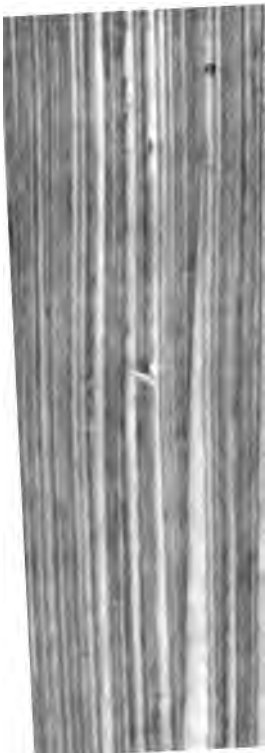
on the Coasts of *Epirus*, and the *Dalmatian* Islands. The Romans in imitation of those, made a Vehicle or Litter, call'd *Liburnia*, to Travel in, where in their Journeys they could eat, sleep, study and write.

Libussa, Daughter of *Crocus*, one of the first of the *Bohemian* Pr. being press'd by her Subjects to Marry, she declar'd, that he into whose House her Horse of himself went, should be her Husband, which she perform'd to a Country Hind, called *Primislaus* I. K. of *Bohemia*.

Libya, a great part of *Africa*, deriving its name of *Libya*, Daughter of *Epaphus*; 'tis divided into *Libya propria*, and *Libya Marmarica*, and *Cyrenaica*, which contains the Kdom, and Desart of *Barca*, &c.

Licetus (*Fortunius*) was born at *Recapala* in the *Gepose* in 1577. and was a noted Physician, his Father *Licetus* of *Reca*, in the same State, took care of his Education himself: being born 2 Months before his time, he was kept in Cotton. He completed his Studies at *Bohemia*, and taught Philosophy at *Risa*, where he writ a Book, *De ortu Animæ Humanae*, was invited to *Padua* for his Learning, and taught there 'til 1631. where he retir'd on discontent to *Bmonia*; but return'd to *Padua* at the intreaty of the Senate of *Venice*, where having writ above 50 several Tracts, he died at 75 years old in 1656. Among others, he enquir'd into the Sepulchral Lamp of the Ancients, of which his Opinions prevalent for a while are since exploded by *Ottavio Ferrarius* Professor at *Padua*.

Litchfield, a C. in *Staffordshire*, 118. m. from *London*, a Bishop's See on a shallow Port, and little R. running into the *Blithe* which falls into the *Trent*; 'tis divided into two by the Water, and join'd by a Bridge and Causeway; in the S. and greater part, is a Grammar-School, and St. John's Hospital for the Poor's Relief; in the



'twas in 793. an Abpk with *Winton*, *Hereford*, *Sidnecester*, *Dorchester*, *N. Eltham*, and *Dunwich* under it. It contains now *Derbyshire* and *Staffordshire* entirely, and a considerable share of *Warwickshire* and *Shropshire*; it holds 55; Parishes, of which 250 are Improprations; 4 Archdeacons, viz. of *Stafford*, *Derby*, *Coventry* and *Shrewsbury*. The Clergy's Tenths of this Diocess is 550 l. 16 s. 11 d. in the King's Book. *Litchfield Close* was first a Garrison for the K. afterwards several times taken and retaken. The Family of *Stuart* were once Earls of it, till extinct, the Title was given by *Charles II.* to *Edward Henry Lee*, who at this time Possesses it. The C. is a County Palatine, and has 3 Churches besides the Cathedral.

Licinius, the name of the most considerable *Plebeian* Family in *Rome* of several Branches; as the *Licinii* and *Liciniani*. This Family first brought the *Plebeians* into Offices of Importance, A. R. 534.

Licinius C. Julius, a Military Tribune.

P. Licinius Stolo, was Tribune of the People 6 years, and made a Law that no Roman should have above 500 Acres of

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Metropolis of *China*, hang'd himself in 1464. which pillaging on the News of *Usangue's* coming against him with *Tartars*, who driving him out of the Prov. of *Xenfi*, slew him in a Battel.

Liddisdale, from the R. that runs through it, is a little County of South Scotland, N. bounded by *Tweeddale*, W. by *Annandale*, S. by *Cumberland*, E. by *Northumberland*.

Lideric, marry'd *Dagobert* Is Daughter, from whom the Earls of *Flanders* descended.

Ligat, (*John*) so call'd from a Vil. in *Suffolk*, was a Poet, Orator, Linguist and Mathematician, a *Benedictine* Monk.

Lidiard-Tregoz, (or *S. Lidiard*) the name of the Seat of the ancient Fam. of *St. John's* in *Wilts*, from whom the present *Hen. St. John Esq*; is lineally descended.

Liege, a C. and Bpk in the Circle of *Westphalia*, the C. is populous and well built on the *Maese*, 'tis Imperial and Free govern'd by its own Bp. there are 8 Collegiate Churches; the Cathedral dedicated to *St. Lambert*, is famous for its Chapter, all the Canons are to be Gentlemen or Doctors, and are composed of Cardinals, Barons, and Men eminent for Learning. Its Abbeys and Bridges are magnificent and numerous, it stands in a fruitful Valley, and has its name from the little R. *Liege*, that at this C. falls into the *Maese*: the Gardens, Vineyards and Orchards make up a great space within the Walls. Some will have it built by *Ambiorix*, a German Pr. whom *J. Caesar* mentions in his *Commentaries*. It has felt many great shocks from the *Normans*, the Ds. of *Brabant* and *Burgundy*; one Battel with one of the last cost them 36000 Men in the Field, and six days plunder of that C. Pope *Innocent II.* held a Council here in 1131. and crown'd the Emp. *Lothair II.* in the Cathedral: 'tis 15. m. W. of *Cologn*, 3 S. of *Maestricht*, 10 of *Louvain*, and 5 from *Aken*; 'tis surrounded

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with Hills and Woods: the Bpk's old Inhabitants were the *Eburones*, or *Tungri*; 'tis 31 m. long, and 15 broad, its other Cities are *Tongres*, *Huy*, *Maestricht*, *Dinans*, *Bovillon*, *Turnay*, *Thuni*, *St. Habert*, *Rochebut*, *Maseck*, and *St. Trugen*, its chief Rs. besides the *Maese*, whose course is thro' the whole Country are 14. its Valley fertile, and its Hills productive of Minerals, Marble and Vines, &c. and its Woods of Venison, &c.

Lightfoot (*John*) D. D. a great Master of Rabinical Learning, and was Head of *Catherine-Hall* in *Cambridge*. He has left several *Thalmudical* Tracts which have been objected against by *Mr. Ferrand*, for a false Method of Arguing from what is fabulous or at least uncertain, as the Antiquity of the *Thalmud*.

Lignitz, a C. and once a Ddom of *Selesta*, in *Bohemia*, on the R. *Katzbach*; near this place in 1250. *Henry D. of Silezia*, was defeated by *Buthey* a *Tartar* General.

Ligorio (*Pirro*) a *Neapolitan* Painter, a great Artist in the Study of ancient Architecture, Statues, &c. of which there are several Volumes of his Drawings in the D. of *Savoy's* Library. He built the Marble Mausoleum or Monument of Pope *Paul IV.*

Liguria, a Country of *Italy*, in the ancient *Gallia Cisalpina*, one part lying to the Sea about *Genoa*, &c. the other under the Hills.

Lilio, (*Gregorio Giraldi*) or *Lilius Giraldis*, was of *Ferrara*, and born in 1478. and having writ several Books, died of the Gout in 1552: that with Poverty he had for some time labour'd under. He writ of the Heathen Gods, Greek, Latin, and Modern Poets, the most valu'd of his Works. He invented the 30 Numbers of the *Ephata*, &c.

Lilit, the *Jews* suppose her the first Wife of *Adam*, who by pronouncing the Name of God, slew away into the Air; this *Lilet* is a Spectre, as they

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was taken by *Louis XIV.* in 1667. confirm'd to him by the Peace of *Aix la Chapelle* in 1668. He took in a large Suburbs with a strong Citadel: tis large, strong populous and rich, 5 L. S. of *Tpres*, 6 L. from *Doway*, 4 from *Artis*, and 5 from *Tournay*.

Lille, or *L'Isle*, a C. in the County of *Venaissin* in *Provence*; it has its name from the R. *Sorgue*, that surrounds it, sung by *Petrarch*, in a fruitful Plain 5 or 6 L. from *Avignon*, and *Carpentras*.

Lilla, a R. of *Aquitain* in *France*, rises near *Meisse* in the *Limusin*, and running through *Perigord*, *Perigitan* and *Guienne*, below *Libourne*, falls into the *Dordogne*, having in its course receiv'd the *Egère* and the *Dronne*.

Lillebonne, or *Istbonne*, the Capital once of *Cana* in the Diocess of *Rouen*, the *Norman Bps.* held a Council here in 1080. in the Presence of *William I.* of *England*. It gives Title to a Branch of the Family of *Lorraine*.

Lilla, a strong Fort on the *Scheld*, built by the States of *Holland*, 2 L. below *Antwerp*, where all Ships pay Toll that go up to that C.

Lilly, (*William*) born at *Oxford* in 11...

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Dom of *Brabant*. 'Tis a fruitful, has Iron and Copperas it contains 125 Villages, 5 of are walled.

wrg, the Cap. of the Dukedom, on a pleasant shady Hill, on k of the R. *Weser*, from whence nous *Spaw*-waters are not a-

L. its near the Borders of nd 60 L. E. of that C. 7 from bt, and 4 S. of *Aix la Chats* Castle was destroy'd by the n 1677.

Regis, a Borough and Mar- in the W. of *Dorsetshire*, in od-Vale Hundred, on the high the Mouth of the R. *Lime*, it has its name: the Road is from the Winds by high nd Trees, &c. The Duke of b landed here in 1685. from

It sends 2 Burgesses to ent, who at present are lenly, Esq; and *John Burridge*,

stinus, God of the Thresholds.

rick, the Cap. of the County same Name, in the Prov. of in *Ireland*, the C. is strong most surrounded with Water, on the *Shannon*, 35 m. S. of 45 W. of *Kilkenny*, and 60 e Ocean, on the Borders of ut, a Bps. See under the Abp. l. *Raimond le Gros* of *England* k it. R. *John* built the Castle, *English* the new Town, and nd fortify'd it. It held out 3 Siege against *Ireton*, and near against R. *William*. The

on the N. is divided by the xnon and *Munster* from *Clare* nd, on the S. is the Coutry on the W. that of *Kerry*, E. *Tipperary*. 'Tis a fertile and abited Country.

es, the Cap. of the *Limosin* in on the R. *Vienne*, large, popu- fortified, and stands among tis a Bps. See, under the Abp. es, 25 L. N. E. of *Poitiers*, 40

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from *Bordeaux*, 30 E. of *Angoulesme*. Taken by storm by the *Black Prince* in 1371.

Limona, Daughter of *Hysomanes*, one of the Archons or chief Magistrates of *Athens*, who being discover'd to be debauch'd by a young Gentleman of that City, her Father condemned him to be tore asunder by 4 Horses, and her to be devour'd by a starv'd Horse, with whom without food she was shut up.

Limosin, a Prov. of *France*, that has on its E. *Auvergne*, N. *La Manbre*, W. part of *Poitou*, *Perigord* and *Au- goumois*, and on the S. *Quercy*, &c. 'Tis a barren Country but the Inha- tants are industrious. 'Tis divided in- to the Upper and Lower *Limosin*; in the first, are the Cs of *Limoges*, *St. Hrier*, *St. Junian*, &c. In the last, *Tulle* a Bps. See, *Brive le Galliarde*, the strong C. of *Uzerche*, &c. The County of *Turenne*, and Ddom of *Ve- tadour*, its chief Rs. are *Dordogne*, *Vi- enne*, and *Upper Vezere*, &c. the C. and Prov. had once their own Vis- counts to govern them, which by the House of *Albert* were united to the Crown by *Hen. VI.* in 1607.

Lincoln, the Cap. C. of *Lincolnshire*, stands on the side of a Hill, 103 m. S. W. of *London*, on the R. *Witham*, a Bps. See in the Prov. of *Canterbury*, of great Antiquity, and its ruins yet shew its old Grandeur, having been one of the most populous and largest of *England*, containing 50 Parishes; but 'tis now reduced to 15. The Ca- thedral is its chief Ornament on the top of a Hill. The Bps. See was re- moved hither from *Dorchester* in *Ox- fordshire* in the XI. Cen. the Diocesa, tho' much decreas'd, yet contains the whole Counties of *Lincoln*, *Leicester*, *Huntington*, *Bedford*, *Buckingham*, and part of *Hertford*; it contains 1255 Parishes, of which 577 impropriate, 6 Arch-Deaconaries, viz. *Lincoln*, *Leister*, *Bedford*, *Buckingham*, *Stow* and *Hun- tington*: The Tenths of the Clergy in the



and Parliament Men Sir *Thos. Mere*
Knt. and Sir *Edward Hussy* Knt.

Lincolnshire, part of the ancient *C*
ritani, and the *Saxon* Kingdom o
Mercia, one of the largest Counties o
England, 'tis a N. Maritime County, 5
m. long N. S. 35 E. and W. 'ti
parted on the N. from *Yorkshire* by
the *Humber*, 'tis bounded S. by *Cam*
bridge and *Norrbamptonshire*, E. with
the *German* Ocean, and the Countie
of *Nottingham*, *Leicester*, &c. 'tis divi
ded into three Parts, *Lindsey*, *Kesle*
ven and *Holland*. *Kesleven*, on the S
W. *Holland* on the S. E. and *Lindse*
N. each of these are subdivided into
Wapentakes, and those into Hundreds
Contains 34 Market Ts. and 630 Pa
rishes. In the S. and E. parts tho
yielding no Corn, have been taken at
one Draught 3000 *Mallards* and o
ther Fowl; other Parts afford plenty
of Grass and Corn. At *Fitchall*, there
are no Rats or Mice; in *Axbelm* is a
Vein of *Alabaster*; in *Henry VIII*'
time a *Helmet* of Gold studded with
Precious-stones was plow'd up at *Har*
laxton. The County is noted for fine
Churches, and bad Houses, tho' there
are several Nobleman's Seats. It sends

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Lingendes, (*Claude de*) born at *Moulines* in *Burbornis*, Provincial of the *Jesuits*, and one of the best Preachers of the last Cen. He died in 1660.

Lintz, a little, but populous C. the Cap. of *Upper-Austria* on the *Danube*, in a fertile Country. 'Tis built all of white Stones, has a fine Castle, and is the frequent retirement of the Emp. 24 German M. W. of *Vienna*, and 6 E. of *Passau*. It repuls'd the 40000 *Austrian* Rebels; and the Great D. of *Lorraine* dy'd near *Lintz*.

Linus, the Successor of *St. Peter* in the See of *Rome*, and was martyr'd under *Vespasian*.

Linus, of *Chalcis*, one of the most ancient of the *Greek* Poets, the inventor of *Lyric*, and introducer of the *Phœnician Alphabet*. The Fable makes him the Son of *Apollo* and *Terpsicore*, or of *Mercury* and *Urania*, and the Tutor of *Hercules*.

Lion, or *Leo*, a Sign of the *Zodiack*, consisting of 27 Stars. The Sun enters it in *July*; fabled to be the Lion of *Nemæus*'s Skin, which was kill'd by *Hercules*.

Lionne, (*Hugh de*) Marquis of *Berry*, a *French* Minister of State, who influenc'd the Election of *Pope Alexander VII.* manag'd the Treaties of *Madrid*, the League of the *Rhine*, and the Peace afterwards with *Spain*, so advantageous to *France*, and died at *Paris* in 1671. 63 y. old.

Lions. See *Lions* situate in the Prov. of *Lyonnais*.

Lipari, a knot of 7 small *Sicilian* Islands in the *Tyrrhene* Sea, 30 m. N. W. of *Sicily*, and is as much W. of *Calabria*. The chief C. of the principal Island, is a Bp. See under *Messina*; and was ruin'd by *Barbarossa* in 1544. but rebuilt. 'Twas the Seat of *Æolus*. The greatest which gives name to the rest, it 10 m. round, and frequented for its hot Baths.

Lipman, a *Jewish* Rabbi of *Germany*, writ a Book called *Vißory*, viz. Against the *Christians* and *Saducees*.

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Lippa, a C. on the R. *Marosch* in *Transylvania*, fortified with a strong Castle, and Walls, and deep Ditches, 13 *Hungarian* m. S. W. of *Wiesenburg*, and 5 N. of *Tameswaert*, recover'd from the *Turks* by assault in 1688. with 2000 *Turks* at discretion in the Castle.

Lippe, or *Lipstadt*, a County and C. on the R. *Lippe* in *Westphalia* in *Marishes* and a bad Air, 3 German m. E. of *Paderborn*, a Hans T. and Cap. of the Country of *Lippe*, once imperial and free, now subject to the K. of *Prussia*. The Country betwixt the Bpk. of *Paderborn*, Ddom of *Westphalia*, and Earldom of *Ravenburg*, is a large share of the *Westphalian* Circle, and is subject to its own Counts; who reside at *Lemgow*.

Lippe, a German R. rises at *Lipprink* near *Paderborn*, flowing W. divides the Diocess of *Munster* from *Mark* passing *Lippe*, *Han*, *Dorsten* and *Wesel*, it disembogues in the *Rhine*, 12 m. below *Cologne*.

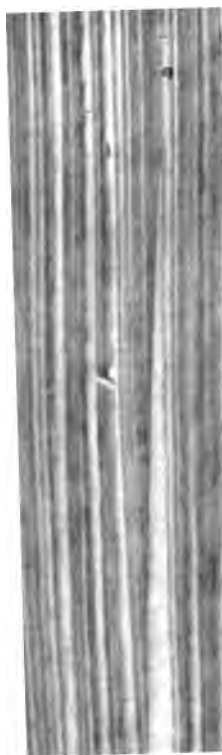
Lippmannus (*Lodovicus*) born at *Venice*, Bp. first of *Modon*, then of *Vienna*. He writ 8 Vol. of the *Saints Lives*, and other Works amidst his great Employments, and died in 1559.

Lipsius (*Justus*) born in 1547. at *Ise*, a little Vil. near *Brussels*, *Brabant*, was Secretary to the Cardinal of *Granville*, studied at *Leyden* and *Lorraine*, where he taught. He wrote 6 Vol. in Folio, and died at *Lorraine*, 59 y. old, his Father's name was *Giles Lipsius*. his Uncle's *Martin Lipsius*, Author of many Books, and intimate with *Erasmus*.

Lire, or *Lier*, a T. in *Antwerp* division in *Brabant*, a *Spanish* Frontier on the *Hollanders*, on the R. *Nethe*, strong by Art and Nature, 6 m. N. W. of *Brussels*, 3 m. E. of *Antwerp*, and 2 S. W. of *Mechlen*. It stands betwixt the 2 last, and is fam'd for its Castle, *Fairs* and *Manufactures*.

Liriope, a Fountain in *Bœotia*, that falls into the R. *Cephissus*: viewing himself here, *Narcissus* pin'd away.

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and 6 from *Cabo di Rocca Sintra*. It has a large Harbour secur'd by Tow'rs, and high surrounding Rocks : the Castle's very strong, and stands on the summit of a high Hill. Its *Palace*, *Exchange*, *India House*, &c. are its Ornaments, it encreases every day, tho' already the biggest in *Portugal*, in 1531. a 1000 People, and 200 Houses were destroy'd by an Earthquake. Here rendezvous'd the *Armada*, in 1588. and before it came, the Earl of *Essex* with an Army in 1587. in *Antonio's* behalf.

Liferus (Polycarpus) born at Winend near *Wirtzburg* in 1552. was a Protestant Minister of *Tubingen* and *Graz*, in *Stiria*, and at *Wittzburg*, and wrote several Books, and died in 1610. 58 y. old.

Lifems, (John) Author of a great many Books.

Lisieux, a C. on the R. *Lexon* in *Upper Normandy*, a Bps. See under the Abp. of *Raan*; large and beautiful, 4 Synods held here, 1st 1106. 2d 1221. 3d 1531. 4th 1547. 'tis 12 L. W. of *Raan*, 5 E. of the *British Sea*, and 10 E. of *Caen*.

Lisela (Fran. de.) famous for his

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leton and *Frankley*, in the 19th of *Henry VIII.* whose Grandson *Thomas* was Squire of the Body to *Hen. IV.* and *V.* whose Heirels marry'd to *Thomas Westcote*, preserving her Maiden name to her Children. Whose Son, Sir *Thomas Littleton*, study'd the Law, and thro' several Degrees arriv'd to be one of the Judges of the *Common-Pleas*, in the 6th of *Edward IV.* and made him Knight of the *Bath.* His Book of *Tenures* commented on since by Sir *Edward Cook*, is very valuable.

Littleton, (Sir *Edward*) of *Monslow* in *Shropshire*, bred at *Christ-Church, Oxon.* Chief Justice of the *Common-Pleas*, and Lord-Keeper and Baron of *Monslow*, by *Charles I.* whom in his Troubles he follow'd to *Oxford*, where he died in 1645.

There is now Sir *Thomas Littleton*, often a Member of Parliament for *New-Woodstock* in *Oxfordshire*, Speaker to two Parliaments, and one much in Favour with his late Majesty King *William*.

Liturgy, from *Aetvuyia*, a general word for all manner of Divine Service; the *Liturgies*, or Forms of Prayer, are various, according to the various Nations and Religions of the World; the *Armenian*, is in old *Armenian*, affirm'd to be compos'd by their Patriarch, in the time of the Council of *Chalcedon*. The *Egyptian Christians* in the *Coptick*; the *Aethiopian*, in the old *Aethiopic* Language; the *Greeks* have 4 *Liturgies*, of *St. James*, *St. Mark*, *St. Chrysostom* and *St. Basil*; the 2 last are the most common, the first being only us'd at *Jerusalem*, and the 2d at *Alexandria*. The *Jacobites* have 40 several *Liturgies*, the *Maronites* 12 all *Syriac*; and those of the *Nestorians* are in the same Language, of this the *Christians* of *St. Thomas* make use. And indeed, there is scarce any Christian Congregation that ever was in the World, except our *English Dissenters*, but have some Set Form of

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Prayer, to use in Publick Devotions, when the Mind requires all possible Helps to keep it intent, and from being scandaliz'd and perverted into Mirth, by the ridiculous extravagancies of extemporary Prayers.

Livia, Daughter of one *Drusus*, and Wife to another, 2d Son to *Tiberius Emp.*

Livia, (*Drusilla*) Daughter of *Livius Drusus Callidianus*, who kill'd himself at the loss of the Battel of *Philippi*, against *Octavius* and *Anthony*. A. R. 712. She was first marry'd to *Tiberius Claudius Nero*, from whom, tho' big with Child, she was taken by *Augustus*, having put off his Wife *Scrubonia*. Having no Children by the Emperor, he adopted *Tiberius Drusus Germanicus* the Sons of *Tiberius Claudius Nero*, her first Husband. She by her Prudence maintain'd to her old Age, the Pow'r her Beauty got o're the Emperor's Heart; and tho' she manag'd well her self with dissembling Humour of her Son *Tiberius Emp.* yet when she dy'd, 80 y. old, her Funeral was but mean, and her Will not perform'd a great while; she was more free, tho' not less virtuous, than the rest of the *Roman* Marrons.

Livia, (*Orestilla*) divorc'd from her Husband *C. Piso*, as soon as the Nuptial Ceremonies were over by *Caligula*, and by him was banish'd two Y. after he had marry'd her, on suspicion that she had seen *Piso*.

Livius. See *Titus Livius*.

Livius Andronicus, a Latin Poet, who first introduced Comedy into *Rome*. A. R. 510. or 514. in the Consulship of *C. Claudius*. and *M. Tudrius*, 52 y. after the death of *Menander*. 18 Books of the *Roman History* is attributed to him.

Livonia, or *Liesland*, a large Country divided in Possession betwixt the *K's* of *Sweden* and *Poland*, the Bay of *Finland* is its N. Bounds, the Bay of *Riga*, its W. *Ingria*, and *Pleskow* of *Russia*, its E. *Simogitia* and *Lithuania*.



burg, &c. those of *Ejlbons*, *Derpt*,
Wolmer, *Parnaw*, *Revel*, *Nerva*, *Felin*,
Hapsel, *Lehal*, *Cockenhausen*, &c. its
90 German m. long from *Nerva* to
Memel, 860 broad from the Sea to
Dudina. The *Lieflanders* were conver-
ted to Christianity in 1186. when the
Priest fail'd by the Sword of the Knts.
of *Livonia*, join'd with the *Tautonic*,
who subduing the Country, introduc-
ed Christianity to the surviving In-
habitants. The Order was abolished
by *Sigismund K.* of *Poland* in 1587. The
People are all Slaves to the Nobility
and Gentry.

Lixus, a C. on the mouth of the R.
Lixus, in the Prov. of *Alg.* in *Lybia*,
in *Africa*, subject to the K. of *Fez*.
'Tis now called *Larache*, has a Port and
Castle on the R. and is 65 L. S. of
the Streights of *Gibraltar*, 'tis fabled
that it was the Cap. of *Antaus*, and
held the *Hesperian Gardens*: It was re-
taken from the *Spaniards* by the *Moors*
in 1682. who enslaved the whole
Garrison.

Lizard Point the most S. Cape of
Cornwall.

Loanda, a little Isl. on the Coast of
Congo in *Africa*, in which is the C. of

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Meadow, its Infant stream first reaches from its Fountain, at the foot of *Mont Gerbier de joux*, in its course (which is N.) it receives 112 Rivers, and runs 200 L. is Navigable for Boats 166 and 12 for Ships, falls into the Sea, not far from *Nantes* in *Bretaigny*. It visits *Nevers*, *Orleans*, *Blois*, *Amboise*, *Tours*, *Saumur*, &c. The chief Rivers it receives are the *Lignon*, *Allier*, *Indre*, *Vienne*, *Maine*, &c.

Loisel, (*Anthony*) born at *Beauvais* in 1538. was an Advocate of *Paris*, and King's Advocate. He wrote several Books, and is extolled by *Thuanus*, &c.

Lollards, they began from *Wickliff*, in the time of *Richard II.* and held abundance of Tenents contrary to the *Romish Church*; they were against *Transubstantiation*, auricular Confession, Celibacy of the Clergy, their Revenues, their Priesthood, deriv'd from *Rome*. *Exorcisms* and *Benedictions* of Wine, Bread, Oil, &c. Conjunction of Spiritual and Temporal, Power, Particular Prayers for the particular Dead; Pilgrimages, Prayers and Offerings at Crosses, Pictures, &c. they were also against killing of Men, either by War or Law, and several useless Trades as unlawful as Sword-cutlers, Goldsmiths, &c. as may be seen in their Remonstrance to the Parliameut. See *Wickliff*.

Lollianus, one of the 30 Tyrants that arose in the Reign of *Gaius*, on *Posthumus's* death in *France*, he set up himself till killed by the Soldiers.

Lollius, or *Alberto Lollo*, a Poet of *Ferrara*, who wrote several things in the XVI. Cen.

Lollius, is also a *Roman*, mention'd by *Horace*, who has an Epistle to him.

Lomazzi (*John Paul*) a Barrister and Scholar, wrote in Prose and Verse, and 7 Books of Pairing, he was born at *Milan* 1598.

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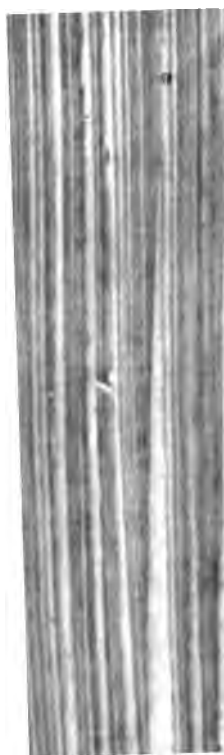
Lombard. See *Desiderius*, and *Petrus Lombard*.

Lombardy, the N. part of *Italy*, and the Garden of the Country; 'tis divided into *Lombardy* this side the *Po*, and *Lombardy* on the other side the *Po*. Contains the Party of *Piedmont*, *Doms* of *Milan*, *Monferat*, *Mantua*, *Modena*, *Parma*, *Ferrara*, the *Bergamese*, *Cremnese*, *Veronese*, *Vicenza* and *Bologna*, or *Bonomia*, it had its Name from a People originally of *Scandinavia*, or *Pomerania*, but had before been some time in *Hungary*, called *Lombardi*, from their bearded Halberts, called in with their King *Albine* by *Narjes* in 468. and their Kingdom was destroyed 206 y. after by *Charlemain* in 774. Its Capital is *Milan*.

Lembrofo (*Jacob*) the Publisher of a very valuable Edition of the *Hebrew Bible* with Notes, at *Vienna* in 1639.

Lemonie (*Anthony de*) and *Henry Augustus*, and *Lewis Henry de Lominie*: Father, Son and Grandson, Secretaries of State in *France* successively; the Son was Secretary near all *Lewis XIII's* Reign, and was Ambassador in *England* to *Charles I.* about his Marriage with *Henerietta Maria*, the Grandson succeeded at 11 years old; but sorrow for his Wives Death made him leave the World and become a Father of the Oratory.

London, the Metropolis of *England*, stretches on a rising ground from E. to W. in the form of a Bow, of which the *Thames* is the string, 7 m. and half long, and is 3 in breadth, from *St. George's-fields* Southward, to the farther end of *Shoreditch*. 'Tis of uncertain Antiquity, nor matters it much whether the Saxons or Britains gave it this name, from *Lud*, or *Lunden* in *Holstein*. It has above 600 Streets, and 100000 Houses, and allowing 8 to a House near 80000 Souls. Its ancient Champs are uncertain and not material. *St. Paul's*



had its first Charter from King *John* in 1210. the year following was built *London-Bridge* in 1378. *John Philpot*, a Citizen of *London*, at his own Cost set out a Fleet to secure the Sea of *Pirates* in 1381. The Dagger was added to the City Arms for its Mayor *Sir William Walworth* Slabbing *Jack Straw* the Ringleader of the Rabble. In 1567. *Sir Thomas Gresham* built the *Royal Exchange*. In 1665. was a great Plague in which 100000 People died, and 13000 Houses were the next Year burnt down by Fire, which were rebuilt in three or four years with more Beauty and more Convenience. The Halls, and other Publick Buildings in the City are numerous and magnificent; its *Squares*, *Signs* and *Taverns*, the finest and the most numerous in the World. The Tower near a m. in compass, is the Magazine for Arms and Munition, and the new *Army* is the noblest in the World, containing in admirable and surprising Order, Arms for above 60000 Men all ready for use : Here is the Mint, and here the Crown of State, Jewels, and old Records of the Nation are kept : the Bridge exceeds all

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Predecessor *Nurses* call'd into *Italy*. *Albaine's* Wife *Rojamond*, retiring with her Gallant to *Ravenna*, on her Murdering her Husband, was by *Longinus* compelled to drink the remainder of the Poison she had given her Gallant, on *Longinus's* promise to Marry her. He was recalled by *Justin the Younger*, who sent him.

Longinus, or *Dionysius Cassius Longinus*, a learned Philosopher of the 3d Cen. Master to *Porphyrius* and *Zenobia* Queen of *Palmyra*, put to death by *Aurelianus* Emp. on suspicion of having writ the *Syriac* Letter to him in *Zenobia's* Name. His death he took like a Philosopher. He left many Books, particularly one of the *Sublime*.

Longolius (*Christopher*) was born at *Malines* in 1490. and proved a great Traveller and an universal Scholar, and left several Treatises behind him, dying in his 32d year of his Age.

Longomontanus (*Christophorus*) a Dane, and famous Astronomer, and a Witness of all the Observations of *Tycho Brahe*, and Professor of Astronomy at *Copenhagen*, where he dy'd. 80 years o'd in 1647. and left several Writings behind him.

Longueval (*Bonaventura de*) Count of *Buquoy*, being the Emp's. General in 1618. reduced many Bohemian Cities, and beat Count *Mansfelt* often, and with 5000 Men routed *Bethlem Gabor* with 15000, and having taken *Presburg*, and other Fortresses in *Hungary*, was killed at the Siege of *New-Hausel* in 1621.

Longueville, tho' a small Country T. in *France*, gives Title to the Duke of *Longueville* in *France*, and to *Henry Pelverton*, Viscount *Longueville* of *England*.

Longus, a Greek Soppist, who wrote a famous, tho' indecent Romance, which *Mon. Bayle* says, has been often translated.

Longwy, or *Longovy*, a strong T. in the Dukedom of *Lorraine*, subject to

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France, on the Borders of *Luxemburg*, of which W. 15 m. Lon. 25. 16. Lat. 49. 35.

Lonicerus (*Johannes*) born at *Ostern*, a Vil. in the County of *Mansfelt*. In 1499. he was a Professor at *Stratsburg*, *Marpurg*, &c. but chiefly at the last, where he died, 70 years old, in 1569. His Son *Adam Lonicerus* M. D. kept up his Reputation; he was born at *Marpurg* in 1528. and dy'd at *Frankfort*, where he practised, in 1586. He writ several *Botanic*, and other Books.

Lopez, de Zuniga, (*Diego*) of *Spain*. He wrote against *Erasmus*, and published an Abstract of the *Spanish History*.

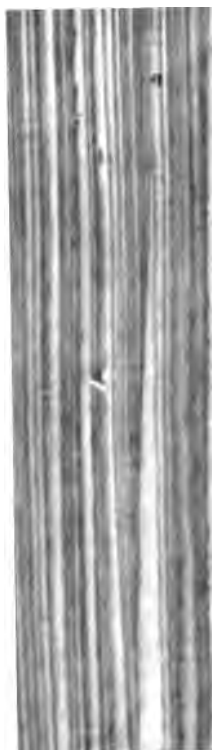
Lopez de Gomora, (*Francisco*) wrote the *General History of the Indies*, not with the exactness and impartiality he ought.

Lopski, the most E. People on the Frozen Sea next *Tarary*, Subjects of the *Czar* to whom they pay their Tribute in Skins and Furs, for which they Trade for coarse Cloth, Hatchets, Knives, Beads, &c. at Midsummer they have but two hours day; they are extremely Barbarous.

Loredano, (*Johannes Franciscus*) born in 1606. was a Senator of *Venice*, a lover and Man of great Learning, laid the Foundation of the Academy of *Gl'Incogniti*, besides his great Employments in the Rep. He wrote several Books.

Loretto, an Order of Knights, which Pope *Sixtus V.* instituted 1587. on making *Loretto* a Bpk. He made 260 of them Lawyers as well as Soldiers, who among other Priviledges, and Legitimate Bastards.

Loretto, or *Lauretta*, a C. and Bpk. in *St. Peter's* Patrimony, united to *Riccanati*, raised and formed by a Chamber, fabled to be that where the Angel saluted the *Virgin*, Devotion to which has made it rich and frequented by Pilgrims. The History *Turfellimus* has publish'd of it, is but too ridiculous to be told, for they suppose



Lorne, (*11107*) born at *Glarone* in
T. in *Switzerland* in 1488. and thence
called *Glareanus*, a great Master of Mu-
tick, of Learning, and Probity, and
intimate with *Erasmus*.

Lorne, a *Scotch* County bordering on
Loquabre and *Argyle*, gives Title
of Marquis to the D. of *Argyles* eldest
Son.

Lorrain, a part of the old *Gallia*
Belgica, now a Sovereign Dukedom,
has its name from being part of the
Kingdom of *Lothair*, Son of *Lewis*
the Meek, in the division made of
his Dominions among his Sons. 'Tis
bounded on the S. by the County of
Burgundy, or *Franch-Comte*; divided
from *Alsace*, East by the Mountain *La*
Vierge, and the Dukedom of *Bipont*;
West the River *Muse*, separates it
from *Champagne*; and North it bor-
ders on *Luxemburg*, *Mentz*, *Verdun* and
Trier. Its chief Rivers are the *Moselle*
and the *Muse*; and its principal Cs.
are *Nancy*, *Metz*, *Toul*, *Verdun*, *Pont a*
Mousson, *Mirecourt*, *Barleduc*, &c. 'Tis
divided into *Lorrain*, properly so cal-
led; and the Dukedom of *B.a.* which
gives Title to the Duke's eldest Son,
and is about 150 m. long, and 60
broad: part of the vast Forest of *Ardennes*

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Years, he was crowned at Rome by Innocent II. in 1133. laid claim to Burgundy, and gave it to Bertoldus D. of Zeringen. Warr'd with the King of Sicily, and died at Vienna or Trent in 1138.

Lotharius, King of France, born at Laon in 941. was Son of Lewis IV. succeeding his Father at 13 years old. He was crowned in 954. He besieged Poitiers in vain, recovered Arras and Doway, warr'd on Otho II. Emp. for the Lower-Lorrain, routed him twice, and drove him out of France, which he had penetrated with 60000 Men as far as Paris; on the Emp's. desire making Peace, he restor'd him Lorrain, which on Otho's, death he again attack'd, but desisted on the News of Otho III. being chosen Emperor. He was pursu'd at Rheims in 986. in the 31 year of his Reign, and 45 of his Age.

Lotharius, King of Lorrain, Son of Emp. Lotharius I. having married *Thietberga* in 856. He grew weary of her, being in love with *Valdrada*, Sister to Gunter Abp. of Colten, and Niece to *Thietgaud*, Abp. of Trier; he was divorc'd from *Thietberga* by a Council of Bishops, and married *Valdrada*, but being by the Pope compelled at last to take his first Wife again, he try'd her for Adultery, which caused a War, and *Lothair* coming with his Brother *Lewis II.* Emp. against the *Sarazens* in Italy, on his and his followers taking the Sacrament of his having nothing to do with *Valdrada*, he died of a Fever at Luca, they dying on the spot.

Lotharius, made King of Italy, by his Father *Hugh*, Earl of Provence in 932. which Title he retain'd till his death in 950. being poison'd.

Lothian, a County, the principal of Scotland, in the S. 34 Scotch m. long, and but 10 broad, bounded W. by the County of *Sterling*, E. by the German Ocean, N. by *Edinburg Frith*, S. by the *Mers*, *Twedale* and *Cleydesdale*,

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in the midst of it stands *Edinburg*, the Cap. of Scotland. Its other Ts. are *Leith*, *Dunbar*, *Dalkeith*, *Haddington*, *Musselburgh*, *Tranent*, &c. It gives Title of Earl to the Family of *Carr*.

Lotichius (*Peter*) a famous Protestant Convert of *Hanaw* in Germany, who becoming Abbot, reform'd his whole Monastery. His Nephew and Namesake was a dabbler in Poetry, and has left us a Collection of his Works. His younger Brother was also famous, and his Grandson has written abundance of Books.

Louango, or *Loanga*, a Kingdom N. of Congo in the Lower-*Ethiopia*, so fruitful that it bears three Crops in a Year; the People are robust and vigorous, and mighty lovers of *Palm-Wine*; the Men go cloathed from the Waste to the Knee, and seldom go out without their Bow, Arrows, and Cutlafs. The Women do all Servile Work abroad and at home, and never speak to their Husbands but on their Knees, expressing their Joy and Respect at their approach, with clapping of their Hands. They have Temples and Priests called *Ganga's*, they Worship the Images of Spirits, which they call *Mognisies*, as having power over Life, Death, &c. They have Circumcision, they Honour their Ks. with the same name of *Moquisie*, as expressive of their Power. His Court is kept in the Capital *Louango* or *Borarie*, a L. and half from the Sea with Avenues of Palm-walks, &c. He is a Prince able to raise numerous Armies, keeps abundance of Wives in his *Se-raglio*, and the oldest Princess of the Blood is chose as *Maconda* or Regent, whom the Kings obliged to consult on all important Affairs. He is worshipped with a kind of Adoration, and when Dead, is buried with all imaginable Pomp in the Vault, set in a Chair surrounded by Images, as his Retinue. Their Mony is a sort of Cloth, their Chief Trade is Slaves, and the Inheritance both Royal and private goes

of *Camarguilla*, and was a great means of carrying the Place in 1571. commanding the Left Wing of the Naval fight of *Lepanto*, having beaten the *Venetian* Right Wing, and taken some of their Ships, with 30 of his own made a brave Retreat when the Admiral was kill'd, and the rest of the Fleet destroy'd by the *Christians*; which Conduct got him Favour from the *Grand Seigneur*, and the being *Blessed* of the Sea, and in 1572. put to Sea with a fresh Fleet of 200 Sail, and tho' he cou'd do no good against the *Christians* Fleet, yet for saving the *Ottoman*, and yet putting the *Christians* from their Descent on the *Mores*, was applauded and caress'd by the *Grand Seigneur*.

Loudun, or *Lodunc*, a C. of *Poitou* in France, 6 L. S. of *Samur*, and 18 N. W. of *Amboise*, and the Cap. *Laudonnois*. Here was some years since a notable Monkish Legerdemain plaid with a good Secular Priest, the Nuns pretending to be bewitch'd, and possessed by the Devil thro' his Sorceries. The Cheat was discover'd, the Priest clear'd, and the Conspirators punished; there is a Narration of this published in *French*.

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Lubeck, an Imperial City and Capital of all the *Hans Towns* on the River *Drave*; it was made free by the Emperor *Frederick II.* and built by *Adolph Earl of Holstein*, in the Empire of *Conrade III.* about 2 German m. from the *Baltic Sea*, on the *Drave*, in the Circle of the *Lower-Saxony*; 'tis a Bpk. under the Abp. of *Bremen*. It receiv'd the *Lutheran Faith* in 1561. having just before got their Priviledges confirm'd by *Charles V.* for a Gift of 100000 Crowns. It has a vast Trade, is govern'd like a Repub. 'tis surrounded and divided by the *Drave*, and bears the Ships to *Travemund*, its large and safe Harbour on the *Baltic*, its buildings and Churches magnificent, its Bp. Protestant, and the See's an Appanage of the Younger Sons of *Holstein Gottorp*, under the Tide of D. of *Oytin*, or *Eutin*, where the Bishop usually resides, 4 German m. and half from *Lubeck*; in the Bishoprick are 12 Hereditary Canons. The C. is 10 German m. from *Hamburg*.

Lubentina, *Libentina*, or *Lubentia*, the Goddess of Pleasure and Indulgence of our Desires.

Lubienietzki, (*Stanislaus*) a Polish Gent. and a most famous Socinian Preacher of the VIII. Cen. He was poison'd, and left several Learned Works, but the most part not printed.

Lublin, a City on the River *Bystrick*, defended with a Wall, Castle and deep Ditch and Morass, the Cap. of the Palatinate of *Lublin*, which is one of the three that make up the *Lesser-Poland*, neat and populous, 12 m. W. of *Chelm*, 24 S. of *Warsaw*, 36 S. E. of *Cracow*; the other C. of this Palatinate are *Zakaw*, *Wisendow*, *Kosmier* and *Parkow*. The C. has 3 great Fairs resorted to by the Germans, Armenians, Muscovites and Turks.

Lucia. See *Antilla*.

Lucania, an ancient Italian Province included the present *Basilicata*, great

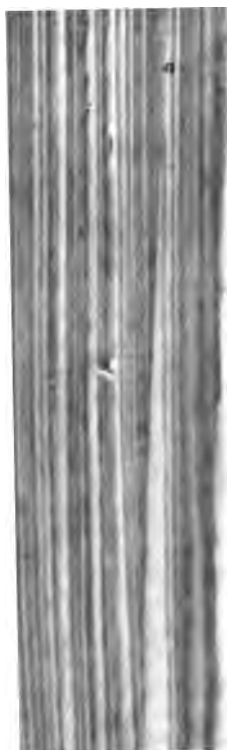
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part of the inmost *Principate*, as well as the Modern *Calabria*, was a part of *Grecia-magna*; they descended from the *Brutii*, or the *Samnites*, leaving themselves along the Coasts of either Sea.

Lucanus, the chief of the *Hereticks* of the II. Cen. promoters of *Cerdon* and *Mercians* Opinion. He err'd about the Soul, and in disapproving Marriage.

Lucanus, or *Lucan*, (*M. Annaeus*) Nephew to *Seneca*, born A. C. 39 at *Corduba* in *Spain*, a Poet of great Esteem, especially for his *Pharsalia*, or Poem on the Civil War; he improved so much under his eminent Masters *Palemon*, *Virgimist* and *Cornutus*, that at 14 Years old, he publicly declaim'd in *Greek*, as well as *Latin*. He married *Polla Argentaria*, learn'd, noble and beautiful; tho' at first rais'd to places above his Age, for his Wit by *Nero*, yet when the Poetical Prize was given him, *Nero* cou'd not bear it, more than *Lucan*, *Nero's* railing at his Verses, which engag'd him in *Piso's* Conspiracy; on the Discovery of which, he had his Veins cut as *Seneca* and *Petronius Arbiter* had all his Poems, but the *Pharsalia* are lost. *Lucanus* (*Ocellus*) supposed to be near or contemporary with *Moses*, at least the oldest of the *Greek* writers.

St. Lucas, or *St. Luke the Evangelist*, was a Physician of *Antioch*; he writ a Gospel and the Acts of the Apostles, from A. C. 33 to 63. He was never married, and dy'd in his 84th Year; some say by Martyrdom, some by a Natural Death; the Place of, which is as uncertain, for *Aegypt*, *Greece*, *Bithynia*, *Rome* and *Ephesus*, are named by several Authors; thus he's allotted several places of Study and more Sciences than Physick, particularly Painting, of which the Papist pretend to several pieces. 'Tis certain his *Greek* is more Elegant than the other sacred Writers.



old he publish'd some *Cuts*, and after by his Excellence, drew *Alber Durex* to *Leyden*, fancying himself poison'd at *Middleburg*, by one equal in his Art, he languish'd away, and died in the 39th Year of his Age in 1532. He painted in Glafs, and Etch'd.

Lucas (Francis) Dean of *St. Omer's*, was born at *Bruges*, studied at *Louvain*, and was one of the greatest Masters of the Oriental Languages of his time, and leaving divers Works, died in 1615.

Lucca, or *Luca*, a C. and Rep. in *Tuscany*, almost surrounded by the D. of *Florence's* Dominions; 'tis populous and well fortified, its a Bpk. immediately subject to the Pope, its Jurisdiction not above 30 m. in extent, but admirably cultivated by the Inhabitants. It stands in the middle of a great Plain near the *Serchio*, the People are Rich and Industrious. 'Tis said to be built 39 Years after *Rome*. It got its first Liberty from a *French* Cardinal, and to secure it since their last recovery of it, they have thus fortified it. 'Tis govern'd by a *Consulnier*, and a Council of 25 Citizens, during his Office, he resides in the

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Lucifer, the Son of *Jupiter* and *Aurora*, or the Morning and Evening Star, it being the Planet *Venus* in the Morn preceding, in the Evening following the Sun.

Also the Chief of the fallen Angels.

Also the Bp. of *Cagliari*, the Cap. of *Sardinia*, and the adjacent Isls. a hot and violent Assertor of *Athanasius* Party prevail'd with the Emp. *Constantius*, to call the Council of *Milan*, where he and *Anathasius* were banished by the Council, and coming from his Banishment to *Antioch*, widen'd the Schism about the Patriarchate, by ordaining *Paulinus* a Priest, Bp. of that C. obstinate in what he had done unto *Eusebius*, sent by the Council of *Alexandria*. He retir'd to his Bpk. of *Sardinia*, where he persisted till Death in his Separation from the fallen Prelates, as he call'd 'em. In his Exile he writ several virulent Books of the high Popery, as not communicating with Hereticks, &c.

Luciferians, the Followers of the foregoing *Lucifer*, who held the Soul to be Ex traduce, or begot by the Parents as the Body. The Schism lasted till after *Theodosius* the Great.

Lucilius, (*Caius*) a Nobleman of *Rome*, Great Uncle by the Mother to *Pompey* the Great. He was born at *Suessa*, in the Country of *Amnes*; and first invented *Satyre*, of which he left 30 Books, tho' only some Fragments remain. He died at *Naples*, 46 y. old, in the CLXIX. Olympiad.

Lucilla, the name of the Mother and Daughter of *Marcus Aurelius* Emp. and of the Sister of *Commodus*, whom having ravish'd and banish'd to the Isl. of *Caprea*, he there had put to Death.

Also a Spanish Lady of Wealth and Quality, which in Revenge of a Reproof of *Cecilianus*, Bp. of *Carthage*, (where she liv'd) she employ'd in the Schismatics behalf against him.

Lucina, a noble Roman Lady converted by her Husband *Priamus* to Christianity, her House was consecra-

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ted a Church, and she was proscrib'd by *Maxentius*, us'd to bury the Bodies of the Martyrs.

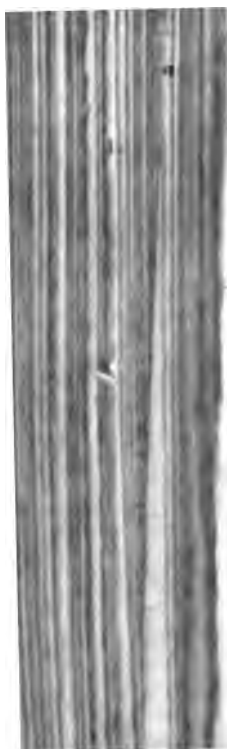
Also the name of *Juno* or *Diana*, presiding over Women in Labour, whom they invoc'd for a quick Delivery.

Lucius I. a Roman succeeded *Corneilius*, in the Bpk. of *Rome* in 253. whether soon returning from his Banishment, he was martyr'd under *Gallus* Emp. in 255. He Decreed that a Bp. shou'd always be attended by 2 Priests and 3 Deacons as vouchers of his Innocence.

Lucius II. born at *Bononia*, first Library-keeper and Chancellor of the Church, and made Cardinal in 1125. He succeeded *Celestine II.* in 1144. and was Pope but 11 Months, dying in the Monastery of *St. Gregory* in 1145. He prevail'd with *Courade* Emp. to War on the *Saracens*, and exhorted the other Christian Princes to the same.

Lucius III. born of the Noble Family of the *Allucingoli* at *Lucca*, where being a Canon, *Innocent II.* made him Cardinal in 1142. was Legate in *Sicily*, from *Adrian IV.* and to *Frederic Barbarossa* from *Alexander III.* The Peace he concluded with that Emp. got him the Papacy on *Alexander's* Death in 1181. by the assistance of the Italian Princes. He succeeded the Romans that had driven him to *Vienne* on his Reforming some Customs stole in under his Predecessors, had some Contests with *Frederic* Emp. and died in 1185. before he cou'd unite the Christian Princes, in a League against the Infidels.

Lucius, an Arian Bp. of *Alexandria*, set up against *Athanasius* on the Death of *George*, which he maintain'd by the favour of the Emp. *Valens*, against *Peter Athanasius's* Successor. Persecuting the Orthodox and the Hermits of *Egypt*, till driven from the See in 377.



by famine to surrender himself to *Augustus*.

Lucius, (*Pomponius*) a Poet, and General of the Emp. *Claudius's* Army in *Germany*, he vanquish'd the *Catti*, &c.

Lucius Pomponius Ælianus, heading the multitude in *Gaul* with *Salonius Arnaudus*, ravag'd that Prov. till suppress'd by *Maximianus*.

Lucius Verus, or *Lucius Cejonius Ælius*, *Commodus*, *Verus Antoninus*, having married *Lucilla*, *Marcus Aurelius's* Daughter, was made Co-partner of the Empire, while he lay lost in Voluptuousness at *Laodicea* and *Antioch*, his Generals beat the *Parthians*, and being incorrigible, *Aurelius*, to hide his Vice from the People, sent him out of *Rome*, he died of an *Apoplex*, A. C. 169. and going with *Aurelius* over the *Alps* against the *Marcomanni*.

Lucius Volusius, died a natural Death in *Nero's* time, tho' Rich and Honest.

Lucius, supposed a *British* King, and the first *Christian* K. in the World for Preaching which in *Germany* he was martyr'd; tho' 'tis more probable that there was no such King at all, this Nation being subject to *Rome* in the 11. Cen.

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Consul, he deliver'd his Colleague *Cotta* besieged in *Chalcedon* by *Mithridates's* Soldiers, rais'd the Siege of *Cyzicus*, having taken *Euparolia*, *Amisa*, *Themiscyra*, &c. He defeated and drove *Mithridates* to the Protection of *Tigranes K.* of *Armenia*, his Son-in-Law, A. R: 683. subduing *Pontus*, routed *Tyranes* at the head of 200000 Foot, and 60000 Horse, took *Nisibe*, and his Capital City, whence returning to *Rome* in Triumph, he devoted himself to Magnificence and Learning, being very Rich, and well learn'd, and made the finest Library of his Age.

Lucus the VIII. King of the *Gauls*, succeeded *Bardus II.* gave name to the People about *Paris* called *Lucetiani*.

Ludlow, the name of a Gentleman's Family in *Wiltshire*, and eterniz'd by the Author of *Ludlow's Memoirs*. He was Parliament General, and Deputy of *Ireland*, which he reduc'd, and quitted on *Cromwell's* assuming a Regal Power, for he was a true lover of the Liberty of his Country without Respect of Persons.

Ludlow, a large fair and populous Borough T. of *Shropshire*, noted for the Courts of the Marches of *Wales*, till lately suppressed by Act of Parliament.

Ludolphus, a Saxon *Carthusian* in 1330. writ the Life of *Christ*, and an Account of *Aethiopia*.

Also the name of a Curate of *Suchen*, who dedicated his five years Travels in the *Holy-Land*, to *Baldwin Bp.* of *Paderborn*.

Also an eminent Lawyer of the XIV. Cen. Chancellor to *Baldwin Abp.* of *Treves*.

Lugdus, the old King of *Gaul*, and supposed Founder of *Lyons*, which from his name is called *Lugdunum*.

Lugo, a C. of *Gallicia* in Spain, on the R. *Minho*, a Bpk. under the Abp. of *Compostella*, from whence distant E. 18 m. and 30 N. of *Leon*, and 10 S. of the Ocean. Fam'd for its

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Also a T. 15 m. from *Ferrara* in *Italy*, which in 1688. with 8000 Inhabitants, and the adjacent parts was drowned by an Inundation of the *Po*.

Lugo, (*John*) a learn'd Divine born at *Madrid* in 1583. became a Jesuit in 1603. and was made Cardinal by *Urban VIII.* and died in 1690. leaving many Theological Works behind him.

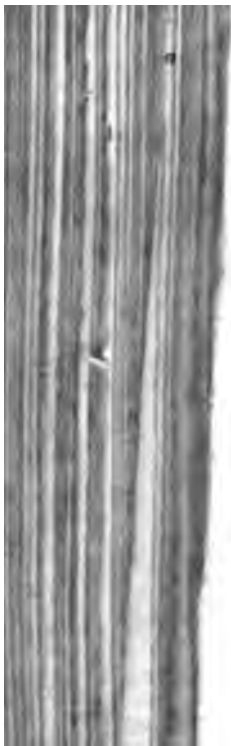
Lugo (*Fran. de*) Brother of the foremention'd Cardinal. He was a Jesuit and Author of a great many Books.

Luithbert, succeeded his Father *Cunibert*, in the Kingdom of *Lombardy* in 701. but was deposed, being a Child in 8 Months.

Luitprandus, in 713. succeeded his Father *Arisprandus*, in the Kingdom of *Lombardy*, reigning three years and seven months. He shew'd himself a Pious, Valiant and Liberal Prince; destroy'd the League betwixt *Thrasimund D.* of *Spiletz* and *Godeschalki*, driving them into the Papacy, where protected by the Pope, he pursued and vanquish'd them, took some Places in *St. Peter's Patrimony*, and in advancing to *Rome*, the Peace was made by the Mediation of *Charles Martel*, as it was by the Pope betwixt him and the *Exarch* of *Ravenna*. The y. after which he dy'd, being 745.

Luitprand, Bp. of *Cremona*, and Secretary to *Berengarius II. K.* of *Italy*, by whom in 946. he was sent Ambassador to the Emp. of *Constantinople*, on some difference at his return, he was banish'd by *Berengarius*; against whom he writ a Book, besides his Genuine Work, there are many spurious attributed to him.

Lullius, (*Raymandus*) born in *Misyrca*, of a *Catalonian* Family, a great Philosopher and Chymist of the XIII. or XIV. Cen. Some make him a Magician, some a St. and Martyr for Preachi-



as *Cajuse*, that he led him as he pleased, and like a true *Favourite* minded more his own sordid Gain, than his King's Service, the good of the People, or the Prosperity of his Country, being convicted in 1453. among other Oppressions, of being brib'd by the *Moor* Gold to hinder the taking of *Granada*, he was beheaded at *Valladolid*. After his Pride and Insults to the *Grandees*, had caused a War in his Country.

Lunden, or *Lund*, a considerable C. of *Suedeland*, the Capital of the Principality of *S. Gothland*, in the Dukedom of *Schonen*, once an Abpk. now only a Bpk. and University, subject to the K. of *Sueden*, 23 m. E. of *Copenhagen*, and 28 S. W. of *Stockholm*, 6 of the Sea.

Also a T. of *Denmark* in the Dukedom of *Holstein*, in the Territory of *Ditmarsch*, subject to the Duke of *Holstein*, on the R. *Eyder*, 14 m. N. of *Meldorp*.

Lunty, a small I. in the mouth of the *Severn*, on the *Dorsetshire* Coast, 2 m. long and one broad, 14 m. from *Hertness*, accessible only in two places. The ruins of *St. Helen's Cappel* and the Castle yet remain: the I. belongs to

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nia and *Bohemia*, and the *Lower* on *Saxony*, the Capital of the *Upper* is *Gerlitz*, and *Soraw* the Capital of the *Lower*. It has besides the C. of *Bantzen*, *Zishaw*, *Juben*, &c.

Lustrations, Sacrifices, by which the defiled were purified, whether House, City, Camp, or Person; whether they were defiled by the touch of Dead Body, Plague or any other Uncleaness. In these *Lustrations*, Fire, Fumigations, and Water were used some in one, and some in another, and Victims Sacrific'd; among the *Greeks*, a Humane Victim loaded with all the Curses and Crimes of the Country was offer'd. *Lustrations* of Houses after the Plague, and on the Death of any one were indispensable: Tho' some were chosen, meerly for Pleasure. There were also *Quinquennial* publick *Lustrations*, when, the Victim, while Perfumes were burnt on the Altar was led thrice round to be purify'd. The Country *Lustrations* of the *Romans*, before Harvest were called *Ambervalia*, and those of their Army, *Armilustria*, in which some selected Soldiers crown'd with Laurel, led the Victims, a Sow, a Sheep, and a Bull, thrice round the Army, standing in Battel array in *Mars's* Field. There was a kind of *Lustrations* used for Infants with pure Water or Spittle for the Girls on the 8th day from her Birth, the Boy on the 9th. The Shepherds had their *Lustrations*, and private People had theirs, &c. of all the which you may consult *Loninens*, &c.

Lustrum, a reveiw of all the *Roman* Persons and Goods at first perform'd every 5 years, afterwards more seldom instituted by *Servius Tullius*, A. R. 180. and *Lustrum* is used for five years.

Lutgarda, or *Luitgarda* *Charlemagne's* Wife, a *German*, and lover of Learning, saviour'd *Albion* for it; died at *Tours* in 800.

Luther, (*Martin*) was born in 1483. at *Isleben* in *Mansfeld* in *Germany*: af-

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ter his studying at several places, he became an *Austin Monk* or *Friar*, and being sent to *Rome*, he managed the Disputes he went to take up among his own Order with Address. He took his Doctor's Degree at *Wittemburgh* in 1517. He preached against the Indulgencies given by *Fries Tetzel*, which brought him into Disgrace at *Rome*, which Court with Cardinal *Cajetan's* proud comportment, set *Luther* to a full enquiry into the Errors of Popery, but by several degrees often writing to *Rome* submissively, but ever refusing Recantation; his Books being burnt at *Rome*, he burnt the Pope's late Decree, and the Canon Law at *Wittemburg*; and being himself censured at *Lorrain* and *Cologne*, He answer'd their Censure: He confuted *Eckius* on the Pope's Supremacy at *Leipsic* before the Elector of *Saxony*; he boldly ventur'd to *Worms*, contrary to his Friends perswasions on the Promise of safe Conduct, which yet had been violated but for the Elector *Palatine*; but leaving *Worms*, he was proscrib'd by the Emp. and conceal'd by the Elector of *Saxony* in *Wurtzburg* Castle. He preach'd publicly again in 1552. after a 2d Papal Excommunication, which he had answer'd. The Monasteries are emptied by his convincing Writings; he and *Melancthon* Publishing first the *New Testament*, and afterwards in 1534. the whole *Bible* in the vulgar Tongue. The Canon of the Mass he abolishes, but retains auricular Confession. His writing for the Independent Power of the Prince, and against the anarchical Articles of the Boors, won the Elector of *Saxony* entirely. He laid aside his Weeds, and assumed a secular Habit in 1524. and married *Catherine Boren*; and died at *Isleben* in 1548.

Lutonus Priscus, (*Caim*) a Poet who after having been rewarded by *Tiberius* for writing an Elegy on *Germanicus*, was punished with death for writing the like on *Drusus*, when

Turks after the taking *Caminieck* in 1672. 50 m. S. E. of *Warsaw*. Here was a Synod held in 1556. by *Lewis Liponan*. See *Lemberg*.

Luxemburgh, a Dukedom, and a strong C. in the *Low-Countries*, standing on the R. *Elja*, partly on a Plain, and partly on the side of a Hill. *John* King of *Bobemia* killed in the *Battel of Cressy* by the *English*, is here buried in the *Friars Convent*; it has been taken and retaken, but is now in the *French* hands. 'Tis 6 L. S. W. of *Trier*, and 4 N. from *Thionville*. The Dukedom is one of the 17 Provinces, bounded N. by the Dukedom of *Limburg* and *Namur*, W. by *Picardy* and *Hainault*, divided by the *Mosel* from *Trier*, &c. 'Tis of various fertility and barrenness in circumference, 60 *French* Leagues besides its Capital; it contains the C. of *Bastogne*, *Damvillers*, *Minneidy*, *Arlin*, *Thionville*, and 23 more besides 1200 Vil. raised from a Country to a Dukedom, by an Emp. of the House of *Luxemburgh*; one of the noblest Families in *Europe*, which being divided into 3 Branches, the late Marshal of *Luxemburgh* married the Heiress of the Branch of

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Secure a Poem, called *Cassandra*, scarce any one cou'd understand and 12 Tragedies.

opolis, or the C. of *Wolves* near *Nile* in *Aegypt*, where *Wolves* ador'd. 'Tis now called *Numia*,

once, whose Bp. *Meletius* was of a troublesome Schism.

osthenes, (*Conradus*) or *Wolfsbart*, in 1618. at *Ruffach* in *Alsace*,

thro' his studies at *Heidelberg*, was Professor at *Basil*, where

ed in 1661. He was eminent skill in the Languages and

ing, and published several Books.

urgus, the famous Law-giver, and *Lacedæmon*, he was of the Fam-

the *Proclida*, and Brother to *Po-*

is, who being Son of *Eunomus* by

ner Wife, succeeded his Father,

Lycurgus travelling thro' *Greece*, *Aegypt*, and *India*, in pursuit of

ledge in Men and Manners, was

d by the Death of *Polydectes*, to

rown of the *Spartans*, to whom

slour and Wisdom had endeared.

The Widow of *Polydectes* o him, assuring him if he wou'd

her, she wou'd miscarry of

child. But he refused the offer,

taking on him the Guardianship

his Nephew *Charilaus*, 108 years

the first *Olympiad*, and surren-

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When retiring to *Crete*, he was

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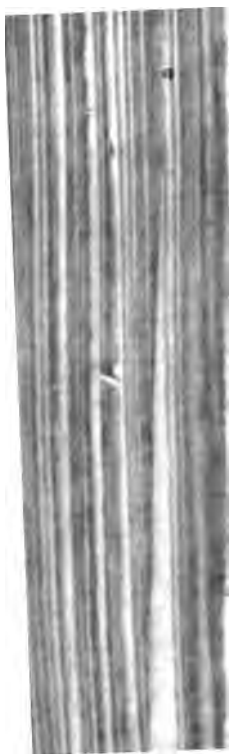
Lycurgus, a famous *Athenian* Orator, and as famous for his generous and noble Services to his Country, he increased their Shipping, and *Magazines*, established the Prizes for Tragedy, and set up Statues to *Æschylus*, *Sophocles* and *Euripides*; he built *Gymnasia*, or Schools of publick Exercise, ordering Prizes for the Victor, which he himself often was; turn'd all Idle and lewd people out of the C. and at the end of his Administration, he fixt a Diary of all his Actions which he had kept, on a publick Pillar to be examined by all; and on his Death-bed wou'd be brought to give an account of them to the Senate, dying soon after he was carry'd home: The *Athenians* thought him Divine and consecrated the *Ibis* to him. *Demosthenes's* Testimony brought off his Sons *Lycophron*, *Lycurgus*, and *Apbron* from their Imprisonment for being ill Commonwealths-men.

Lycurgus, taken into the Partnership of the Crown of *Sparta* by *Agessipolis* III. the King, and last of the *Heracrides*, or *Herculean* Race. *Lycurgus* drove him from that throne he had exalted him to; he held a doubtful War long with *Philip* I. of *Macedon*, but being accused of innovations to the *Ephori*, he was banish'd, and dy'd in *Ætolia*, being the first Tyrant in *Sparta*, or King of a strange Blood.

Lycurgus, K. of *Thrace*, an enemy to *Bacchus* according to the Poets, and was made mad by the drunken God for driving away his Nurses to *Naxos*, in his Lunacy he cut off his own Legs.

Lycus, Author of the *Greek* History of *Libya* and *Sicily*, Father to the Poet *Lycophron*, and was put to death by *Demetrius Phaleræus*.

Lydia, or *Mænia*, now *Carasia*, a Country in *Natolia* or *Asia Minor*. Its chief R. *Chimechi*, *Sambat* and *Chitari*. The C. *Sardes*, *Philadelpia*, *Thyatira* &c. they derive themselves from *Lycus*, Son of *Hercules* XXII. and from whom *Carandæus* murdered by *Gyges*. His Race



over 2 Rivers that divide it: it has a deep Ditch about it, and walled most part: it had great Priviledges granted by King *John*, and restored them by King *Henry III.* on the Repetition of their Loyalty. With both whom they sided against the Barons. It stands in a Marshy Ground, and was called Bps *Lyn* till *Henry VIII.* standing on Ground belonging to the Bishop of *Norwich.* Its present Members of Parliament are Sir *Charles Turner* Knt. and *Robert Walpole*, Esq;

Lyceus, one of the *Argonauts* that with *Jason* went for the Golden Fleece, sub'd to see all things above, below and on the Earth.

Lyceus, Son of *Aegyptus* married *Hypermetra* one of the 50 Daughters of *Danaus* King of *Argos*, saved by his Wife from the Fate of the rest, and flying the Court, had at last his Wife restor'd him from Prison by *Danaus* her Father.

Lyon, (*John*) Earl of *Strathburre* and *Kinghorn*, and Lord *Glamis* in *Scotland*, derived from the *De Lyons* in *France*, and *Tenes* of *Italy* came into *England* with *William I.* and into *Scotland* with *Edgar* Son of *Malcolm III.*

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Lyfander, an ambitious, cruel and deceitful General of *Lacedæmon*, who to the prejudice of the Liberties of *Greece*, entering into a League with the King of *Persia*, aw'd all *Greece*, beat the *Athenian* Admiral *Conon*, took *Attalus*, and wou'd have deposed the King of *Sparta*; but his corruptions of Oracles, and Bribes cou'd not effect it, being killed in an Expedition against the Confederate Cities of *Athens*, *Thebes*, *Corinth*, and *Argos*, united against *Lacedæmon*.

Lyfiades, from mean Birth, arriving to the Tyranny, or Kingdom of *Arcadia*, voluntarily renounced it, and mediated an alliance betwixt the *Achaians* and them, was chose their Prætor, or Governour with *Arabis*, whom, on a difference betwixt them, *Lyfiades* forc'd into Battel, and was himself killed in a fight against the *Lacedæmonians*.

Lyfias, a Tribune of the *Roman* Soldiers, who deliver'd *St. Paul* from the *Jews*, seeking to kill him; and sent him to *Felix*.

Also the General of *Antiochus Epiphanes* King of *Syria's* Army, Governour to his Son, and Deputy of that part of his Kingdom, who was defeated by *Judas Maccabeus*, with whom making a League on the Death of *Epiphanes*, he set the Crown on *Antiochus Eupator's* Head, but was with *Eupator* put to Death, by *Demetrius Soter*, who recover'd the *Syrian* Throne, his Uncle *Epiphanes* had usurp'd.

Lyfias, Son of *Cephalus* of *Syracusa*, was educated at *Athens*, and proved one of the best Orators of his time, He conducted a Colony into *Italy*, by order of the *Athenians*, and having purchased Possessions, he was driven from them soon after, by the Enviars of his Vertues. He writ an Apology for *Socrates*, the *Olympian* against *Dionysius* the Tyrant: And dy'd in the 6th. *Olympiad*, 81. y. old.

Lyfimachus, one of *Alexander's* Lea-

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ders or Successors, being Master of part of *Thrace*; he took part with *Cassander* and *Seleucus*, against *Antigonus* and *Demetrius*. He married *Antipater's* Daughter, but the Father being driven from his Country, and flying to him, on a disgust he killed him, and imprison'd the Daughter. Being taken by the King of the *Geta* in a Battel, his Son *Agatocles* rescu'd him, which he ill rewarded by Poison on a false Accusation of his Stepmother. He seiz'd *Macedon*, *Demetrius* being driven thence by his Subjects. But was killed in a Battel against *Seleucus*, who received his great Men that fled from his Cruelties.

Lyfimachus, Son of *Aristides*, whose Father's Vertues the *Athenians* rewarded in him with an Estate.

Also a Physician Disciple of *Hippocrates*.

Another of *Alexandria*, a Greek Author of the History of *Egypt*, and a Treatise of Husbandry.

Also a Jewish High-Priest, who gain'd that Dignity of *Antiochus Epiphanes* by Briber, but the *Jews* tir'd with the irregularities of his Government, removed him the year following.

Lyffipus, born at *Sicyone* was a famous Statuary in *Alexander the Great's* time, made several Statues of him and his Favorites, and one of *Apollo* of *Rhodes*, and of a Man rubbing himself, as coming out of the Bath, which being remov'd by *Tiberius* from *Agrippa's* Baths to his own Apartment, he was fain to replace it again for fear of a popular Commotion. He cut the Hair softer and finer than any before him. He left 3 Sons famous in the same Art, *Calippus*, *Bedas*, and *Euthy-crates*, tho' the last excell'd most.

Lyfis, the Master of *Epimindas*, a *Pythagorean* Philosopher in the *XCVIII. Olympiad*. Supposed to be Author of the Golden Verses of *Pythagoras*.

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